

**PENNS GROVE - CARNEYS POINT  
REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT  
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**September 9, 2019**

**This information is a brief overview of actions taken at the Board of Education meeting. These are not official minutes nor do they contain every detail of the meeting.**

1. Approved the minutes of the meeting held on August 19, 2019 – Executive Session and Regular Meeting
2. Approved the Articulation Agreement between Rutgers, the State University, and Penns Grove High School.
3. Approved to apply for the proposed Smart and Connected Communities (SCC) Program at Rutgers University-Camden.
4. Approved and/or the ratified following workshops/seminars:
  - a. A. Ames, S. Keane, J. Marone and G. Rhea (PGHS) to attend Fox News Studio Tour, New York, NY – 9/3/19 – No Cost to the Board
  - b. S. Ragone, J. Rappa (PGMS) to attend Black Seal License Class, Bridgeport, NJ – Sept. 12, 26, October 10 and 24, 2019 – No Cost to the Board
  - c. M. Ostroff (DO) to attend Early Childhood Education Convening Workshop, Monroe Twp., NJ – 9/25/19 – No Cost to the Board
  - d. J. Rudderow (PGHS) to attend Fall Food, Agriculture and Natural Resources Education Professional Development Conference, Columbus, NJ – 9/27/19 – \$40.00
5. Approved and/or ratified the following field trips:
  - a. A. Ames, together with 45 students, to Winslow Twp. High School, Atco, NJ – 9/7/19 – \$740.70 (transportation)
  - b. A. Ames, together with 45 students, to Gateway Regional High School, Woodbury Heights, NJ – 9/14/19 – \$740.70 (transportation)
  - c. A. Ames, together with 45 students, to Clearview Regional High School, Mullica Hill, NJ – 9/21/19 – \$740.70
  - d. J. Rudderow, together with 10 students, to NJ FFA Leadership Experience and Development conference, Mt. Laurel, NJ – 10/4-5/19 – \$240 (Bus shared with Woodstown FFA)
  - e. A. Ames, together with 45 students, to Appoquinimink School District, Middletown, DE – 10/5/19 – \$740.70
  - f. A. Ames, together with 45 students, to West Deptford High School, West Deptford, NJ – 10/12/19 – \$740.70

- g. A. Ames, together with 45 students, to Deptford High School, Deptford, NJ - 10/13/19 - \$740.70
- h. J. Rudderow, together with 12 students, to Salem County Fairgrounds, Pilesgrove, NJ - 10/17/19 - \$120.00 (Bus shared with Woodstown FFA)
- i. A. Ames, together with 45 students, to Delsea High School, Franklinville, NJ - 10/20/19 - \$740.70
- j. A. Bernard/K. Rafter, together with 6 students, to Atlantic City Convention Center (NJSBA Workshop) - 10/22/19 - No Cost to the Board
- k. P. Gant and 4<sup>th</sup> Grade Teachers, together with 165 students, to Rowan University Fossil Park, Sewell, NJ - 10/4/19 - \$1,348.10 (transportation); \$825 (admission paid by BoxTops fundraiser)

6. Approved financials, certifications and reports for July 2019

7. Approved the following special education out of district placements for the 2019-20 school year:

<b>STUDENT</b>	<b>SCHOOL</b>	<b>TUITION</b>	<b>1:1 AIDE</b>	<b>START</b>
MG	SCSSSD-ESY	\$ 4,800		7/08/19
JH	SCSSSD-ESY	\$ 4,800	\$ 3,500	7/08/19
AM-C	SCSSSD-ESY	\$ 4,700		7/08/19
SO	SCSSSD-ESY	\$ 4,800	\$ 3,500	7/08/19
KR	SCSSSD-ESY	\$ 4,800	\$ 3,500	7/08/19
DT	SCSSSD-ESY	\$ 4,800	\$ 3,500	7/08/19
DW	SCSSSD-ESY	\$ 4,800	\$ 3,500	7/08/19
JM	DCIU-ESY	\$ 3,065		7/08/19
DV	CREATIVE	\$ 61,950		7/08/19
AP	OVERBROOK	\$ 86,200		9/01/19
DR	PINELAND	\$ 61,004		7/18/19
LF	PINELAND	\$ 54,360		9/05/19
JG-A	PINELAND	\$ 54,360		9/05/19
BH	PINELAND	\$ 54,360		9/05/19
JL	PINELAND	\$ 54,360		9/05/19
TP	PINELAND	\$ 54,360		9/05/19
AB	DE. SCH. DEAF	\$106,131		9/01/19
NR	DE. SCH. DEAF	\$106,131		9/01/19
CW	BCSSSD	\$ 41,249	\$39,500	9/05/19
AB	GCSSSD	\$ 39,510	\$27,000	9/05/19
MG	GCSSSD	\$ 39,510		9/05/19
KG	GCSSSD	\$ 41,400		9/05/19
CG	GCSSSD	\$ 41,400		9/05/19
KH	GCSSSD	\$ 41,400		9/05/19
KK	GCSSSD	\$ 39,510		9/05/19
DL	GCSSSD	\$ 41,400	\$27,000	9/05/19
EP	GCSSSD	\$ 39,510		9/05/19
JS	GCSSSD	\$ 41,400		9/05/19
JT	GCSSSD	\$ 41,400		9/05/19

JB	SCSSSD	\$ 51,886		9/05/19
MG	SCSSSD	\$ 51,886		9/05/19
JH	SCSSSD	\$ 43,000	\$38,438	9/05/19
KM	SCSSSD	\$ 51,886		9/05/19
AM-C	SCSSSD	\$ 39,633	\$38,438	9/05/19
AM-G	SCSSSD	\$ 39,633		9/05/19
SO	SCSSSD	\$ 39,633	\$38,438	9/05/19
KR	SCSSSD	\$ 39,633	\$38,438	9/05/19
DT	SCSSSD	\$ 35,600	\$38,438	9/05/19
DW	SCSSSD	\$ 43,000		9/05/19
CM	SCSSSD ALT HS	\$ 26,500		9/05/19
JO	SCSSSD ALT HS	\$ 26,500		9/05/19
HS	SCSSSD ALT HS	\$ 26,500		9/05/19
JT	SCSSSD ALT HS	\$ 26,500		9/05/19

8. Approved Language Line Services, Inc. for use during the 2019-2020 school year.

9. Approved the following Use of Facilities:

- a. PGHS Band Boosters to use maintenance truck to pull band instrument trailer on September 7, 14, 21; October 5, 12, 13, 20, 2019 for purpose of band competitions.
- b. PGHS Cheerleading to use the Lafayette/Pershing School driveway/parking lot on August 31, 2019 from 8:00 AM to 12:00 PM for the purpose of a car wash.
- c. PGHS PTO/ Athletics to use the PGHS athletic fields for games and parking lot area for other events on September 30, 2019 from 5:30 PM to 9:00 PM for the purpose of Community Outreach Week.
- d. PGHS to use the PGHS auditorium, gymnasium, all-purpose room, cafeteria, library and all classrooms on October 1, 2019 from 5:30 PM to 9:00 PM for the purpose of back-to-school night.
- e. PGHS PTO/ Athletics to use the Penns Grove High School auditorium and athletic fields for band/cheerleading performance on October 2, 2019 from 2:30 PM to 9:30 PM for the purpose of Community Outreach Week.
- f. PGHS PTO/ Athletics to use the Penns Grove High School athletic fields for games and parking lot for other events on October 3, 2019 from 2:30 PM to 8:30 PM and October 4, 2019 from 3:00 PM to 9:30 PM for the purpose of community outreach week.
- g. PGHS PTO to use the Penns Grove High School classroom 69 from January 9, 2020 to February 20, 2020 from 4:00 PM to 8:45 PM for the purpose of basketball concessions.

10. Approved with regret the resignation of Haley VanScoy, Guidance Counselor at the Penns Grove Middle School, effective October 24, 2019.

11. Approved with regret the resignation of Kelsey Crehan, Special Education Teacher at the Lafayette/Pershing School, effective October 29, 2019.

12. Approved with regret the resignation of Nicholas Simmens, Instructional Aide at the Penns Grove High School, effective August 31, 2019.
13. Approved with regret the resignation of Anissia Tompkins, Head Cook, effective August 31, 2019.
14. Approved with regret the resignation, due to retirement, of Deborah Harris, Attendance Officer, effective December 2019.
15. Approved employment to Germer Ledford to the position of Special Education Teacher at Field Street School.
16. Approved employment to David Allgeier to the position of Social Studies Teacher at Penns Grove High School.
17. Approved employment to Sade White to the position of Guidance Counselor at the Penns Grove Middle School.
18. Approved the voluntary transfer of Denise Johnson, Guidance Counselor at Penns Grove High School, to Guidance Counselor at Penns Grove Middle School effective September 10, 2019.
19. Approved the request of April Staman, School Psychologist at Field Street School, for leave of absence from November 18, 2019 to April 8, 2020.
20. Approved the request of Erica Sechrist, Teacher at Penns Grove Middle School, for an leave of absence from September 1, 2019 to November 27, 2019.
21. Approved to increase hours of employment for Tammi Hemsley, General Cafeteria Worker, from 3 hours per day to 5 hours per day.
22. Approved employment to Dannielle Vega to the position of General Cafeteria Worker.
23. Approved employment to Lisa Marie Michaels to the position of General Cafeteria Worker.
24. Approved employment to Peter Traini to the position of Van Driver.
25. Approved employment to Sherry Minor to the position of Part Time Security Aide.
26. Approved the following B Schedule positions for the 2019-2020 school year:

<b>Penns Grove High School</b>		
Choir Director	Antonina Bernard	\$2,305
Newspaper Advisor (per issue)	Stephen Keane	\$ 231
Senior Class Advisor	Stephen Keane	\$2,444
Yearbook Advisor	Stephen Keane	\$3,430

27. Approved to rescind approval of Elizabeth Vogeding to participate in Teaching, Learning & Counseling (TLC) Program.
28. Approved Diane Hartman to participate in Teaching, Learning & Counseling (TLC) Program for the 2019-2020 school year.

29. Approved the following HIB Safety Committee:

School	Position	Name
Lafayette/Pershing	Anti-Bullying Specialist	Eve Fenton
	Administrator	Principal
	Teacher(s)	Debra Ahl, Denise Buff, Dawn DiPietro, Kelly Hayden, Charlyn Martin, Nicole Stafford, Amy Tighe, Michelle Wheatley
	Parent	Julia Bassinger
Field Street	Anti-Bullying Specialist	Amy Lance
	Administrator	Mary Kwiatkowski
	Teacher(s)	Fortune Buonocore-Cahill, Nicole Verdecchio, Melissa Guldin, April Staman, Mano Massari
	Parent	Ben Griffith
Paul W. Carleton	Anti-Bullying Specialist	Melissa Price
	Administrator	Cameron Baynes
	Teacher(s)	John Mullarkey
	Parent	Joe Schultz
PG Middle	Anti-Bullying Specialist	Guidance Counselor
	Administrator	Tara Allen
	Teacher(s)	Dana Comstock, Shannon Quinn, Guidance Counselor
	Parent	Nicholas Rappa
PG High School	Anti-Bullying Specialist	Elise Storms
	Administrator	Lory O'Brien, Kerry Heathwaite
	Teacher(s)	Michele Landew      Ashley Levy Devon Weber      Yu Ri Cheon Colleen Gilmartin      Heather Moore Megan Meiler      Kathleen Ratliff Casey Kern
	Parent	Joel Rudderow
Anti-Bullying District Coordinator		Charlyn Martin

30. Approved the following Penns Grove Middle School staff member to participate in the NJ Mandated Breakfast Program for the 2019-2020 school year:

Tajauna Shorter	1 <sup>st</sup> Marking Period
Karen Flowers	2 <sup>nd</sup> Marking Period
Lisa Campbell	3 <sup>rd</sup> Marking Period
Shannon Quinn	4 <sup>th</sup> Marking Period

- 31. Approved the 2019-2020 List of Substitutes.
- 32. Approved Holly Ware to list of volunteers for 2019-2020 school year.
- 33. Approved employment to Monica Poland to the position of Elementary Principal at the Lafayette/Pershing School.