# THE BOARD OF PUBLIC EDUCATION

# OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT OF PITTSBURGH, PENNSYLVANIA

# **MINUTES**

Meeting of:

July 24, 2002

Call of the Meeting:

Regular Meeting

**Members Present:** 

Mr. Brentley (via telephone), Mrs. Colaizzi,

Mrs. Fink, Mrs. Harris, Mr. Isler, Mr. Matthews

Mr. McCrea, Mr. Taylor, Present 8.

**Members Absent:** 

Mrs. Wood

Absent 1.

The following matters were received and acted upon.

Actions taken are recorded following the reports.

# THE BOARD OF PUBLIC EDUCATION

# PITTSBURGH, PENNSYLVANIA 15213 Administration Building 341 South Bellefield Avenue

July 24, 2002

# **AGENDA**

Approval of the Minutes of the Meeting of June 26, 2002

Announcement of Executive Sessions

Roll Call

Committee Reports

1. Committee on Education Roll Call

2. Committee on Business/Finance Roll Call

Human Resources Report

3. Human Resources Report of the Superintendent of Schools Roll Call

Financial Matters
Financial Statement

New Business Roll Call(s)

# **EXECUTIVE SESSIONS**

# Legislative Meeting of July 24, 2002

In addition to executive sessions announced at the legislative meeting of June 26, 2002, the Board met in executive session on July 15 and immediately before this legislative meeting to discuss various matters relating to personnel; specifically, new appointments, transfers, promotions, resignations, retirements, reassignments, evaluations, sabbatical leaves, disciplinary matters, and positions opened and closed.

The Board does not vote at executive sessions.

#### COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION

July 24, 2002

#### **DIRECTORS:**

The Committee on Student Services recommends the adoption of the following resolutions, that the proper officers of the Board be authorized to enter into contracts relating to those resolutions and that authority be given to the staff to change account numbers, the periods of performance, and such other details as may be necessary to carry out the intent of the resolution, so long as the total amount of money carried in the resolution is not exceeded. Except that with respect to grants which are received as a direct result of Board action approving the submission of proposals to obtain them, the following procedures shall apply: Where the original grant is \$1,000 or less, the staff is authorized to receive and expend any increase over the original grant. Where the original grant is more than \$1,000, the staff is authorized to receive and expend any increase over the original grant, so long as the increase does not exceed fifteen percent (15%) of the original grant. Increases in excess of fifteen percent (15%) require additional Board authority.

# **Proposals/Grant Awards**

RESOLVED, That the Board of Education of the School District of Pittsburgh authorize its proper officers to submit proposals for grants and accept grant awards in the amounts and for the purposes set forth in subparagraphs 1 through 9, inclusive.

RESOLVED FURTHER, That upon approval of the grant by the granting agency, the Board authorize the establishment of appropriate accounts and, where necessary to implement the grant, authorize the advancement of funds to operate the program until the grant and fees are received.

- 1. Acceptance of a grant of \$428,964 of federal funds from the PADOE for the PPS Student Assistance Program to provide comprehensive services for grades K-12. Focus is on prevention education, early intervention and support services related to personal safety, health/wellness, alcohol/tobacco/other drugs, violence and disruptive behavior. Dates of service include September 2002 through June 2003.
- 2. Acceptance of a grant of \$401,767 of 2002-2003 Institutionalized Children's RTF Program funds from the PADOE to provide an educational program for up to thirty (30) students with autism and multiple disabilities at the residential treatment facility in which they live. Dates of service include July 1, 2002 through June 30, 2003
- 3. Acceptance of a grant of \$2,596,732 of Early Intervention Program funds from the PADOE to provide for Early Intervention programs and services. The program supports preschool programs across the full spectrum of settings, but

- most frequently in inclusive classrooms. Dates of service include July 1, 2002 through June 30, 2003.
- 4. Acceptance of a grant of \$720,629 of Institutionalized Children's Program at St. Francis funds from the PADOE to provide educational and related services for students with severe emotional disturbances who are institutionalized at St. Francis Hospital. Dates of service include July 1, 2002 through June 30, 2003.
- 5. Acceptance of a grant of \$439,067 of IDEA Section 619 funds from the USDOE for the provision of preschool programs and related services in a variety of inclusive settings district wide in the Early Intervention Program. Dates of service include July 1, 2002 through June 30, 2003.
- 6. Acceptance of a grant of \$6,510,429 of IDEA Section 611 funds from the USDOE for the provision of preschool programs and related services, professional development, Extended School Year programs, and support initiatives, i.e., Assistive Technology, Behavior Management, Early Intervention, Inclusive Practices, Instructional Support and Preparation for Adult Life. Dates of service include July 1, 2002 through June 30, 2003.
- 7. Submission of an application to the PADOE for \$455,801 of State Read to Succeed funds for the continuance of support to Pre-K-3 literacy in elementary schools where 80 percent or more students were identified as not proficient in literacy, as measured by the PA System of School Assessment. Dates of service include August 2002 through June 2003.
- 8. Acceptance of grants totaling \$42,000 from three businesses as listed below to support the "Pride of the Pittsburgh Public Schools" campaign on KDKA-TV that will feature employees of the District and alumni of District schools. The campaign will run from early August 2002 through June 30, 2003.
  - Duquesne Light -- \$7,000
  - Harcourt Educational Services-- \$15,000
  - Highmark Blue Cross/Blue Shield -- \$20,000

Additional vendors who are interested in the program are expected to sign on. The Board will be kept apprised.

9. Acceptance of a grant of \$107,022 from Partnership Pittsburgh Workforce Investment to support wages and benefits for students with disabilities from Oliver and Allderdice High Schools who participate in the Start on Success Project (SOS). The funding will also support supplies and materials and a small outside contract to assist with job placement. Dates of service include August 1, 2002 through June 30, 2003.

# Consultants/Contracted Services

RESOLVED, That the Board authorize its proper officers to enter into contracts with the following individual for the services and fees set forth in subparagraphs 1 through 17, inclusive.

- 1. Children's Hospital of Pittsburgh, Community MH/MR Center To provide mental health services to the Head Start Program. The services will include attendance at classroom consultation, individual child/family consultation, training coordination, assessment and data management. Dates of service include August 1, 2002 through July 31, 2003. Payment shall be at the rate of \$45 per hour, total amount not to exceed \$115,916 from 2002-03 Head Start Program funds, Account #4800-238-1441-330.
- 2. Jewish Community Center To prepare kosher meals to the Head Start Yeshiva site, serving up to twenty-five (25) children from August 1, 2002 through July 31, 2003. Dates of service include August 1, 2002 through July 31, 2003. Payment shall be at the rate of \$2.67 per meal, total amount not to exceed \$36,000 from Account #4000-149/245-1441-631.
- 3. Foster Grandparent Program, American Red Cross To provide a Foster Grandparent Volunteer for each Head Start classroom for up to four (4) hours a day at the rate of 50 cents per hour, total amount not to exceed \$5,995 from Account #4800-238-1441-323. A volunteer will be provided for each Head Start Center for the contracted period. Dates of service include September 1, 2002 through June 30, 2003.
- 4. University of Pittsburgh, School of Dental Medicine To provide dental services, on an as-needed basis, including screening and comprehensive care to Head Start children. This service is to be provided from August 1, 2002 through July 31, 2003 and is not to exceed \$4,140 from Account #4800-238-1441-330.
- 5. Interim Health Care, Inc. To provide three (3) licensed practical nurses to perform specialized services for medically fragile and/or chronically ill students enrolled in regular schools, along with other services identified within the District for the 2002-2003 school year. Payment shall be at the rate of \$29 per hour, total amount not to exceed \$118,000, \$41,184 from the 2002 budget and \$76,816 from the 2003 budget, Account #4814-010-2420-330.
- 6. School District of Pittsburgh Head Start Policy Council For allowable costs related to Policy Council training and activities for the 2002-2003 Program Year, in accordance with federal regulations. Dates of service include August 1, 2002 through July 31, 2003. Payment shall be \$16,058 in five (5) equal payments of \$3,211.60 from Account #4800-238-1441-390.
- 7. Mercy Behavioral Health, North Shore To provide five (5) full-time mental health therapists to be assigned to the therapeutic classrooms at Greenway, Columbus, Knoxville, and South Hills Middle Schools and Oliver High School. The therapists will work with the school's emotional support teacher, providing individual and group therapy in the classroom, providing classroom training

- related to social skill development, problem solving, conflict and anger management and providing teaming strategies for both regular and special education teachers. Dates of service include September 1, 2002 through June 30, 2003. Payment shall be at the rate of \$26,250 per school, total amount not to exceed \$131,250 from Account #5231-201-1231-323.
- 8. Western Psychiatric Institute and Clinic Kidstep To provide an emotional support program and related services for students with severe emotional disturbances and behavior disorders as per their IEPs. The WPIC Kidstep program specializes in educating students with severe emotional disturbances. The students will receive their education where they live, on site, in the established residential treatment facility. The contract will support four (4) WPIC employees and all classroom teachers who will support up to twenty-four (24) students. Dates of service include September 1, 2002 through June 30, 2003. Payment shall be at the rate of \$15,701 per month, total amount not to exceed \$157,010 from Account #5231-201-1231-323.
- 9. University of Pittsburgh Child Development Center To implement an inclusive SPARK (Speech Readiness and Preparation for Kindergarten) Program for preschool students with severe speech and language delays. Typically developing children from UPCDC will be present at each SPARK session to provide peer language models. Dates of service include August 31, 2002 through June 30, 2003. Payment shall be at the rate of \$1,700 per month, total amount not to exceed \$17,000 from Account #5500-190-1281-323.
- 10. Auberle Education Center To provide an educational program and related services for up to twenty-four (24) students with severe social and emotional disturbances who have extremely challenging behaviors in the classroom. Dates of service include August 1, 2002 through June 30, 2003. Payment shall be at the rate of \$12,900 per student, total amount not to exceed \$310,000 from Account #5231-190-1231-323.
- 11. D.T. Watson Institute To provide expert and consultation services in the area of autism. The contractor will provide retraining to staff and assist in case management for the autistic support classrooms and students who are included in the regular education setting. The consultant will provide both oral and written feedback via meetings, trainings and reports. In addition, the contractor will provide clinical supervision and consultation support to the reorganized education program at Conroy Education Center. Dates of service include August 1, 2002 through June 30, 2003. Payment shall be at the rate of \$60 per hour plus 32.5 cents per mile, total amount not to exceed \$100,000 from Account #5211-190-1211-330.
- 12. Holy Family Institute To provide an educational program and related services for up to seventy (70) students with severe emotional disabilities as per the students' IEPs. Dates of service include August 1, 2002 through June 30, 2003. Payment shall be at the rate of \$12,296 per student, total amount not to exceed \$800,000 from Account #5500-190-1241-330.

- 13. Wesley Academy To provide an emotional support program and related services for up to twenty (20) emotionally disturbed students as per their IEPs. Dates of service include August 1, 2002 through June 30, 2003. Payment shall be at the rate of \$11,776 per student, total amount not to exceed \$236,000 from Account #5500-190-1241-330.
- 14. Glade Run Lutheran Services To provide full-time mental health therapists for therapeutic support classrooms at Arsenal, South Brook, Prospect, and Reizenstein Middle Schools and Lemington Elementary School. The therapist will work with the schools' emotional support teachers, providing individual and group therapy in the classroom, training related to social skills development, problem solving, conflict resolution and anger management and will provide teaming strategies for both regular and special education teachers. Dates of service include August 29, 2002 through June 30, 2003. Payment shall be at the rate of \$31,000 per classroom, total amount not to exceed \$155,000 from Account #5231-190-1231-323.
- 15. University of Pittsburgh Sports Medicine Institute To provide athletic training services during the period of August 12, 2002 through May 16, 2003. Services include the cost of five (5) graduate students and a program coordinator who will provide athletic trainer services on a rotating basis to student athletes enrolled in ten (10) District high schools. This action is at no cost to the District.
- 16. Cornerstone Evaluation Assoc. To retain from Minadeo, grade 5 SAT9 reading data for the students in the current study to analyze data; compare with grade 2, grade 3, grade 4 SAT9 reading data; design graphic presentation and a summary of all points compared. This data will enable the review of four (4) consecutive years of reading data. Additionally, the evaluator will analyze the Grade 5 PSSA reading data compared to the SAT9 reading scores. Dates of service include October 2002 through December 2002. Payment shall be in two installments of \$725, total amount not to exceed \$1,500 from Account #4155-605-1100-323.
- 17. Cornerstone Evaluation Assoc. –To reanalyze all data over the three-year study period for students who participated all three years (N=73) standardized test scores, achievement motivation inventory based on ethnicity (African American vs Other), and develop graphic presentation and summary points. Dates of service include October 2002 through December 2002. Payment shall be in two installments of \$1,000 each, total amount not to exceed \$2,000 from Account #4009-010-2360-323.

# **Payments Authorized**

RESOLVED, That the Board authorize payments in the amounts set forth below to the following individuals, groups, and organizations, including School District employees and others who will participate in activities of the School District or provide services, as described in subparagraphs 1 through 18, inclusive.

1. Elite Cheerleading Organization – For a three (3)-day cheerleading clinic to be held at Brashear High School for up to two hundred (200) cheerleaders from all Pittsburgh Public Secondary Schools. The camp experience will occur on

- August 15-17, 2002. The total cost of this action shall not exceed \$10,000 from Account #4602-010-1100-599.
- 2. Pittsburgh Public Schools Head Start Program For ensuring that the mandated documents are properly processed for the federal child count and the Early Intervention Program. Reimbursement shall be for seventy-nine (79) students at \$150 per student, total cost not to exceed \$11,850 from Account #5181-192-1281-323.
- 3. COTRAIC Head Start Program For ensuring that the mandated documents are properly processed for the federal child count and the Early Intervention Program. Reimbursement shall be \$150 each for forty (40) students, total cost not to exceed \$6,000 from Account #5181-192-1281-323.
- 4. Preschool Development Head Start Program -- For ensuring that the mandated documents are properly processed for the federal child count and the Early Intervention Program. Reimbursement shall be \$150 each for twenty-four (24) students, total cost not to exceed \$3,600 from Account #5181-192-1281-323.
- 5. Thirty-five (35) Teachers and Forty (40) Paraprofessionals For two (2) days at workshop rates of \$20.69 and \$10.35 per hour, respectively, for work and training required for the restructuring of the Conroy Education Center's academic and partial hospital programs. This work will take place on August 26-27, 2002. The total cost of this action shall not exceed \$36,300 from Account #5111/5170-201-1211/1270-121/191.
- 6. Jan Haas Payment for five (5) days from August 1, 2002 through August 7, 2002, payment per diem, to transition children from other school districts and children who turn three (3) in July and August into our El Program. The total cost of this action shall not exceed \$1,868 from Account #5500-190-1281-121.
- 7. Carnegie Science Center and UPMC Sportsworks For a coaching clinic for all middle and high school coaches. Up to three hundred (300) coaches will participate in activities related to developing a world class athletic program. The clinic will occur on Friday, August 30, 2002 at a cost of \$14 per person, total amount not to exceed \$4,500 from Account #4815-010-3250-599.
- 8. One (1) Teacher from Connelley Education Center, Mr. Paul Lowe To work twenty (20) days to print 20,000 copies of the updated <u>Guide to Student Graduation Requirements</u> and 20,000 updated copies of the <u>Code of Student Conduct</u>. Dates of service include July 25, 2002 through August 21, 2002. Payment shall be per diem for the teacher, total amount not to exceed \$7,000 from Account #4810-010-2110-550.
- 9. Education Development Center, Mark Driscoll To conduct sessions on leadership/communications skills for teachers identified by their principals as elementary mathematics residential resource teachers. Dates of service include August 19-23, 2002. The cost of this action is not to exceed \$3,000, including expenses, from Account #4600-118-2270-323.

- 10. If Funded, Up to Five (5) family advocates To recruit families for the Head Start Replacement Program (North Side, West End and South/West regions of the city). The work will be done during the months of July and August 2002, and compensation will be per diem from Account #4800-240-1441-132.
- 11. If funded, payment to KDKA-TV For the production of broadcast spots that feature employees and alumni of the Pittsburgh Public Schools in a television ad campaign that will be aired on KDKA-TV, beginning as early as July 29. The ads will focus on two Literacy Plus teachers and "Fun to be Fit," a new physical education program that emphasizes fitness and health. Funding will be provided by at least three businesses participating in the project: Highmark/Blue Cross-Blue Shield -- \$20,000; Harcourt Educational Publishers \$15,000; and Duquesne Light -- \$7,000. The companies will remit the funds to the District; in turn, the District will provide two payments to KDKA 50 percent at the start of the campaign and 50 percent at the completion, total amount not to exceed \$42,000, at this point, from Account #3200-236-2823-540. Additional vendors may be added to the program. The campaign will run through June 30, 2003 at no cost to the District.
- 12. Twenty-Eight (28) Teachers and Two (2) paraprofessionals for two (2) days at their workshop rates of \$20.69 and \$10.35, respectively, for training in Positive Behavioral Support strategies and processes in preparation for implementation of the program at South Brook Middle School. Dates of service include August 26-27, 2002. The total cost of this action shall not exceed \$8,682.52 from Account #5141-201-1241-121/191.
- 13. Five (5) University of Pittsburgh MAT (Master of Arts in Teaching) Candidates who are African-American Teacher Fellows. Five candidates have been recruited, selected and committed, one each, to the schools listed below:

Frick

Perry

Lemington

Vann

Lincoln

These students are currently assigned to internships in Pittsburgh Public Schools for the 2002-2003 school year (September 2002 through June 2003). Payment will be made in two installments, December 2002 and June 2003, not to exceed \$5,000 per intern, total cost for five (5) not to exceed \$25,000 from the Human Resources budget, African-American Teacher Fellowship line item, Account #2000-010-2832-323.

14. Fourteen University of Pittsburgh MAT (Master of Arts in Teaching) candidates who are currently assigned to internships in Pittsburgh Public Schools for the 2002-2003 school year (September 2002 through June 2003), pending the students' presentation of their earned Intern Certificates. Payment shall be made in two installments, December 2002 and June 2003, not to exceed \$5,000 per intern, total cost for fourteen (14) not to exceed \$70,000 from site-based/Title I funds. Participating schools are listed below.

Arsenal
Dilworth
Ft. Pitt
Grandview
Greenfield
Mann
Sunnyside
Westinghouse
Oliver

Two (2) interns are assigned to Arsenal, three (3) are assigned to Westinghouse; all other schools listed are assigned one (1) intern each.

- 15. Omni William Penn Hotel To provide a venue and meals for professional development for approximately 350 secretarial-clerical personnel on Tuesday, November 5, 2002. The total cost of this action shall not exceed \$22,000 from Account #1000-010-2360-323.
- 16. Seven Springs Mountain Resort Hotel To provide lodging and meals for staff development, training, and planning of the Comer School Development Program for Belmar Elementary School faculty and staff. Dates of service include August 25-27, 2002. The total cost of this action shall not exceed \$20,000 from Account #4106-104-1490-635.
- 17. In Connection with a Retreat for Staff Development, Training and Planning of the Comer School Development Program to be held on August 25-27, 2002 Payment to:

34 Teachers Workshop rate of \$20.69 per hour
3 Paraprofessionals Workshop rate of \$10.35 per hour
2 Clerical Workshop rate of \$8.00 per hour
4 Parents Reimbursement for expenses incurred while

volunteering, at the rate of \$10 per day

The total cost of this action shall not exceed \$13,400 from Account #4106-104-1490-125/197/157/599.

18. Up to Nineteen (19) Teachers and Three (3) Paraprofessionals – To attend a summer training session on team building and goal setting at Sheraden Elementary School. Payment will be at the workshop rate of \$20.69 per hour for teachers and \$10.35 per hour for paraprofessionals. The workshop will be held on Monday and Tuesday, August 26-27, 2002. The total cost of this action shall not exceed \$5,300 from Account # 4176-204-1490-125/197.

#### **General Authorizations**

1. Adoption of New Classroom Materials

RESOLVED That the Board of Education of the School District of Pittsburgh adopt new materials to be used in:

- a. a. Health Education, Grades K-5 Cost not to exceed \$570,000
- b. Social Studies -- \$135,000 as follows:
  - 1. A.P. European History -- \$5,000
  - 2. American Democracy -- \$20,000
  - 3. Geography/History Kindergarten -- \$55,000

- 4. Geography/History Grade 1 -- \$55,000
- c. Elementary World Language Program for Elementary Schools with no world language teachers -- \$33,000

RESOLVED FURTHER, That descriptions and copies of all of the above materials are on file with the Office of Academic Affairs.

RESOLVED, FINALLY, That the total amount of this action shall not exceed \$738,000 from Account #4000-010-1100-640.

2. Rochester Institute of Technology Student Intern

RESOLVED That the Board of Education of the School District of Pittsburgh approve the internship of a student from Rochester Institute of Technology with the Office of Technology for a minimum of six weeks, one hundred (100) hours, to be completed between July 25 and August 30, 2002. This action is at no cost to the Board.

3. <u>Acceptance of a Health Partnership between Milliones Middle School and Children's Hospital</u>

RESOLVED That the Board of Education of the School District of Pittsburgh authorize its officers to enter into an agreement with the Children's Hospital Ronald McDonald Care Mobile and Milliones Middle, a state-of-the-art pediatric primary care center on wheels. The proposal is on file in the Office of Pupil Affairs.

RESOLVED FURTHER, That this action is at no cost to the District.

- 4. Amendment to Previously Adopted Items: Crossroads Speech and Hearing, Inc.
  RESOLVED That the Board of Education of the School District of Pittsburgh approve the following amendments to previously adopted items:
  - a. Minute of September 25, 2001, Volume XC, Committee on Student Services, Consultants/Contracted Services, Item 4, Crossroads Speech and Hearing, Inc. ... Increase the amount of contract to \$107,319, as costs exceeded projections.
  - b. Minute of June 26, 2002, Volume XCI, Committee on Education, Consultants/ Contracted Services, Item 13, Sherlyn E. Michie . . . Correct the rate and amount of the contract to \$1,250 per month, total amount not to exceed \$15,000.
- 5. Memorandum of Understanding to Establish a Partnership for Mathematics and Science Education with the United States Department of Energy National Energy Technology Laboratory (NETL)

RESOLVED, That the Board of Education of the School District of Pittsburgh adopt a memorandum of understanding to establish a partnership for Mathematics and Science Education with the United States Department of Energy, National Energy Technology Laboratory (NETL.

RESOLVED FURTHER, That the overall objective of the partnership is to improve science and mathematics opportunities for students in grades K-12 and that specific activities shall include, but not be limited to:

- Encouraging all students to take advantage of science and mathematics opportunities
- Promoting student interest in scientific careers
- Enhanding the training of teachers in scientific concepts, methods and applications
- Assisting educators in the evaluation and implementation improved methods of instruction such as "hands on" curricula aimed at increasing students' interest in science and mathematics.

RESOLVED FURTHER, That both parties shall explore the possibility of entering into a partnership with a single school or schools with a math and/or science emphasis. Such partnerships are customized, based on the needs of the school and the availability of resources.

RESOLVED FURTHER, That this partnership shall remain in effect for five (5) years (through June 2007) unless extended by mutual agreement of both parties.

RESOLVED FINALLY, That the Memorandum of Understanding may be terminated by mutual agreement of the parties or by either party upon thirty (30)-day written notice to the other party. Further, this partnership is independent of any specific curriculum or program, and either party is able to rescind the partnership at any time.

# 6. Gift to the District

RESOLVED, That the Board of Education of the School District of Pittsburgh authorize East Hills International Studies Academy to accept \$1,560 from The Karen R. Dobbs Music Fund of The Pittsburgh Foundation in support of trumpet lessons for one year for a student, Nicholas C. Peterson. The student shall study under the tutelage of Mr. Richard Murrell, a private instructor. The funds are to be housed in the general account at East Hills ISA for payment to the instructor. This action is at no cost to the District.

RESOLVED FURTHER, That the Board and the Superintendent of Schools extend their sincere thanks to the donor for its generosity and support by making this gift available for use by the Pittsburgh Public Schools.

Respectfully Submitted,

Jean E. Wood, Chairperson Committee on Education

# COMMITTEE ON BUSINESS/FINANCE July 24, 2002

#### **DIRECTORS:**

The Committee on Business/Finance recommends the adoption of the following resolutions, that the proper officers of the Board be authorized to enter into contracts relating to the resolutions, and that authority be given to staff to change such details as may be necessary to carry out the intent of the resolutions so long as the total amount of money carried in the resolution is not exceeded.

### A. PAYMENTS AUTHORIZED

- 1. **RESOLVED**, That contracts for supplies be awarded and bids be rejected in accordance with the recommendations of the Secretary as follows, the bids having been received and opened in accordance with the Code. (Report No. 1575)
- 2. **RESOLVED**, That contracts for work at various schools be awarded and bids be rejected in accordance with the recommendations of the Secretary as follows, the bids having been received and opened in accordance with the Code. (Report No. 0231)
- 3. **RESOLVED**, That the following additions and deductions to construction contracts previously approved be adopted. (Report No. 0232)
- 4. **RESOLVED**, That the daily payments made in June, 2002 in the amount of \$67,149,720.11 be ratified, the payments having been made in accordance with the Rules of the Board and the Public School Code.

#### B. CONSULTANTS/CONTRACTED SERVICES

**RESOLVED**, That the Board authorize its appropriate officers to enter into contracts with the following firms and/or organizations for the stated purposes and amounts shown in items 1a through 2.

- 1a. Amend Contract Number OB8170 with MacLachlan, Cornelius & Filoni: Add \$163,785 for additional reimbursable expenses including security system design, testing services, 7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> floor code accommodations, project coordination, and miscellaneous design at CAPA. The total contract amount is not to exceed \$2,739,242.00, chargeable to account number 303-9312-340-4500-330.
- 1b. Amend Contract Number OB5102 with Hayes Large Architects: Increase basic fee by \$52,841 as acceptable compensation for, but not limited to: inflationary adjustments and additional design and construction administration services. Increase reimbursables by \$72,100 which includes \$22,100 for construction

inspection/administration services for security system installation, and \$50,000 for continuing technical/inspection services to include asbestos monitoring and testing services, document printing cost, and project closeout support for the summer of 2002 at Carrick. The total contract amount is not to exceed \$1,618,641.00, chargeable to account number 305-9302-335-4500-330.

2. **RESOLVED**, That the appropriate officers of the Board be authorized to enter into a contract extension with Allin for a period of 42 work days, beginning August 1, 2002 and finishing September 30, 2002, at a cost not to exceed \$52,000. The time will be used to work with the Technology staff in developing the Windows 2000 Active Directory, designing a Microsoft Operations Manager pilot and helping with the Exchange 2000 migration. The total amount of contract is not to exceed \$52,000.00, chargeable to account number 001-5000-010-2240-348.

#### C. GENERAL AUTHORIZATIONS

- 1. **RESOLVED,** That the appropriate officers of the Board authorize submission of Part F, PlanCon, to the State Department of Education for Mifflin Elementary School. Part F is construction documents.
- 2. **RESOLVED**, That the appropriate officers of the Board authorize submission of Part H, PlanCon, to the State Department of Education for Rooney Middle School. Part H is project financing.
- 3. **RESOLVED**, That the appropriate officers of the Board authorize submission of Part H, PlanCon, to the State Department of Education for Lincoln Elementary School. Part H is project financing.
- 4. **RESOLVED**, That the appropriate officers of the Board authorize submission of Part H, PlanCon, to the State Department of Education for Roosevelt School replacement. Part H is project financing.
- 5. **RESOLVED**, that the Board authorize an operating transfer from the Unemployment Compensation fund to the Comprehensive General Liability Insurance fund in the amount of \$1,800,000, and
  - **RESOLVED FURTHER**, that the Board authorize its proper officers to adjust the employer contribution rate to the Unemployment Compensation fund to 0.1% from 0.2%, effective September 1, 2002, and

**RESOLVED FINALLY**, that the Board authorize its proper officers to adjust the employer contribution rate to the Workers' Compensation fund to 1.70% from 1.60%, effective September 1, 2002.

6. TO AMEND THE KPMG CONTRACT FOR ACCOUNTS PAYABLE RECOVERY AUDIT, COMMITTEE ON OPERATIONS, SEPTEMBER 2000:

## **ORIGINAL ITEM:**

Enter into an agreement with Klynveld, Peat, Marwick and Goerdeler (KPMG) to conduct an accounts payable audit, including an examination of the District's paid invoices and related documentation in order to identify overpayments to vendors. The base fee for services is \$2,000, plus out-of-pocket expenses, and a contingency not to exceed 33.33% of overpayments recovered, chargeable to account number 001-9000-010-2500-330.

#### AMENDED ITEM:

Enter into an agreement with Klynveld, Peat, Marwick and Goerdeler (KPMG) to conduct an accounts payable audit, including an examination of the District's paid invoices and related documentation in order to identify overpayments to vendors. The base fee for services is \$2,000, plus out-of-pocket expenses, and a contingency not to exceed 33.33% of overpayments recovered, chargeable to account number 001-6100-010-2511-330. The scope of review shall extend through June 30, 2002. Work shall be completed on or about June 30, 2003.

### **REASON FOR AMENDMENT:**

To expand the scope of review to include approximately 24 months of additional accounts payable data. Since the District already paid the \$2,000 base fee, there will be no additional payment to KPMG unless a recovery is made. Scope expansion recommended on basis of KPMG's role in assisting the District's successful of appeal of \$513,000 liquid fuel tax to the Commonwealth's Board of Finance and Revenue.

- 7. **RESOLVED**, That the Board of Public Education of the School District of Pittsburgh authorize the renewal of travel accident insurance with Life Insurance Company of North America (CIGNA), effective September 19, 2002 to September 19, 2005, at a three-year, prepaid premium of \$1,441, payable from Account Number 001-0201-101-2590-529.
- 8. **RESOLVED**, That the Board of Public Education of the School District of Pittsburgh authorize the following student and employee accident insurance plan for the period September 1, 2002, to September 1, 2003, through Life Insurance Company of North America (CIGNA).

- A. <u>SCHOOLTIME POLICY</u>: Available to all students and Board employees providing primary medical benefits for each accident up to a maximum of \$250,000; \$10,000 accidental death benefit; dental coverage; allowances for eye glasses, contact lenses, and hearing aids; and a \$20,000 maximum dismemberment benefit, for school-related injuries, at a cost of \$22.50.
- B. <u>24-HOUR POLICY</u>: Available to all students and Board employees providing 24 hour coverage with benefits and methods of payment the same as the schooltime coverage, except \$2,500 accidental death benefit, at a cost of \$90.00.
- C. INTERSCHOLASTIC SPORTS COVERAGE, GRADES 6-12: Required for all senior high school players down to sixth graders who play or practice with sports teams, providing \$100 primary excess coverage, with medical limits of \$10,000,000 subject to a UCR schedule of benefits on file in the Law Department, with a two-year benefit period, and an HMO/PPO waiver which provides that if an athlete is denied coverage by his HMO/PPO because he was forwarded by a school official to a non-participating HMO/PPO provider he will not loose athletic coverage under this policy. In addition, blanket dental accident coverage, accidental death benefit of \$10,000, and accidental dismemberment benefits per schedule on file in Law Department are provided as well as coverage for contact lenses, eye glasses and hearing aids for all sports participants, i.e., players, trainers, cheerleaders, band members and managers. Coverage is also extended to cover the elementary championships for track and swimming, with a oneyear benefit period. Coverage extends to provide a maximum benefit of \$2,000 for all school-sponsored and school-supervised one-day, non-athletic field trips. Coverage is to be paid by the Board from Account No. 001-0201-010-2590-529 at a cost of \$50,528.00.

RESOLVED FINALLY, That the Board of Public Education authorize the enrollment of students in grades 7 through 12 who participate in secondary and middle school interscholastic athletics during the 2002-03 school year in a Catastrophic Accident Insurance Plan available through the Pennsylvania Interscholastic Athletic Association at no cost to the School District. This covers participants in athletic events under PIAA jurisdiction and is extended to coaches, managers, team trainers, scorekeepers, bat boys, athletic directors and principals while traveling with teams to a maximum of \$5,000,000 with a \$25,000 deductible.

9. **RESOLVED**, That the Board of Education of the School District of Pittsburgh approve the following amendment(s) to items previously adopted by the Board:

Minutes of January 2, 1998, Volume LXXXVII, Consultants/Contracted Services Item B, National Computer System, Inc. (NCS)...Amend to include yearly

#### **REPORT #1575**

#### **BUSINESS/FINANCE COMMITTEE**

Sealed bids were opened in the Board Committee Room, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, on Tuesday, July 9, 2002. The results were tabulated and will be kept on file in the General Services Office. These bids were advertised as required by law in compliance with the School Code of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and guidelines set by the Board of Public Education including the Certificate of Minority Business Participation.

INQUIRY #8101

ADMINISTRATION BUILDING

001-2200-010-2340-550

PRINTING-COLLECTIVE BARGAINING AGREEMENT BOOKLET - Printing of 8,500 copies of Collective Bargaining Agreements for teachers and other professional employees for the Pittsburgh Public Schools. 18 Inquiries sent - 10 Bids Estimated cost - \$13,000

SUPPLIER TOTAL LOT PRICE

Item Nos. 1-2

Geyer Printing Company	<b>\$ 12,969.00</b>
Business Alternatives, Inc.	13,249.50
Day & Night Press	14,025.00
General Press	14,925.00
Caddo Design & Office Products	16,047.47
American Printing Company	17,700.00
Jamar Park	19,980.00
Moore North America	20,052.40
Business Form Services	23,320.00
Multiscope	33,256.97

INQUIRY #8102

**ROONEY MIDDLE SCHOOL** 

210-6309-340-4500-750

WRESTLING MATS - Purchase of wrestling mat and storage rack.

3 Inquiries sent – 2 Bids Estimated cost – \$15,000

SUPPLIER TOTAL LOT PRICE

P.E.M. Co.
Recreation Equipment Unlimited, Inc.

\$ 14,970.00
15,875.00

**INOUIRY #8103** 

LINCOLN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

148-6308-340-4500-750

MUSIC FURNITURE - - Purchase of music furniture including instrument storage cabinets, music folio cabinets, percussion and piano workstations, etc. for use in the music suite.

20 Inquiries sent – 3 Bids Estimated cost + \$12,000

SUPPLIER TOTAL LOT PRICE

Morgan Interior Systems	<u>\$ 12,871.00</u>
P.E.M. Co.	13,029.00
School Specialty	15,037.75

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#### RESOLUTIONS

#### 1. CAFETERIA TABLES

At the Legislative Meeting held on May 22, 2002 Legend's Equipment was awarded Bid #8076 for the purchase of 41 cafeteria tables at a total cost of \$36,285 for use at Arlington, Bon Air, Roosevelt and Spring Garden.

It is recommended that the award to Legend's Equipment on Bid #8076 be amended to read \$49,560 in order to purchase 15 additional cafeteria tables for use at Lincoln Elementary School.

#### 2. PALM PILOTS (Withdrawn)

#### 3. WIRELESS COMPUTER CART SYSTEM

Authorization is requested to enter into an agreement with Earthwalk Communications using PEPPM State Contract pricing for the purchase of two (2) wireless computer cart systems for use by Sterrett Classical Academy. Total cost not to exceed \$126,400.00 chargeable to Account Number 279-5000-010-2240-768.

#### 4. TESTING MATERIALS

Authorization is requested to enter into an agreement with Psychological Corporation for the purchase of testing materials for use in the Special Education program. Total cost not to exceed \$16,517.00 plus shipping chargeable to Account Number 002-5544-292-2390-610.

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ithorization is requested to issue purchase orders in excess of \$5,000 for the items listed below to the vendors specified in a cordance with Board Policy.

**REQUISITION #A10483** 

**ADMINISTRATION BUILDING** 

001-5000-010-2240-758

SERVER - Purchase of Dell PowerEdge 2550 server to be used for PeopleSoft development.

**SUPPLIER** 

TOTAL LOT PRICE

<u>Dell</u>

\$ 9,212.59

**REOUISITION #A28584** 

SPECIAL EDUCATION

002-5124-292-1224-758

LANGUAGE/SPEAKING DEVICE – Purchase of a digital language/speaking device to be used in conjunction with the I.E.P. for Special Education Program students.

**SUPPLIER** 

TOTAL LOT PRICE

Prentke Romich Company

\$ 6,552.00

**REQUISITION #FK2362** 

FRICK INTERNATIONAL STUDIES

232-4232-604-1100-610

OVERHEAD PROJECTORS - Purchase of 42 overhead projectors including accessories for use in the classrooms.

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**SUPPLIER** 

TOTAL LOT PRICE

J.E. Foss Company, Inc.

\$\_6,099.97

The Board is notified that the following requisitions have been processed for the purchase of materials for use by students or teachers in the classroom during the period from 6/9/02 through 7/8/02 in accordance with Board Policy.

**REQUISITION #NV1138** 

NORTHVIEW HEIGHTS ELEMENTARY

164-4164-067-1490-640

TEXTBOOK KITS AND COLLECTIONS – Purchase of science, social studies, African American, primary reading kits and collections in various quantities to be used in the Read to Succeed program at Northview Heights Elementary School.

**SUPPLIER** 

TOTAL LOT PRICE

Scholastic Reading Counts

\$ 9,889.84

**REQUISITION #SC1563** 

SERVICE CENTER - INVENTORY CONTROL

021-6202-010-2530-610

CARTONS - Purchase of 5000 cartons to be used for movement during the summer of various schools and offices.

**SUPPLIER** 

TOTAL LOT PRICE

Edwin Bell Containers

\$ 6,150.00

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The details supporting these inquiries, bids and resolutions are made a part of this report by reference thereto and may be seen in the General Services office. Where approximate quantities are used or where common business practice dictates, the total bid will be subject to additions and/or deductions based on the unit price shown on the bid.

Respectfully submitted.

DARLENE HARRIS, Chairperson Committee on Business/Finance

Business/Finance Committee Action Item A2 July 24, 2002

# REPORT NUMBER 0231 TABULATION OF BIDS

### Committee on Operations

#### Directors:

Sealed bids were opened on June 11, 2002. All bids are tabulated and kept on file in the Office of the Director, Facilities Division. These bids were advertised as required by law and comply with the School Code of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and guidelines set by the Board of Public Education, including the certificate of compliance with Board policy regarding participation by minorities and women. The recommendations for award are made on the basis of a firm's technical capabilities, expertise, and workload. The Compliance Officer may not have completed review of the contractor's plans for complying with the goals for participation by minorities and women, but the contractor has certified that it will comply.

(1) ALLDERDICE

Heating Work 301-6301-340-4500-450 Replace burner #1

Estimate: \$28,000

 R.A. Finnegan, Inc.
 \$33,900

 G.C.S., Inc.
 36,360

It is recommended that the award be made to the lowest responsible bidder(s) meeting the terms and conditions of bidding as follows: R.A. Finnegan, Inc.: \$33,900.

#### (2) ALLDERDICE

Electric Work

301-6300-339-4610-450 Security installations Estimate: \$1,000,000

Fuellgraf Electric \$1,089,000 Hanlon Electric 1,176,000 Westmoreland Electric 1,330,000

It is recommended that all bids be rejected and the project rebid.

The original bid documents contained multiple sites of alternate items and unit prices. Some bidders were confused by these items and did not submit appropriate pricing. To ensure a fair and level bidding ground for all bidders, the bid documents will be further clarified and the project rebid.

#### (3) CENTRAL FOOD KITCHEN

**HVAC Work** 

020-6301-340-4500-450

Computer Center air conditioning renovations

Estimate: \$82,000

R.A. Finnegan, Inc.	\$87,300
G.C.S., Inc.	87,347
Apex Mechanical	108,100

It is recommended that the award be made to the lowest responsible bidder(s) meeting the terms and conditions of bidding as follows: R.A. Finnegan, Inc.: \$87,300.

## (4) KNOXVILLE MIDDLE

Electric Work

212-4212-604-1100-788 LAN network extension

Estimate: \$25,000

Hanlon Electric Company\$17,500Westmoreland Electric20,000Fuellgraf Electric27,900Electrical Associates34,300

It is recommended that the award be made to the lowest responsible bidder(s) meeting the terms and conditions of bidding as follows: Hanlon Electric Company: \$17,500.

#### (5) **VARIOUS SCHOOLS**

Plumbing Work

000-6300-339-4630-450

Floor drains at Friendship and Knoxville

Estimate: \$40,000

W.G. Tomko, Inc. \$37,777 East End Plumbing 44,900

It is recommended that the award be made to the lowest responsible bidder(s) meeting the terms and conditions of bidding as follows: W.G. Tomko, Inc.: \$37,777.

#### (6) **HOMEWOOD**

New elementary school

It is recommend that award of Contract Numbers 0F1173, 0F1174, 0F1175 and 0F1176 be recinded and that the project be rebid.

> Respectfully submitted, Darlene Harris, Chairperson

# REPORT NUMBER 0231-S CONTRACTS BETWEEN \$5,000 AND \$10,000

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#### **SCHENLEY**

322-6300-339-4660-450

Sand and finish hardwood floors with 2 coats gloss polyurethane buffed between each coat in Rooms 118, 120, 128, 130, 140, and 142.

Opice Contracting, Inc.		\$7,590.00	
J.A.B.	÷	\$8,175.00	
Five Star		\$9,200.00	

It is recommended that the award be made to the lowest responsible bidder(s) meeting the terms and conditions of bidding as follows: Opice Contracting, Inc.: \$7,590.00.

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#### **SCHENLEY**

322-6302-010-4400-431

Paint all of stairwells (5) total. Furnish labor, material, and equipment.

J.A.B. Enterprises	\$9,900.00
Opice	\$12,300.00
Five Star	\$13,500.00

It is recommended that the award be made to the lowest responsible bidder(s) meeting the terms and conditions of bidding as follows: J.A.B. Enterprises: \$9,900.00.

#### REPORT NUMBER 0232 ADDITIONS AND DEDUCTIONS TO CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTS

Committee on Operations

#### Directors:

It is recommended that the following additions and deductions to construction contracts be adopted:

Contract & Change Order Information ADD DEDUCT CAPA: New CAPA building MASCARO CONSTRUCTION COMPANY, L.P. Contract Number: 0F1150 Contract Amount: \$23,897,000 Previous CO \$: \$90,631 Account Number: 303-6312-340-4500-450 \$49,703 \$4,980

- A. Provide temporary wood walkway. (Add) -- \$4,442.
- B. Change flooring types in rooms 343, 441, 446, 638 and 642. (Add) -- \$5,037.
- Increase width of door to room 307 to 40". (Add) -- \$328.
- D. Delete wood flooring on ramps to stage. (Deduct)
- -- -\$4,980. E. Provide an environmental foam and dispensing machine during excavation. (Add) -- \$8,476.
- F. Masonry and other miscellaneous repairs to 121 9th Street building. (Add) -- \$6,863.
- G. Modify door S3-6 and frame. (Add) -- \$3,343.
   H. Additional wood blocking for wood flooring under the Orchestra Pit. (Add) -- \$21,214.

#### Explanation:

- A. Facilities Division requested this walkway to safely accommodate pedestrian traffic around the construction site.
- Floor finishes in rooms 343, 441, 446, 638 and 642 of the existing building were changed to provide for consistency of all floor finishes throughout the project.
- C. The size of the door to room 307 was increased to 40" to accommodate the tympanums in the music curriculum.
- D. A review of the flooring design in the stage area revealed that the wood flooring called on the ramps was unnecessary and was deleted.
- E. Due to environmental concerns, Facilities Division regusted that environmental foam and a dispensing machine be present on site during excavation of contaminated material.
- F. When the School District assumed ownership of several floors of 121 9th Street, there were some Building Code issues that needed to be corrected before new construction could continue.
- The original contract documents specified that door S3-6 be a wood door with a 90 minute fire rating.

No wood door could be found that was manufactured to meet this specification. To meet the 90 minute fire rating, the door and frame were changed to a hollow metal type.

H. The original contract documents specified flooring under the orchestra pit shell to support a weight of 3,000 pounds. During construction it was determined that the weight of the shell would exceed 3,000 pounds. To support this weight, additional supports, pads, plywood and blocking was necessary.

CAPA: New CAPA building

LIGHTHOUSE ELECTRIC COMPANY, INC.

Contract Number: 0F1153 Contract Amount: \$2,869,500

Previous CO S: \$454

Account Number: 303-6312-337-4500-450

C.O. #2

Provide and install 3 network protecters on transformers in electrical vault.

Explanation:

The cost of this change order is the fee charged by Duquesne Light Company to provide and install 3 network protecters on the transformers in the electrical vault. These network protecters are required by Code and necessary to provide electricity to the new CAPA High School project.

CARRICK: Addition/renovation

THE FARFIELD COMPANY

Contract Number: 0F0074
Contract Amount: \$3,030,500
Previous CO \$: \$447,636

Account Number: 305-6302-340-4500-450

C.O. #9

A. Re-wire circuits for the Athletic Department
Laundry Room to accommodate the new
industrial-sized washers and dryers purchased by
the School District -- \$2,033.

- B. Install 208-volt circuit for the new cardboard baler -- \$1,080.
- C. Provide two additional switches and seven additional receptacles in the Photography Classroom and Darkroom, and the Visual Communications classroom, for existing equipment -- \$2,119.
- D. Add four receptacles in the Weight Room for a new treadmill and cross-training machines -- \$814.
- E. Provide a 20-amp, 250-volt, 3-phase circuit and disconnect switch for motor test bench in Electronics Classroom. Provide floor boxes for electrically powered work tables in Electronics Classroom -- \$3,859.
- F. Provide additional circuits as necessary and connect equipment in Wood Shop and the Power and Energy manufacturing shop. Install remote control switch for engine exhaust fan in the Power and Energy manufacturing shop -- \$5,641.

Explanation:

- A. To accommodate washers and dryers purchased by the school district, 120 and 208 volt circuits were provided.
- B. A cardboard baler was donated to the School through a non-profit agency to bale cardboard boxes for

\$93,103

\$15,546

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recycling.

- C. The original design for the Photography Classroom and Darkroom specified the locations of switches and receptacles for the equipment to be used in these rooms. The School Administration requested the additional switches and receptacles to allow for more flexibility in the location of equipment in the Photography Classroom and Darkroom.
- Additional electrical service required for new
- equipment in the Weight Room.

  The School Administration requested these changes to utilize existing equipment and to maximize classroom space in the furniture layout.
- F. The School Administration requested these changes to better utilize existing equipment in the new shops.

#### CONNELLEY: Replace fire alarm

JS BOYLE ELECTRICAL CONTRACTING, INC.

Contract Number: 0F1043 Contract Amount: \$147,000

Previous CO \$: \$0

Account Number: 998-6300-336-4640-450

#### C.O. #1

Provide for the relocation of two strobe lights and horns in the welding shop and the addition of a second strobe light and horn in the second floor bathroom as requested by (i.e. required by) the Fire Marshall during his on-site inspection.

#### Explanation:

Beyond scope of work. Although all of the strobes and horns under this contract were reviewed and approved by the City of Pittsburgh's Electrical Inspector and Bureau of Building Inspection, the Fire Marshall requested the above changes. These changes were made to obtain the fire alarm permit.

#### EAST HILLS: Disabled access improvements - ADA (E) (Group)

WELLINGTON POWER CORPORATION

Contract Number: 0F0042 Contract Amount: \$52,525

Previous CO \$: \$0

Account Number: 192-9306-329-4500-450

Provide for increased labor cost and extended project management costs due to delays in completing the project outside the contractor's control.

#### Explanation:

These delays are directly attributed to the redesign and corrective work required to correct the design errors and omissions caused by the prime consultant's mechanical engineers. These costs will be charged back to the project design consultant.

\$2,888

\$3,825

\$1,429

GRANDVIEW: Replace unit ventilators

APEX MECHANICAL, INC

Contract Number: 0F1059
Contract Amount: \$113,624
Previous CO \$: \$3,182

Account Number: 136-6300-336-4630-450

C.O. #3

Provide for premium, overtime differential costs for four men (4) men for four (4) days on August 3, 4, 13, and 14, 2001.

Explanation:

Due to summer school programs and a late change order regarding the fire dampers, the holes for installation of the fire dampers needed to be drilled at night and on weekends to avoid conflict with on-going programs at the school. Since this request was outside the normal working hours by the contract and the result of a previous change order requested by Facilities, the contractor is entitled to pay differential for the overtime hourly rate.

HOMEWOOD: Disabled access improvements - ADA (H)(Group)

G.C.S., INCORPORATED

Contract Number: 0F0041 Contract Amount: \$17,512.50 Previous CO \$: \$60,134

Account Number: 141-9306-329-4500-450

C.O. #12

Provide for the addition of batt insulation and custom formed, sheet metal closure angles to seal off the existing return air in corridor from the new elevator shaft.

Explanation:

This work is being done at the request of the Facilities Division, to reduce any possibility of dust build up or wind noise, and eliminate any short circuiting of the building's ventilation system air flow.

LINCOLN: Coal hole slab (G)

U & S CONSTRUCTION

Contract Number: 0F1118 Contract Amount: \$208,900 Previous CO \$: \$7,070

Account Number: 148-6300-336-4200-450

C.O. #2

Provide for the removal of an existing catch basin and for the cutting of the existing concrete coal hole walls to provide additional slope for the new 18-inch ceiling beams.

Explanation:

Beyond scope of work. Facilities Division requested the removal of a portion of an existing support wall to provide additional slope to the new coal deck and loading dock. This will provide for better drainage. With the improved drainage, the dock and concrete deck surface should be less susceptible to salt and water damage over time and should be easier to maintain.

\$992

\$5,712

MORNINGSIDE: Building additions (G) GURTNER CONSTRUCTION COMPANY, INC.

Contract Number: 0F0033 Contract Amount: \$550,380 Previous CO \$: \$86,131

Account Number: 156-9303-333-4500-450

C.O. #6

\$28,449

- A. Provide and install new front and rear stage curtains -- \$7,850.
- B. Additional electrical work for fire alarm system --\$17,088.
- C. Revise size of door in stairwell -- \$3,511.

#### Explanation:

- A. Original contract documents did not specify new stage curtains being installed. The decision to install new stage curtains came at the request of the Principal of the school. The curtains were old and in need of replacement.
- B. Design oversight. To comply with the Fire Code it was necessary to install additional equipment that would tie-in the door hold opens and door closers with the fire alarm panel to allow the doors to close in the event of a fire. This work was not included in the original contract documents. While this was a design oversight, the cost is similar to what it would have been if bid and therefore a School Distrct responsibility.
- C. The original contract documents specified a single door at the stairwell. To improve accessibility for custodian equipment, Facilities Division requested that the door be re-framed to be a double door.

#### PIONEER ELEMENTARY: Renovations and addition (P)

W. G. TOMKO, INC.

Contract Number: 0F9078 Contract Amount: \$669,333 Previous CO \$: \$129,429

Account Number: 169-6304-340-4500-450

C.O. #9

\$9,261

- A. Provide and install stainless steel sink, washer and dryer hook-ups and a dryer vent line in basement of the Pioneer Education Center -- \$2,924.
- B. Repair two floor cleanouts in corridor C125, a sanitary line in corridor C125, a sanitary line in room C146 and a sanitary line to cleanout on exterior of building -- \$868.
- C. Remove existing drinking fountain in the Pioneer Education Center -- \$540.
- D. Furnish and install a sink in Nurse's room C109 --\$4,929.

#### Explanation:

- A. This work was not included in the original contract documents but was requested by the Principal of the Pioneer Education Center to centralize the laundry facilities in the school.
- B. Two floor cleanouts and three sanitary lines were damaged by the General Contractor during the construction of the new middle school and required repair by the Plumbing Contractor. The cost of this change order will be backcharged to the General Contractor.
- C. Requested by Principal of the Pioneer Education Center. The drinking fountain made it difficult for the movement of custodial equipment stored in the

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basement.

D. The installation of a sink was necessary due to the change from an elementary school to middle school program.

ROONEY: Facilities Utilization Plan

KUSEVICH CONTRACTING, INC.

Contract Number: 0F1136
Contract Amount: \$1,980,000

Previous CO \$: \$63,112

Account Number: 210-6309-340-4500-450

<u>C.O. #4</u> \$50,015

A. Construct four (4) masonry columns at the intersection of the new and existing corridors on both floors -- \$7,810.

- B. Enlarge the masonry chase area in Room B101 --\$2,534.
- C. Additional masonry work -- \$9,447.
- D. Revise doorway at room B101 to an ADA accessible entry -- \$5,614.
- E. Relocate demountable trailer from existing location to Sunnyside Elementary school -- \$22,500.
- F. Manufacture and install three additional doublewide and two additional single width lockers in corridor -- \$2,110.

#### Explanation:

- A. Unforeseen field condition. Once the wall was opened up, tile block was discovered and not concrete block or brick wall as was anticipated. The existing building construction will not hold lintels, making the construction of support columns necessary.
- B. Masonry chase was enlarged to accommodate plumbing and heating piping that was moved to this chase to expedite the progress of the project.
- C. Design Error, architect did not use correct site elevation information and as a result masonry walls had to be expanded. Compensation from the architect will be sought to cover a portion of this cost.
- D. The original contract documents did not indicate an ADA accessible entry into room B101. When this oversight was discovered, Facilities Division instructed the contractor to revise the doorway to comply with ADA requirements.
- E. To accommodate spatial needs at Sunnyside, the district owned demountable at Rooney is being moved. This amount includes moving, set up/assembly, construction of ramps and related work.
- F. Install additional lockers that were previously requested by the Principal of the school.

SPRING HILL: Building modifications

APEX MECHANICAL, INC

Contract Number: 0F1129 Contract Amount: \$33,455 Previous CO \$: \$853

Account Number: 178-6301-338-4500-450

C.O. #2

A. Provide for the relocation of a proposed restroom floor drains due to interference from an existing steel beam -- \$2,168.

B. Provide for the relocation of an existing ventilation line for the building's plumbing system \$3,639

found within an existing wall scheduled for demolition -- \$1,087.

C. Provide for the replacement and relocation of the exhaust grill in room 135 -- \$384.

#### Explanation:

- A. Unknown field condition. During installation of the floor drain piping it was discovered that the existing steel floor framing was not set in the locations or spacing indicated on the original record drawings and that an existing steel beam was running through the location for the new restroom floor drains. To provide adequate slope and drainage, the drains had to be relocated to clear the existing steel.
- B. Unforeseen field condition. The existing vent line was scheduled to be cut-off and capped below the demolished wall. During demolition the vent line was found to be servicing several other fixtures from the ground floor. Since the vent line could not be cut-off and capped without re-piping a number of other fixtures, the decision was made to relocate the vent line to keep the existing services on-line.
- C. Beyond scope of work. During reconstruction of the chase walls in room 135, it was decided to modify the width of the existing wall to provide to allow for future addition of equipment within the chase. This change allowed the contractor to use readily available material and expedite completion of the work involved, but required replacement of an existing exhaust vent.

# STERRETT: Disabled access improvements - ADA (G) (Group)

GURTNER CONSTRUCTION COMPANY, INC.

Contract Number: 0F0040
Contract Amount: \$170,960
Previous CO \$: \$14,450

Account Number: 279-6306-337-4500-450

#### C.O. #8

- A. Provide for the added cost of premium labor rates for Saturday, March 2nd, and Sunday March 3rd, 2002 to provide for additional crew and labor to accelerate the completion of the interior elevator shaft masonry -- \$3,357.
- B. Provide for the additional demolition of an existing wall and stone slab at the base of the first floor for the new elevator lobby and the addition of new steel framing to support a new entrance slab from the exterior parking area to the new elevator lobby -- \$12,677.

#### Explanation:

- A. A reasonable plan could not be could not be worked out with the school to allow for storage of material or access to the construction area during the school day. To accommodate the school, and still complete the necessary work, multiple shifts were brought in over a weekend. This was done to complete masonry work so not to impact the operation of the school during regular hours. This extra shift work was not under the base contract and needed to be added in order to expedite completion of this work.
- B. Unforeseen site condition. During demolition for the new elevator shaft, it was discovered that the existing granite floor slab and wall below, which

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were part of an unexcavated area of the building, were not structurally sound. The slab was cracking along its buried underside and the wall was showing signs of moisture damage. To provide sufficient support for the new elevator entrance lobby from the school's parking lot, the wall and slab were removed, new beam pockets are being cut into the surrounding, sound masonry, and a new steel framed, concrete floor is being installed. The existing damaged stone slab and support wall could not be seen until the excavation and demolition in the area was completed.

# STERRETT: Disabled access improvements - ADA

(E) (Group)

WELLINGTON POWER CORPORATION Contract Number: 0F0042 Contract Amount: \$62,005 Previous CO \$: \$1,855

> Account Number: 279-9306-329-4500-450

C.O. #7

Provide for increased labor cost and extended project management costs due to delays in completing the project outside the contractor's control.

Explanation:

These delays are directly attributed to the redesign and corrective work required to correct the design errors and omissions caused by the prime consultant's mechanical engineers. These costs will be charged back to the project design consultant.

WESTINGHOUSE: Building renovations (G)

ABLE-HESS ASSOCIATES, INC.

Contract Number: 0F9032

Contract Amount: \$11,611,000 Previous CO \$: \$1,257,142

Account Number: 327-6305-340-4500-450

C.O. #22

Add wing walls at Northwest entry for relocated lights. (Add) -- \$14,758.

- Patch walls in various locations throughout the
- Basement Corridors. (Add) -- \$512. Finish concrete wall at South Basement Loading Dock. (Add) -- \$12,346.
- Patch and paint at removed projection screens in twenty five classrooms on the second, third and fourth floors. (Add) -- \$4,632.
- Additional demolition and grade beam at North Wing. (Add) -- \$54,964.
- Relocate scoreboard in Gymnasium. (Add) -- \$1,187. Explanation:
- Requested by Facilities Division to provide a base for relocated historic light fixtures These fixtures were originally scheduled to be relocated to the Athletic Event Entry but were moved to the Northwest entry due to the School District providing alternate fixtures for the Athletic Event Entry.
- B. Unforeseen field condition. Existing holes in corridor walls were uncovered by demolition operations. Holes required patching to provide the required fire rating to the walls.

  C. Unforeseen field condition. The existing East

\$3,825

\$88,399

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concrete wall adjacent to the new loading dock was exposed by excavation and was found to be in a rougher condition than expected.

- D. Additional patching and painting work was required to repair damage due to removed equipment and minor damage to walls resulting from student activity and furniture movement within twenty five classrooms on the second, third and fourth floors subsequent to punch list review of rooms on the Second, Third and Fourth Floors of the West Wing and the Fourth Floor of the Main Building, South side.
- E. Unforeseen field condition. During demolition operations, an existing foundation grade beam was found to be in a cracked and in deteriorated condition, therefore requiring additional demolition and concrete work to replace it.
- F. Design error. When the mat mover raises the wrestling mats, the mats impact the front of the scoreboard. The scoreboard was relocated to allow smooth operation of mat mover, storage of wrestling mats and to prevent the potential for damage to the scoreboard from occuring. This cost will be charged back to the architect.

TOTAL COUNT \$372,820

\$4,980

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# For The Month Of: JUNE 2002

			NO REP UNIT		
	NAME		CLAIM #	COMPENSATION	MEDICAL
	BOSILJEVAC	DENISE	02-00189	696.60	1,962.21
	Dobrowsky	Alice E.	00-23688	524.00	141.76
	GORDON	GERALDINE	01-00786	0.00	47.95
	HRABOSKY	DORENE	02-00188	0.00	1,085.34
	KRAUSE	CLARICE	02-00162	0.00	173.95
	Kamins	Lorraine	00-23085	349.32	0.00
	LUGAR	MICHAEL	02-00197	0.00	357.59
	Terreri	Lillian	99-00602	589.32	0.00
*	TOTALS THIS GRO	OUP		2,159.24	3,768.80
	71100	D-1	LOCAL 297 AFSC		
	Allen	Robert	00-25784	1,267.68	0.00
	Alvino	Vincent	96-01027	0.00	281.54
	Auth	Carl E.	00-29100	1,444.00	0.00
	BRANDT	GREGORY	01-00587	0.00	705.56
	Backes	Harry	00-38840	1,285.24	0.00
	Bajcic	Margaret	00-31383	1,321.12	0.00
	Barshowski	Helen	00-19391	374.00	0.00
	Bochter	Mildred L.	96-00815	1,942.32	0.00
	Burns	Marlene	00-29754	0.00	99.18
	CANCILLA	JUDITH	01-00536	1,288.00	1,674.40
	CASSON SR.	DAVID	01-00299	2,811.56	2,951.07
	CRONIN	PHYLLIS	20-00554	1,462.92	403.03
	Cahill	Sandra Lee	95-00388	0.00	1,587.80
	Clements	Gwendolyn	00-29002	694.00	0.00
	Connors	Mary	00-38025	872.00	0.00
	DAY DUNCAN	EDWARD	02-00255	0.00	283.24
		ADELE	20-00600	1,913.04	12,240.78
	Davis Davis	Thomas	98-00784	0.00	1,206.59
	Davis Devlin	Thomas	98-00788	1,969.88	513.43
	Deviin	John C.	00-38421	1,356.72	604.13
	Diri	Brenda L.	96-00240	1,869.24	0.00
	EINLOTH	Robert	00-23701	740.68	0.00
		MICHAEL	01-00777	0.00	69.29
	EINLOTH Einloth	ROBERT Robert	01-00754	0.00	2,168.93
	Ellis		98-00721	2,576.00	0.00
	FETH	Adrian L. THOMAS	96-00055 20-00553	0.00	424.74
	GATEWOOD	KATHY	20-00553 20-00834	0.00	203.50
	GIBSON	RONALDA L	02-00269	1,704.21	0.00
	Getty	Phyllis	00-36702	1,339.68	772.91
	Golebiewski	Dennis	94-00036	558.68	368.65
	Greil III	Michael H.	94-00348	0.00	11.23
	01011 111	michael n.	J4 - UUJ40	1,441.52	0.00

Greygor	Albert	98-00602	0.00	272.90
Greygor	Albert	98-00603	1,821.68	834.07
HALL	RHONDA	01-00084	1,701.98	827.15
HELMS	EUGENIA	20-00731	699.32	225.80
Henson	John A.	00-31611	502.80	222.16
Holleran	Thomas F.	00-37418	1,744.00	2,261.93
Horsley	Beverly J.	94-00194	0.00	289.58
Horsley	Beverly Jean	00-39250	0.00	124.49
Iacurci	Barbara	00-24776	378.64	0.00
JOHNSON	ALEXIS	02-00037	0.00	68.59
Jackson	John D.	00-20839	694.56	627.34
Jackson	Rodney	98-00530	902.81	44.84
Jandt	Beverly M.	00-29334	1,027.20	0.00
Johnson	Joseph	97-00077	2,108.00	0.00
Jones	James	00-19147	399.56	0.00
KIRKLAND	JACQUELINE	02-00160	0.00	1,264.41
KOCH	MICHAEL	02-00058	0.00	426.10
KREAMER	GEORGE	20-00695	0.00	107.14
Kreamer	George	97-00346	0.00	104.64
LEE	BARBARA	02-00163	0.00	183.47
LEWIS	GARY W	02-00289	2,344.54	59.00
LEWIS	TERRY	01-00901	0.00	600.76
Laughlin	Carmine	98-00563	0.00	1,591.65
MALLOY	RITA A	02-00258	1,781.92	365.55
MCCORT	BERNICE	02-00259	2,175.11	90.81
MITCHELL JR.	THOMAS HENRY	02-00233	0.00	68.59
MOSKIEWSKI	JAMES	02-00233	0.00	250.49
MULGREW	TERRANCE	02-00029	0.00	175.05
McGee	Judy	00-38894	1,510.92	0.00
McIntosh	Barbara	96-00053	1,310.92	0.00
Merlo	Charles J.			0.00
		97-00252	265.64	
Morado	Earl	99-00556	1,385.76	0.00
Morris	Donald	00-19814	507.20	0.00
Nelson	Marjorie	97-00733	838.46	332.94
PERRI	LUDMILA	01-00755	0.00	69.29
PFAB	PATRICIA	02-00118	0.00	1,489.69
Perkins	Daniel	00-24704	781.16	0.00
Phipps	Roberta L.	00-32011	1,249.16	0.00
RODDEN	MONA ROSE	02-00174	0.00	811.70
ROOT JR.	JOSEPH	20-00693	2,444.00	475.38
ROSENFELD	DONALD	02-00175	0.00	710.12
Rabin	Stanley	00-30067	1,143.96	0.00
Reis	JoAnn	00-25786	640.00	0.00
Robinson	Velma	99-00625	1,960.12	922.30
Rowlands	Robert C.	96-00446	1,676.04	150.54
Rukavina	David	99-00623	0.00	1,742.53
SEDLAK	BRYAN	01-00061	0.00	90.00
SLOAN	CHARMANE	02-00238	1,069.66	721.54
SNYDER	GLENN	02-00309	3,215.40	0.00
SPATH	HARRY	20-00209	2,029.32	21,095.70
STEIN	RONALD	01-00005	0.00	106.00
Schumacher	Paul	99-00231	2,043.64	128.03
Sedlak	Bryan	99-00230	0.00	-90.00
Stills	Margaret	95-00342	1,018.00	0.00
Strothers	Wilbert	00-25719	1,344.00	331.43
TOMANIO	MARIANNE	02-00223	0.00	152.61
Thrower	Bruce E.	95-00722	1,487.94	512.43

	Thurman	Sterriet	99-00534	0.00	107.00
	Vaughn	Sharon	97-00791	1,436.72	481.75
	WARFIELD	ARNEITTA	02-00180	0.00	348.55
	WEHRING	RAYMOND	02-00207	0.00	647.39
	WHITEHEAD	MATTHEW	01-00373	0.00	68.29
	WINDSOR	HOWARD	02-00266	. 0.00	98.20
	WORKMAN	ROBERT L	02-00267	0.00	431.56
	Weber Jr.	John R.	00-39741	1,577.20	2,888.71
	Weiss	Lisa A.	00-39152	0.00	122.65
	West	Larry D.	96-00349	1,820.12	391.33
	ZIELINSKI	KEVIN	20-00549	1,847.24	449.57
*	TOTALS THIS GRO	IJΡ		83,141.75	73,443.74
	101122 1112 0110	-	PGH FED OF TEACHER		,
	BASS	JUDITH	02-00088	0.00	45.67
	BASS	JUDITH	02-00210	0.00	1,602.83
	BATCHELOR	NADINE	01-00618	0.00	168.44
	BAYNES	ERIC	02-00350	243.65	0.00
	BECKER	CHARLENE	20-00139	0.00	585.74
	BELASCO	MARK	02-00048	0.00	48.12
	BENTLEY SR.	ANTHONY	01-00811	330.00	5,218.83
	BONNER	NORMA	02-00243	0.00	151.38
	BONNER	NORMA J.	01-00682	0.00	101.26
	BOSCO JR.	MICHAEL	02-00190	0.00	1,010.75
	BOSCO, JR	MICHAEL C	02-00253	0.00	776.28
	BURNETT	LORENA	02-00028	0.00	45.57
	Byers	Albert	97-00155	2,168.00	0.00
	Byers	Albert E.	96-01106	0.00	2,107.53
	CROMWELL	JACQUELINE	02-00144	0.00	721.86
	CUPPLES	MARY ANN	01-00857	0.00	50.47
	Cotter	Jack	96-01032	2,108.00	0.00
	ELBLING	JANET	02-00213	0.00	49.47
	FALLS	CYNTHIA	02-00149	0.00	122.70
	FELDMAN	TRUDI	20-00347	0.00	203.61
	FICHTER	CARRIE	02-00095	0.00	68.59
	FLAUS	ROBERT	01-00661	0.00	84.71
	Flynn-Somervi		94-00629	0.00	192.00
	GARGER	IRENE	02-00017	0.00	548.20
	GONOT	KERRI	02-0017	0.00	242.65
	GREER	BARBARA	02-00096	0.00	586.61
	HAUSER JR.	EDWARD	01-00790	0.00	50.47
	HINDS	CAROL	01-00730	0.00	1,928.85
	HOPSON	JENNIFER	02-00157	0.00	920.00
	Hrach	Mary Lou	98-00180	2,244.00	0.00
	IRISH	GLORIA	02-00359	945.70	0.00
	Jacko	Marie	00-38279	0.00	199.85
	Kitner	Maureen	99-00091	0.00	68.00
	LADNER	PAUL	01-00158	11,000.00	128.24
	LANNIS	BARBARA	02-00138	0.00	
	LININGER	DIANA	01-00766	0.00	264.98
	MATVEY	MELISSA	02-00766	0.00	96.62
	MCLINDEN JR.	WILLIAM	02-002/6	0.00	122.70
	MCQUILLAN	RUTHANN	01-00869	2,576.00	4,916.67
	MCQUILLAN MINGRONE	GABRIEL	01-00869	0.00	390.15 85.50
	MINNOCK	LAURIE	01-00893	0.00	66.72
	MUSHRUSH	DAVID	02-00263	0.00	861.41
	11001110011	DAVID	02 00203	0.00	001.41

	Mazzei	Paul	00-38389	1,744.00	1,622.14
	Meldon	Joanne E.	00-39271	1,820.00	0.00
	Muehlbauer	Patricia	00-31965	1,676.00	51.07
	Myrick	Anne	00-00327	748.00	0.00
	NEELY	ANNE	02-00131	0.00	49.47
	NERO	BEVERLY	02-00200	0.00	168.34
	NIZINSKI	MARRILYN	02-00318	0.00	924.58
	Neal	Joan	00-38612	120.00	0.00
	O'HALLORAN	MARY ANN	02-00170	0.00	68.59
	PATTERSON	CYNTHIA	01-00895	0.00	36.00
	PICCOLA	ROSALIE	20-00635	0.00	304.00
	PONAS	GLENN J.	02-00274	0.00	1,149.41
	Peresman	Faye	00-31698	1,596.00	50.00
	RAWLS	DWAYNE	01-00237	0.00	-108.39
	REDDICK	PAMELA	02-00264	0.00	500.20
	RICHARDS	RENEE	02-00173	0.00	3,465.94
	ROEBUCK	KENNETH	01-00673	0.00	513.90
	ROSBOROUGH	MICHAEL	01-00047	0.00	745.91
	ROSBOROUGH	MICHAEL	02-00065	0.00	814.00
	ROUSE	CARLA DENISE	02-00237	0.00	453.19
	RUSSELL	DANIELLE	20-00115	0.00	116.21
	SAMARCO	PHYLLIS	01-00300	0.00	123.93
	SCIOMACCO	MICHAEL	02-00040	0.00	1,829.94
	SELLARO	KIM STEVEN	02-00265	0.00	1,647.93
	SHARKEY	PATRICE	01-00700	0.00	2,528.21
	SMITH	GARY	01-00684	0.00	579.92
	SPEICHER	SHARON	02-00031	0.00	68.59
	Schulz	Paul	97-00103	1,490.28	800.00
	Semow	Philip	00-31860	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	
	Tristano	Raymond E.		1,388.00	0.00
	VANORNER	SUSAN	00-26779	0.00	551.20
			02-00136	0.00	1,708.65
	WALL	MILONA	02-00115	0.00	192.30
	WESTCOTT	VALERIE	01-00882	0.00	66.87
	WILLIAMS	LARRY	02-00138	0.00	449.81
	WILSON	SARAH	02-00116	0.00	125.28
	YOUNG	CYNTHIA	01-00900	0.00	412.33
	Zogas	Angela	00-26469	1,280.00	0.00
*	TOTALS THIS GRO	OUP		33,477.63	46,842.95
			LOCAL 2924 AFSCME		,
	ADAMSKI	DARLENE	02-00227	0.00	88.44
	FENWICK	VICTORIA	02-00150	851.22	1,472.16
	JONES	CORNELL	02-00256	0.00	938.23
	Lee	Elaine F.	00-38613	1,080.04	1,865.40
	PURTELL	PATRICIA	02-00119	0.00	2,800.56
	Sacco	Linda	96-00354	0.00	1,085.64
	TAYLOR	CHARLOTTE	02-00279	0.00	157.12
*	TOTALS THIS GR	OUP		1,931.26	8,407.55
			SUPPORT		
	Scoggins	James Edward	00-39148	1,120.00	0.00
	WAGNER	NICHOLAS	01-00368	0.00	418.74
	WAGNER	NICHOLAS	01-00370	2,428.32	837.48

*	TOTALS THIS GROU	D		3,548.32	1,256.22
•	TOTALS THIS GROU.	r	PFT PARAPROFESSIONA	•	1,230.22
	AGUGLIA	BIAGLO	02-00140	0.00	1,147.63
	ALEXANDER	DENISE	02-00077	0.00	318.65
	BROWN	SONDRA	01-00053	0.00	1,831.21
	CAHILL	HELEN	20-00429	1,272.92	18.38
	CALABRESE	BRAD	02-00122	0.00	582.64
	CASSIDY	LATISHA	02-00123	0.00	535.64
	CENA	JOHN	99-00692	0.00	280.20
	COATES	AUBREY	02-00212	0.00	278.48
	COSBY	CARMELLA	02-00353	505.60	0.00
	COX	REGINALD	01-00530	0.00	115.37
	Capes	Linda	00-40322	1,196.32	0.00
	DENNISON	REGINALD	01-00312	1,700.44	1,430.90
	DINARDO	JANET	01-00747	1,288.00	809.08
	Dedo	Beverly	96-00851	0.00	1,602.80
	Dedo	Beverly Ann	00-32030	1,118.44	73.50
	DiNardo	Janet	97-00212	0.00	44.55
	EDWARDS	BRENDA	02-00053	0.00	567 <i>.</i> 17
	EIBECK	ROXANNA	02-00148	0.00	1,329.82
	ELLWOOD	EDWARD	02-00127	0.00	363.95
	FILLIP	STEVE	02-00127	0.00	68.59
	FORISKA	MIKE	20-00196	1,913.00	282.50
	Festor	Beverly	99-00340		
	GARNETT	PATRICIA		0.00	181.70
	GIRVIN		20-00729	1,222.00	201.04
		RITA	01-00414	1,605.00	3,448.10
	HAIGH	ALVERA	02-00209	189.16	924.61
	HARRIS	KARYN	01-00778	0.00	10.62
	HINTZ	PAMELA	02-00128	0.00	698.24
	HOPSON	TYRONE	01-00744	0.00	50.47
	HUNT	RONALD	02-00057	1,509.88	50.47
	HUNT SR.	RONALD J.	01-00804	0.00	475.03
	Harris	Darlene V.	95-00504	64,714.86	0.00
	Hurt	Richard	99-00348	1,984.00	533.57
	LASH	RUTH	02-00183	0.00	2,075.32
	LELLOCK	ROBERT	02-00216	0.00	503.42
	LINDSEY	WILLIAM	02-00340	553.40	0.00
	LIVSEY	DELORIS	01-00767	0.00	240.00
	MCKISSICK	MIKELLE	02-00166	0.00	1,714.55
	MORANT-PORTER	JENNIFER	02-00249	0.00	73.80
	Mihalko	Pauline	97-00936	1,151.80	0.00
	Miller	Margaret J.	00-21862	559.28	0.00
	Mukwita	Josephine	95-00541	305.84	735.75
	Nickel	William	00-22575	574.68	374.40
	PANZA	TONA	02-00329	472.90	0.00
	PAWLING	JAMES	01-00733	0.00	65.13
	PAYNE	BARBARA	02-00062	0.00	68.59
	SANTA	BETH	02-00204	0.00	741.27
	SCHACHNER	SALLY	01-00336	0.00	190.00
	SFANOS	MARIA	02-00032	0.00	249.07
	Simmons	Julia Anne	94-00689	1,001.56	524.38
	TABB	PAMELA	02-00070	0.00	49.47
	THOMAS	LAMONT C.	02-00247	0.00	152.04
	THORNTON	PATRICIA A	02-00277	0.00	79.53
	TILLMAN	VALERIE	01-00916	0.00	66.72
	TOLLIVER	LINDA	20-00905	4,879.16	0.00
	UPSHAW	JOYCE	01-00796	0.00	399.56

	YOUNG	DENA	02-00139	0.00	596.83
*	TOTALS THIS GRO			89,718.24	27,154.74
		E	BLDG & CONST TRADES	3	
	BENTLEY SR.	ANTHONY	20-00308	1,828.52	0.00
	BURNS	DANIEL	01-00503	2,576.00	808.00
	CAPO	ROBERT J.	20-00839	0.00	537.14
	JACKSON	ANDREW	01-00798	0.00	80.17
	JESSUP	CHARLES	02-00129	0.00	221.88
	Keenan	Gary E.	00-37814	0.00	61.00
	MARKOWSKI	LARRY	01-00613	0.00	69.29
	Marcus	Sidney	00-27321	1,388.00	0.00
	Mulgrew	Terrance Lee	00-31089	0.00	436.59
	PRENDERGAST	WILLIAM	02-00252	0.00	1,094.66
	Rizzo	Mathilda	00-00004	748.00	0.00
*	TOTALS THIS GRO	UP		6,540.52	3,308.73
			ADMINISTRATIVE		
	DAVIS	HARRY	20-00219	2,444.00	0.00
	LEWIS	LYNDA R.	02-00305	0.00	167.02
			•		
*	TOTALS THIS GRO	UP		2,444.00	167.02
			TECH-CLERICAL PFT		
	Kreamer	George	97-00990	0.00	53.57
	T0T110				
*	TOTALS THIS GRO	UP		0.00	53.57
*	* GRAND TOTALS			222,960.96	164,403.32

### CUMULATIVE EXPENDITURES

	JULY 1, 2002 Thru JUNE, 2002	JULY 1, 2001 Thru JUNE, 2001
Compensation Medical	2,820,471.76 1,596,405.12	2,088,756.76 1,494,215.24
* * Total	4,416,876.88	3,582,972.00

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# **HUMAN RESOURCES REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS**

### **REPORT NO. 4645**

#### July 24, 2002

From the Superintendent of Schools

to

The Board of Public Education

#### **Directors:**

The following personnel changes are recommended for the action of the Board.

All promotions listed in these minutes are subject to the provisions of Board Rules.

### A. New Appointments

### Salaried Employees

<u>Nam</u>	<u>e</u>	<u>Position</u>	Salary per month	<u>Date</u>	Incre
	Brandt, Scott Femporary Professional)	South Vo-Tech	\$ 3725.00 (I-02)	8-28-02	Feb., 2003
	Byford, Carletta Probationary)	Student Data Systems Specialist Fort Pitt	\$ 1997.25 (07-01)	8-15-02	Nov., 200
	Iorne, Christopher Femporary Professional)	King	\$ 3725.00 (I-02)	8-28-02	Feb., 2003
	lomea, Kathryn Femporary Professional)	Options Center	\$ 3870.00 (1-03)	8-28-02	Sept., 2003

## **Hourly Employees**

<u>Name</u>	Position	Rate per hour	<u>Date</u>
5. Harangozo, Emily	Supervisory Aide I Washington Polytech	\$ 6.02	9-3-02

# B. Reassignments From Leave of Absence

## Salaried Employees

<u>Name</u>	<b>Position</b>	Salary per month	<u>Date</u>	Increment
1. Adams, Patricia	Teacher Brashear	\$ 6790.00 (II-10)	8-28-02	
2. Antrom, Barbara	Teacher McNaugher	\$ 6790.00 (II-10)	8-28-02	
3. Carmen, Julie	Teacher Dilworth	\$ 4265.00 (I-06)	8-28-02	Fe'
4. Casey, Mary Lee	Educational Assistant I School Support Aide Greenfield	\$ 2093.00 (61-02)	6-3-02	
5. Cooney, Kathleen	Teacher Woolslair	\$ 6790.00 (II-10)	8-28-02	
6. Durkin, Daniel	Teacher Carrick	\$ 4830.00 (II-09)	8-28-02	Nov., 2002
7. Garrett, Helen	Teacher Vann	\$ 6790.00 (II-10)	8-28-02	
8. Jenkins, Maxine	Teacher Reizenstein	\$ 6790.00 (II-10)	8-28-02	
9. Lees, Jack	Teacher Greenway	\$ 6790.00 (II-10)	8-28-02	

10.	Lyall, Jacqueline	Teacher	\$ 6910.00	8-28-02	
		Woolslair	(IV-10)		
11.	Needle, Myra	Teacher	\$ 6790.00	8-28-02	
		Knoxville Middle	(II-10)		
12.	Peters, Stewart	Teacher	\$ 4110.00	8-28-02	Sept., 2002
		Fulton	(II-03)		•
13.	Poillucci, Amy	Teacher	\$ 4515.00	8-28-02	Nov., 2002
	, •	Washington Polytech	(II-06)		,
14.	Pope, Terea	Teacher	\$ 3870.00	8-28-02	Sept., 2002
	•	Madison	<b>(I-03)</b>		- '
15.	Seymour, Beth Ann	Teacher	\$ 6790.00	8-28-02	
	• ,	Pgh. Classical Academy	(II-10)		
		•			
16.	Snyder-Sparrow,	Teacher	\$ 6790.00	8-28-02	
	Satara	Reizenstein	(II-10)		
17.	Tyler, Jennifer	Teacher	\$ 6790.00	8-28-02	
		Northview Heights	(II-10)		

# C. Full-Time Substitute Teachers

Name	Position	Salary per month	<u>Date</u>
1. Baichoo, Taysarie	Westinghouse	\$ 3440.00 (70-01)	4-8-02
2. Chieke, Patricia	Pgh. Classical Academy	\$ 3440.00 (70-01)	4-22-02
3. Cugini, Christina	Linden	\$ 3440.00 (70-01)	4-22-02
4. Francis, Kerry	Frick	\$ 3440.00 (70-01)	4-2-02
5. Gillette, Jill	Prospect Middle	\$ 3440.00 (70-01)	4-3-02

6.	Gramlich, Amanda	Madison	\$ 3440.00 (70-01)	4-15-02
7.	Henry, Cynthia	Concord	\$ 3510.00 (70-02)	4-18-02
8.	Hicks, Angela	Northview	\$ 3440.00 (70-01)	4-10-02
9.	Kunkel, Kelly	Minadeo	\$ 3440.00 (70-01)	4-16-02
10.	Murphy, Jennifer	Madison	\$ 3440.00 (70-01)	4-15-02
11.	Oliver, Shawn	Fort Pitt	\$ 3725.00 (70-03)	4-17-02
12.	Teti, Frank	Brashear	\$ 3440.00 (70-01)	4-16-02
13.	Wetzel, Kathleen	Fulton	\$ 3440.00 (70-01)	4-14-02

# D. Part -Time Substitute Teachers (No Action)

# E. <u>Day-To-Day Substitute Teachers</u>

<u>Name</u>	<u>Position</u>	Rate per dav	<u>Date</u>
1. Aarons, Monretta	LPN Instructor Connelley	\$ 105.50	6-20-02
2. Aldom, Kate	LPN Instructor Connelley	\$ 105.50	6-17-02
3. DeRiso, Marie	Nurse Substitute	\$ 123.50	6-24-02

4.	Friedman, Leila	Teacher Substitute	\$ 117.00	6-24-02
5.	Turner, Derrick	Teacher Substitute	\$ 55.00	9-3-02

# F. Reinstatements (No Action)

# G. Retirements

<u>Name</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>Date</u>	Reason
1. Arndt, Russell	Teacher Carmalt	6-20-02	Disability Ret. Allowan
2. Banaszak, Alberta	Teacher Beltzhoover	6-20-02	Ret. Allowance
3. Berdnik, Martha	Teacher Sterrett	7-17-02	Ret. Allowanc
4. Blango, Eula	Teacher Burgwin	5-13-02	Ret. Allowance
5. Burns, Sally	Education Assistant I, School Support Aide, Phillip Murray	6-20-02	Ret. Allowance
6. Citron, Linda	Teacher Friendship	6-20-02	Ret. Allowance
7. Crable, Sarah	Teacher Peabody	6-20-02	Ret. Allowance
8. Flatley, John	District Facilities Coordinator Facilities	6-28-02	Disability Ret. Allowance

9.	Harrison, Richard	Teacher Sterrett	6-20-02	Ret. Allowance
10.	Kruse, Billie Jean	Purchasing Support Manager, Purchasing	8-5-02	Ret. Allowance
11.	Lach, Theresa	Teacher Langley	6-20-02	Ret. Allowance
12.	Lear, Jerald	Custodian 5 Chartiers	8-16-02	Ret. Allowance
13.	Mazer, Richard	Teacher Arlington Elementary	6-20-02	Disability Ret. Allowance
14.	McGee, John	Plumber Section on Maintenance	9-4-02	Ret. Allowance
15.	Muha, Arla	Teacher South Vo-Tech	6-20-02	Ret. Allowance
16.	Nelson, Dorlan	Security Aide School Safety	6-20-02	Ret. Allowance
17.	Rubanoff, Anita	Clerk Stenographer Instructional Support	6-28-02	Ret. Allowance
18.	Spears, Norma	Supervisory Aide II Burgwin	6-18-02	Ret. Allowance
19.	Straker, Paul	Teacher Burgwin	5-15-02	Disability Ret. Allowance
20.	Waclawski, John	Teacher Perry	6-20-02	Ret. Allowance
21.	Warych, Victor	Teacher Allderdice	6-20-02	Ret. Allowance
22.	Webb, George	Teacher Westinghouse	6-20-02	Ret. Allowance
23.	Williams, Lolene	Education Assistant I, School Support Aide, Colfax	6-20-02	Ret. Allowanc

# H. Resignations

Name	<u>Position</u>	<u>Date</u>	Reason
1. Alex, Margaret	Teacher Frick	6-20-02	Early Ret. Allowance
2. Armstrong, Diana	Principal Morningside	6-28-02	Early Ret. Allowance
3. Best, Virginia	Teacher Beechwood	6-20-02	Early Ret. Allowance
3. Bleckman, Stewart	Teacher South Vo-Tech	6-28-02	Early Ret. Allowance
4. Byford, Carletta	Student Data Systems Specialist (Temporary) Allderdice	7-5-02	Other work
5. Cagley, Judith	Teacher Westwood	6-20-02	Early Ret. Allowance
6. Desguin, Sean	Itinerant Teacher Instructional Support	6-20-02	Other work
7. DeRiso, Marie	School Nurse Health Services	6-20-02	Early Ret. Allowance
8. DeVinney, Larry	Teacher Reizenstein	7-29-02	Early Ret. Allowance
9. Dorfzaun, Andrea	Reading Coach Milliones	6-20-02	Leaving the City
10. Edwards, June	Teacher Peabody	6-20-02	Other Work
11. Farrell, Margaret	Teacher Minadeo	6-20-02	Early Ret. Allowance
12. Gaal, Roxanne	Teacher Carrick	6-20-02	Early Ret. Allowance
13. Halpern, Jerome	Teacher Langley	6-27-02	Early Ret. Allowance

14.	Harris, Darlene	Security Aide School Safety	5-14-02	Early Ret. Allowance
15.	Harrison, Stacy	Teacher .5Peabody/.5 Allderdice	6-20-02	Personal reasons
16.	Hartz, Mary Jane	Teacher Pgh. Gifted Center	6-20-02	Early Ret. Allowance
17.	Hines, Brian	Academic Counselor Peabody	7-2-02	Other Work
18.	Howard, Samuel	Principal Overbrook	6-27-02	Early Ret. Allowance
19.	Hrynda, Joan	Teacher Overbrook	6-20-02	Early Ret. Allowance
20.	Jones, Beatrice	Teacher Minadeo	6-20-02	Early Ret. Allowance
21.	Madono, Kathryn	Teacher Frick	6-20-02	Personal reasons
22.	Monroe, Nikki	Assistant Principal Reizenstein	7-2-02	Other work
23.	Neiberg, Laurence	Teacher Allderdice	6-20-02	Early Ret. Allowanc
24.	Niepp, Sherry	Principal Allegheny Traditional Elementary	6-18-02	Early Ret. Allowance
25.	Parshall, Cheryl	Teacher Schenley	6-20-02	Early Ret. Allowance
26.	Rose, Gail	Teacher Carrick	6-20-02	Early Ret. Allowance
27.	Smith, Jerry	Teacher Langley	6-20-02	Early Ret. Allowance
28.	Stemley, Calvin	Teacher Westinghouse	6-20-02	Early Ret. Allowance

29.	Stephens, Harry	Teacher Perry	6-20-02	Early Ret. Allowance
30.	Tirpak, Cynthia	Teacher Stevens	6-20-02	Early Ret. Allowance
31.	Zundel-Beaman, Andrea	Preschool Teacher III Early Intervention - Program for Students with Exceptionalities	6-20-02	Other Work

# I. Terminations

Name	<b>Position</b>	<u>Date</u>	Reason
1. Anderson, Donald	Teacher Substitute	6-20-02	Own request
2. Arlet, Chandra	Teacher Substitute	6-20-02	Own request
3. Briston, Shalynne	Teacher Substitute	6-20-02	Own request
4. Burns, Robert	Teacher Substitute	6-20-02	Own request
5. Carpenter, Jennifer	Teacher Substitute	6-20-02	Own request
6. Fire, Tami	Teacher Substitute	6-20-02	Own request
7. Flor, Michael	Teacher Substitute	6-20-02	Own request
8. Floyd, Muriel	Teacher Substitute	6-20-02	Own request
9. Gold, Erika	Teacher Substitute	6-20-02	Own request
10. Henke, Timothy	Teacher Substitute	6-20-02	Own request

11.	Horne, Jamie	Teacher Substitute	6-20-02	Own request
12.	Janosik, Jessica	Teacher Substitute	6-20-02	Own request
13.	Lambert, Heather	Teacher Substitute	6-20-02	Own request
14.	Ludwig-Leheny, Susan	Teacher Substitute	6-20-02	Own request
15.	Martin, Mary Lou	Teacher Substitute	6-20-02	Own request
16.	McGuire, Mindy	Teacher Substitute	6-20-02	Own request
17.	McPherson, Tamar	Teacher Substitute	6-20-02	Own request
18.	Michel, Catherine	Teacher Substitute	6-20-02	Own request
19.	Miller, Christine	Teacher Substitute	6-20-02	Own request
20.	Minehan, Elizabeth	Teacher Substitute	6-20-02	Own request
21.	Purtell, James	Teacher Substitute	6-20-02	Own request
22.	Seymour, Henry	Teacher Substitute	5-23-02	Own request
23.	Sovchen, Alexia	Teacher Substitute	6-20-02	Own request
24.	Tomredle, Kerri	Teacher Substitute	6-20-02	Own request
25.	. White, Julie	Teacher Substitute	6-20-02	Own request

# J. Full-Time Substitutes Released

Na	<u>me</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>Date</u>
1.	Baichoo, Taysarie	Westinghouse	6-20-02
2.	Bey, Nabila	Letsche	6-20-02
3.	Chieke, Patricia	Pgh. Classical Academy	6-20-02
4.	Cugini, Christina	Linden	6-20-02
5.	Donahoe, Patricia	Beechwood	6-20-02
6.	Gillette, Jill	Prospect Middle	6-20-02
7.	Hicks, Angela	Northview Heights	6-20-02
8.	Holmes, Katherine	Westinghouse	6-20-02
9.	Jones, Autumn	Arsenal	6-20-02
10.	Kunkel, Kelly	Minadeo	6-20-02
11.	Murphy, Jennifer	Madison	6-20-02
12.	Nickson, Kenneth	Milliones	6-20-02
13.	Oliver, Shawn	Fort Pitt	6-20-02
14.	Teti, Frank	Brashear	6-20-02
15.	Wetzel, Kathleen	Fulton	6-20-02

# K. Part-Time Substitutes Released (No Action)

# L. Sabbatical Leaves of Absence

<u>Name</u>	<b>Position</b>	<u>Dates</u>	Reason
1. Annonio, Dewain	Teacher Reizenstein	8-28-02 to 2-3-03	Health
2. DelGrosso, Richard	Teacher Frick	8-28-02 to 2-3-03	Health
3. Mercer, Nada	Teacher Roosevelt	8-28-02 to 6-19-03	Health
4. Riner, Louise	Teacher Langley	8-28-02 to 3-6-03	Health
5. Schmitt, Allyssa	Teacher Mann	8-28-02 to 6-19-03	Professional development
6. Smith, James	Teacher Reizenstein	8-28-02 to 2-3-03	Health

# M. Leaves of Absence

Name	<u>Position</u>	<u>Dates</u>	Reason
1. Abajian, Camberly	Family Advocate Head Start	9-3-02 to 3-1-03	Study
2. Byrne, Michon	Teacher Fort Pitt	8-28-02 to 6-19-03	Personal reasons
3. Christian, Cara	Teacher Concord	8-28-02 to 6-19-03	Personal reasons
4. Cirilano, Jeanne	Teacher .5 Madison	8-28-02 to 2-8-03	Personal reasons
5. Colon, Joanne	Teacher Frick	8-28-02 to 12-3-02	Personal reasons
6. Eng, Lynda	Teacher Allegheny Middle	8-28-02 to 6-19-03	Personal reasons

7.	Morris, Jerone	Teacher Lincoln	8-28-02 to 6-19-03	Study
8.	O'Brien, Trivona	Food Service Worker South Brook	6-3-02 to 6-18-02	Health
9.	Pellegrini, Beth	Teacher Knoxville Middle	8-28-02 to 6-19-03	Personal reasons
10.	Perhach, Jacqueline	Teacher Schenley	9-3-02 to 9-3-03	Other Work (Charter School,
11.	Reese, Robert	Teacher Weil	8-28-02 to 6-19-03	Personal reasons
12.	Repko, Nancy	Teacher Allegheny Elementary	8-28-02 to 3-1-03	Personal reasons
13.	Savido, Linda	Teacher Westinghouse	8-28-02 to 8-28-04	Other work (Charter School)
14.	Tillman, Monica	Intervention Specialist Student Services	8-28-02 to 2-3-03	Personal reason

# N. <u>Transfers from Temporary Professional to Professional Status</u> (No Action)

## O. Transfers From One Position to Another Without Change of Salary

<u>Name</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>Date</u>
1. Abelson, Lu Ann	Teacher, South Hills to Teacher, Chief Academic Office – Instructional Support	8-28-02
2. Arthur, Kay	Social Worker, Roosevelt/Beechwood/ Prospect Elementary/ Concord/ Arlington Elementary to Social Worker, Roosevelt (New)	8-23-02
3. Berta, Roseann	Teacher, .5 Greenway/.5 Prospect Middle to Teacher, Washington Polytech	8-28-02

4.	Como, Patricia	Teacher, West Liberty to Teacher, Brookline	8-28-02
5.	Coyne, Brendan	Counselor, ATCD to Counselor, Pgh. CAPA	8-23-02
6.	Curtin, Margaret	Teacher, Friendship to Teacher, McCleary	8-28-02
7.	DeFilippo, Darlene	Instructional Teacher Leader, Carmalt - \$ 150 per month select teacher differential to Teacher, Carmalt + \$ 30 per month special education differential	8-28-02
8.	DeIuliis, Alfonzo	Teacher, Roosevelt to Teacher Roosevelt (New)	8-28-02
9.	DiFranco, Anita	Social Worker, .6 Morningside/.4 Sunnyside to Social Worker, .6 Morningside/.2 Sunnsyside/.2 Spring Garden	8-23-02
10.	Donnelly, Gail	Teacher, Overbrook to Teacher, Roosevelt(New)	8-28-02
11.	Eleam, Linda	Teacher, King to Teacher Reizenstein	8-28-02
12.	Gattuso, June	Student Data Systems Specialist, .5 Spring Hill/.5 Banksville to Student Data Systems Specialist, Beechwood	8-28-02
13.	Griffin, Mary	School Clerk, Fort Pitt to School Clerk, Belmar	8-22-02
14.	Griffin, Patricia	Teacher, Sterrett to Teacher, South Vo-Tech	8-28-02
15.	Hall, Ken	Teacher, .6 Sunnyside/.4 Westwood to Teacher, Sunnyside	8-28-02
16.	Henry, Jack	Counselor, .6 Mifflin/.4 Chartiers to Counselor, .2 Mifflin/.4 Chartiers/.4 Westwood	8-23-02
17.	James, Malik	Student Data Systems Specialist, Madison to Student Data Systems Specialist, .5 Madison/.5 Belmar	8-15-02
18.	Jemison, Theda	Counselor, .5 Washington Polytech/ .5 Pgh. Classical Academy to .5 Washington Polytech/ . 5 Madison	8-23-02
19.	Jones, Tamika	Social Worker, .4 Chatham/.2 Sheraden/ .2 Banksville/.2 West Liberty to Social Worker, .4 Chatham/.4 Sheraden/.2 Banksville	8-23-02

20. Katrencik, Joseph	Teacher, .4 Woolslair/.2 McCleary/ .4 Washington Polytech to Teacher, Reizenstein	8-28-02
21. Kocher, Frank	Teacher, Pgh. Classical Academy to Teacher, South Hills Middle	8-28-02
22. Lewis, Yvette	Educational Assistant I – School Support Aide, Crescent to Educational Assistant I – School Support Aide, Allderdice	8-29-02
23. Lyall, Jacqueline	Extended Day Instructional Teacher, Westinghouse to Teacher, Woolslair - \$ 200 per month select teacher differential and - \$ 190 per month extended day differential	8-28-02
24. Lyons, Paul	Counselor, Arsenal to Counselor, .5 Prospect Middle/.5 Arlington Middle	8-23-02
25. Martin, Stephanie	Teacher, Woolslair to Teacher, Spring Garden	8-28-02
26. McLaughlin, Cheryl	Social Worker, Regent Square to Social Worker, .5 Regent Square/.5 Lemington	8-23-02
27. McManus, Irene	School Secretary I, .5 Phillips/.5 Overbrook Elementary to School Secretary I, Phillips	8-22-02
28. Medvid, Louise	Teacher, .5 Banksville to Teacher, Banksville	8-28-02
29. Nellis-Fogel, Bernadette	Social Worker, .4Greenway/.2Whittier/ .4 Westwood to Social Worker, Greenway	8-23-02
30. Pezze, Tara	Teacher, Perry to Teacher, .6 Schaeffer/ .4 Mann	8-28-02
31. Pickle, Gena	Teacher, Greenway to Teacher, Manchester	8-28-02
32. Rayzer, LaSaune	Counselor, .5 Linden/.5 Perry to Counselor, Linden	8-23-02
33. Redding, Beth	Teacher, .5 Greenway/.5 Pgh. Classical Academy to Teacher, Greenway	8-28-02
34. Relihan, Michaela	Teacher, Sunnyside to Teacher, Chartiers	8-28-02
35. Reynolds, Beverly	Teacher, Clayton to Teacher, Lemington	8-28-02
36. Simone, Deborah	Teacher, Sunnyside to Teacher, Milliones	8-28-02

37.	Spadone, Maureen	Teacher, Allegheny Traditional – Elementary to Teacher, Vann	8-28-02
38.	Stephens, Ruthie	Teacher, Reizenstein to Teacher, McCleary	8-28-02
39.	Stypula, Michael	Teacher, Homewood Montessori to Teacher, Grandview	8-28-02
40.	Sumler-Wooten, Edith	Counselor, Lemington to Counselor, Perry	8-23-02
41.	Swinehart, Suzanne	Speech/Language Specialist, Program for Students with Exceptionalities to Speech/Language Specialist, Conroy	8-28-02
42.	Taliaferro, Judy	School Supply Clerk II, .5 Knoxville/ .5 Reizenstein to School Supply Clerk II, Reizenstein	8-22-02
43.	Tew, Jean	Teacher, Instructional Support to Teacher, Spring Garden	8-28-02
44.	Trovato, Carmen	Teacher, Arsenal to Teacher, Milliones	8-29-02
45.	Twyman, Hugh	Teacher, Lemington to Teacher, Reizenstein	8-28-02
46.	Valinsky, Bruce	Teacher, Chatham to Teacher, Allderdice	8-28-02
47.	Verzella, Judith	Teacher, Knoxville Middle to Teacher, Clayton	8-28-02
48.	Wantorek, Michael	Teacher, Fort Pitt to Teacher, Carmalt	8-28-02
49.	West, Francine	Counselor, .5 Madison/.5 Belmar to Counselor, Belmar	8-23-02
50.	Williams, Kim	Student Data Systems Specialist, Lincoln to Student Data Systems Specialist, .6 Lincoln/.4 Chatham	8-15-02
51.	Wilson, Sarah	Teacher, Allegheny Traditional Academy - Elementary to Teacher/Reading Replacement Teacher, .5 East Hills/.5 Pioneer/McNaugher	8-28-02

## **Hourly Employees**

Na	<u>ime</u>	Position	<u>Date</u>
52.	Monahan, Lisa	Cafeteria Manager, Letsche to Cafeteria Manager, Food Service Center	7-25-02
53.	Parrish, Carole	Supervisory Aide I, Liberty to Supervisory Aide I, Sterrett	7-25-02
54.	Schallus, Mary Ann	Relief Cafeteria Manager, Food Service Center to Cafeteria Manager, Peabody	7-25-02
55.	Zagwoski, Christine	Supervisory Aide I, King to Supervisory Aide I, Schiller	7-25-02

## P. Transfers From One Position to Another With Change of Salary

## **Salaried Employees**

Teacher, .5 Greenway (I-01) change to Teacher, Greenway	Name and Position	Salary per month	<u>Date</u>	<u>Vice</u>	Increment
Technology Systems Specialist, .5 Concord/ .5 Prospect Middle to Technology Systems Specialist, .4 Concord  3. Graff, Mandy Assistant Teacher, Conroy to Classsroom Assistant, Conroy  4. Harp, Verrena Educational Assistant I, In-House Suspension, Frick to Classroom Assistant,  (32-04)  (32-04)  (32-04)  (63-04)  8-29-02  Vacancy  Vacancy  Vacancy	Teacher, .5 Greenway		8-28-02		Sept., 2002
Assistant Teacher, (63-04) Conroy to Classsroom Assistant, Conroy  4. Harp, Verrena \$ 2387.00 8-29-02 Vacancy Educational Assistant I, (63-04) In-House Suspension, Frick to Classroom Assistant,	Technology Systems Specialist, .5 Concord/ .5 Prospect Middle to Technology Systems	<del>-</del>	8-29-02		Sept., 2002
Educational Assistant I, (63-04) In-House Suspension, Frick to Classroom Assistant,	Assistant Teacher, Conroy to Classsroom	•	8-29-02	Vacancy	
17	Educational Assistant I, In-House Suspension, Frick to Classroom Assistant,	•		Vacancy	

5.	Hicks, Saundra Clerk Stenographer, Chief Academic Office – Instructional Support to Account Clerk, Food Service	\$ 2519.65 (06-08)	8-5-02	Mingone transferred	
6.	Lane, Richard Teacher, .5 Peabody to Teacher .5 South Vo-Tech/.5 Peabody	\$ 3510.00 (I-01)	8-28-02	Welsh transferred/ Schedule change	Sept., 2002
7.	Pellow, Lory Preschool Teacher III, Early Intervention – PSE to Teacher (Temporary Professional), Conroy	\$ 4230.00 (II-04)	8-28-02	Vacancy	Sept., 2003
8.	Rice-Giesey, Elizabeth Assistant Teacher, Conroy to Classroom Assistant, Conroy	\$ 2387.00 (60-07)	8-29-02	Vacancy	
9.	Roney, Tracy Classroom Assistant, Conroy to Assistatant Teacher – TMR, Conroy	\$ 2644.00 (64-04)	8-29-02	Vacancy	
10.	Stone, Milana Clerk Typist, Food Service to Account Clerk, Food Service	\$ 2461.18 (06-07)	7-26-02	Pacini retired	Nov., 2003

### **Hourly Employees**

Na	ame and Position	Rate per hour	<u>Date</u>	<u>Vice</u>
11.	Grebner, Nina Light Cleaner, Brookline to Auto Equipment Operator I, General Services	\$ 16.99	7-29-02	Williams promoted

### Q. Supplemental Appointments

#### Office of Human Resources

It is recommended:

- 1. That the Board rescind the appointment of Patricia Sharkey to work as a summer school teacher in the program during the period of July 1, 2002 through August 2, 2002.
- 2. That the Board approve the appointment of Terry Cowden to work as a summer school teacher is the program during the period of July 1, 2002 through August 2, 2002.
- 3. That the following persons be approved to work in the Early Intervention Preschool Program at Carmalt Elementary School if funded and with sufficient enrollment during the period of July 8, 2002 through August 2, 2002 at the regular salary pro rata:

#### **Teachers**

- a) Hughes, Bernadette
- 4. That the following persons are approved to work in the Secondary Summer School Program, subject to call as needed, during the period of July 8, 2002 through August 2, 2002 at one month's salary, if employed on a full time basis:

#### **Teachers**

- a) Haduch, Stanley
- 5. That the following persons are approved to work in the Extended School Year Program for eligible students in the Severely Emotionally Disturbed Program at McNaugher Education Center, if funded and with sufficient enrollment during the period of July 1, 2002 through August 2, 2002, at the regular salary pro rata:

#### **Teachers**

- a) Grusch, Katherine
- 6. That the following persons are approved to work in the Middle Summer School Program at Arsenal Middle School, if funded and with sufficient enrollment, during the period of July 1, 2002 through August 1, 2002 at the regular salary, pro rata:

#### **Teachers**

a) Navarro, Raymond

- 7. That the Board rescind the appointment of Deborah Cook to work as a summer school Reading Coach in the program during the period of June 26, 2002 through August 1, 2002.
- 8. That the Board rescind the appointment of Gary Schermer to work as a summer school teacher in the program during the period of July 1, 2002 through August 2, 2002.
- 9. That the Board rescind the appointment of Joseph Cywinski to work as a summer school teacher in the program during the period of July 1, 2002 through August 2, 2002.

#### R. Miscellaneous Recommendations

### Office of Human Resources

It is recommended:

1. That the Board approve leaves of absence with loss of pay for the following person(s):

Name	<b>Position</b>	<u>Dates</u>	Reason
a) Bateman, Gwyneth	Teacher South Brook	6-14-02 to 6-20-02	P· r
b) Beddard, Michael	Auto Equipment Operator I General Services	5-11-02 to 6-20-02	ánn
c) Berdnik, Martha	Teacher Sterrett	6-20-02 to 7-17-02	Person: reasons
d) Delaney, Toni	School Support Clerk Chief Academic Office	6-19-02 to 7-5-02	Health
e) DeVinney, Larry	Teacher Reizenstein	6-20-02 to 7-29-02	Person reason
f) Gardner, Patricia	Teacher Brookline	5-20-02 to 6-20-02	Person reason
g) Neuhart, Dawna	Teacher Northview Heights	5-10-02 to 6-20-02	Person res
h) Nolf, Michael	Teacher King	6-12-02 to 6-20-02	Heatti

i)	Pope, Terea	Teacher Madison	5-11-02 to 6-20-02	Persona reasons
j)	Sledge, Amye	Teacher Chatham	5-3-02 to 6-20-02	Persona reasons
k)	Wilkins, Theresa	School Supply Clerk II Westinghouse	5-28-02 to 7-1-02	Health

#### 2. That the Board approve leaves of absence without loss of pay for the following person(s):

Name	Position	<u>Dates</u>	Reason
a) Anderson, Lucretia	School Nurse Health Services	6-17-02 to 6-20-02	Military duty
b) Garcia, Meiko	Teacher Belmar	6-3-02 to 6-20-02	Military duty
c) Moore, Dave	Help Desk Specialist Office of Technology	6-20-02 to 6-28-02	Mil: dui
d) O'Connor, Joseph	Heavy Cleaner Burgwin	7-16-02 to 8-5-02	Military duty

#### 3. That the Board approve leaves of absence with loss of pay for the following person(s):

<u>Name</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>Dates</u>	Reasn
a) O'Connor, Joseph	Heavy Cleaner Burgwin	8-6-02 to 8-30-02	Militar; duty

#### 4. That the Board approve the following correction(s):

#### New Appointments

- a) <u>Jackson, Craig</u> appointed to the position of Principal, Reizenstein Middle School, at the monthly salary of \$ 7049.00 (81-01) effective date to be determined, 215 workdays should read appointed to the position of Principal, Reizenstein Middle School at the monthly salary of \$ 7049.00 (81-01) effective date to be determined, 220 workdays. (June 2002 Board Minutes) Leaves of Absence
- b) <u>Broderick, Margaret</u> Teacher, Linden, effective August 28, 2002 to June 19, 2002 should each Teacher, Linden, effective August 28, 2002 to June 19, 2003. (June 2002 Board Minutes)
- c) Norman, Patricia Teacher, Carrick, effective August 28, 2002 to June 19, 2002 should read Teacher, Linden, effective August 28, 2002 to June 19, 2003. (June 2002 Board Minutes)

- d) Short, Deborah Account Clerk, Plant Operations, effective August 28, 2002 to June 19, 2002 should read Teacher, Linden, effective August 28, 2002 to June 19, 2003. (June 2002 Board Minutes)
  - Transfers from One Position to Another Without Change of Salary
- e) <u>Colbert, Jacqueline</u> transferred from Teacher, Beechwood to Teacher, Woolslair, effective August 28, 2002 should read transferred from Teacher, Beechwood to Teacher, .6 Beechwood/.4 West Liberty, effective August 28, 2002. (June 2002 Board Minutes) Supplamental Appointments
- f) Williams, Larry appointed to the position of Academy of Reading Teacher in the summer school program, during the period of July 1, 2002 through August 1, 2002, at one month's salary if employed on a full time basis should read appointed to the position of Inclusion Support Teacher in the summer school program, during the period of July 1, 2002 through August 1, 2002, at one month's salary if employed on a full time basis. (June 2002 Board Minutes) Short Leaves of Absence
- g) <u>Skundrich, Cynthia</u> Teacher, Morningside, effective June 3, 2002 to June 19, 2002 should read Teacher, Morningside, effective June 3, 2002 to June 19, 2003. (June 2002 Board Minutes)
- 5. That the Board approve Larry Hubbard, Principal, Langley, to be on loan to the University of Pittsburgh Learning, Research, and Development Center for the period of July 1, 2002 through June 30, 2002 should read for the period of July 2,2002 through June 30, 2003.(June 2002 Board Minutes)
- 6. That the Board approve a change in the effective date of resignation for Rebecca Hamilton. The revised date is August 6, 2002.
- 7. That the Board approve August 1, 2002 as the effective date of hire for Craig Jackson to the position of Principal, Reizenstein.
- 8. That the Board rescind the 2002-2003 Educational Scholarship Agreement for the following individual at the rate of \$ 300, payable from account number 2000-010-2832-197-9707 (June 2001 Board Minutes):
  - a) Sandra Barnes
- 9. That the Board authorize its proper officers to enter into a 2002-2003 School-Year Educational Scholarship Agreement for the following named individuals at the rate of \$300 each, payable from account number 2000-010-2832-197-9707:
  - a) Calabrese, Miriam
- 10. That the Board approve the suspension without loss of pay for Terrence Taylor, Acting Fireman A Schenley, effective July 8, 2002.

#### It is recommended:

1. That the following assignments to the position of Faculty Manager of Athletics in the middle schools be approved for the school year 2002-2003 in accordance with the hours and conditions as set forth in the Collective Bargaining Agreement between the Board and the Pittsburgh Federation of Teachers.

#### **SCHOOL**

#### **FACULTY MANAGER**

#### a. SCHILLER

Kellie Lazor (Fall only)

2. That the following coaching assignments in the high schools for the interscholastic program be approved for the school year 2002-2003 in accordance with the hours and conditions as set forth in the Collective Bargaining Agreement between the Board and the Pittsburgh Federation of Teachers.

SCHOOL	COACH	SPORT
LANGLEY	<ol> <li>Daniel Kliber, Jr.</li> <li>Michael R. Esposito</li> <li>Kenneth Wright</li> <li>Salvatore Vento</li> </ol>	Soccer, Co-Ed Football, 1 <sup>st</sup> Asst. Football, 2 <sup>nd</sup> Asst. Football, 3 <sup>rd</sup> Asst.
OLIVER	Jeff Laurenson	Soccer, Boys
SCHENLEY	1. James Trent	Football, Head Basketball, Asst.Boys
	2. Mark L. Lazur	Football, 1 <sup>st</sup> Asst. Track, Head Girls
	3. Michael Angelo	Football, 2 <sup>nd</sup> Asst.
	4. Warren D. Patterson	Football, 3 <sup>rd</sup> Asst.
	5. George L. Riley	Cross Country, Head Track, Head Boys
	6. Raymond Zanetti	Golf
	7. Bonnie J. Perella	Volleyball, Girls Softball, Head Girls
	8. Frederick W. Skrocki	Basketball, Head Boys Tennis, Boys
	9. George Gasparovic	Swimming, HeadBoys Swimming, Asst. Girls
	10 Jean Harris	Swimming, Girls
		Volleyball, Boys
		Baseball, Head
	13. Walter Moser	Baseball, Asst.
		Track, Asst. Boys
	15. Roger C. Johnson	Soccer, Head Boys
	LANGLEY	LANGLEY  1. Daniel Kliber, Jr. 2. Michael R. Esposito 3. Kenneth Wright 4. Salvatore Vento  OLIVER  Jeff Laurenson  SCHENLEY  1. James Trent 2. Mark L. Lazur 3. Michael Angelo 4. Warren D. Patterson 5. George L. Riley  6. Raymond Zanetti 7. Bonnie J. Perella  8. Frederick W. Skrocki  9. George Gasparovic  10. Jean Harris 11. Donald Wilds 12. Robert W. Quarles III 13. Walter Moser 14. Jeffrey Abram

d.	SOUTH	1. Kurt Kiefer	Football, Head
		2. Matthew Lang	Football, 1 <sup>st</sup> Asst.
			Softball, Head
		3. Jason Bell	Football, 2 <sup>nd</sup> Asst.
		4. Raymond Kyne	Football, 3 <sup>rd</sup> Asst.
		5. Davaun Barnett	Football, 4 <sup>th</sup> Asst.
		6. Jennifer Bonaroti	Cross Country, Head
			Basketball, Asst.
			Girls Softball, Asst.
		7. Robert Pease	Volleyball, Girls
			Track, Head Boys
		8. Daniel Lydon	Basketball, Head
			Volleyball,Head Boys
		9. Leonard Ferency	Basketball, Head Girls
		10. Mike Varlotta	Swimming, Co-ed
		<ol> <li>Richard Milsom</li> </ol>	Baseball, Head
		12. Jeremy Askin	Baseball, Asst.
			Basketball, Asst. Boys
		13. Timothy M. Weinstein	Track, Asst. Boys
		14. Angela Mike	Track, Head Girls
		15. James A. Russell	Track, Asst. Girls
e.	WESTINGHOUSE	Vaughn Coolman	Soccer, Girls

3. That the following coaching assignments in the middle schools for the interscholastic athler program be approved for the school year 2002-2003 in accordance with the conditions as set forth in the Collective Bargaining Agreement between the Board and the Pittsburgh Federation of Teachers.

	SCHOOL	<u>COACH</u>	<u>SPORT</u>
a.	PROSPECT	Alan Margolis     Pamela Bohn	Wrestling Volleyball, Girls
b.	WASHINGTON POLY	Lorrayne G. Powe	Soccer, Girls

4. That the following assignments to the position of teacher for high school intramurals be approved for the school year 2002-2003 in accordance with the conditions as set forth in the Collective Bargaining Agreement between the Board and the Pittsburgh Federation of Teachers.

	<u>SCHOOL</u>	TEACHER	SEASON
a.	PERRY	Kathleen F. Cleaver	Spring, Winter

5. That the following coaching assignments be rescinded for the 2002-2003 school year.

	SCHOOL	COACH	<u>SPORT</u>
a.	LANGLEY	<ol> <li>Scott T. Donald</li> <li>Michael R. Esposito</li> <li>Kenneth Wright</li> <li>Salvatore Vento</li> </ol>	Football, 1 <sup>st</sup> Asst. Football, 2 <sup>nd</sup> Asst. Football, 3 <sup>rd</sup> Asst. Football, 4 <sup>th</sup> Asst.
b.	WASHINGTON POLY	Lorayne G. Powe	Soccer, Boys

# HUMAN RESOURCES REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS ADDENDUM A

#### **POSITIONS OPENED AND CLOSED**

#### **GENERAL FUNDS**

#### It is recommended:

1. That the following position(s) be opened across all fund lines, effective on the date indicated:

	<u>POSITION</u>	NUMBER	<u>DATE</u>	<b>LOCATION</b>
a)	Resource Teacher – Foreign Language	1	8-1-02	Instructional Support

2. That the following position(s) be closed across all fund lines, effective on the date indicated:

	<u>POSITION</u>	<b>NUMBER</b>	DATE	<b>LOCATION</b>
a)	Senior Program Officer - Curriculum	1	7-31-02	Instructional Support
b)	Teacher, Auto Body Repair	1	8-21-02	Connelley
c)	Teacher, Auto Tech	1	8-21-02	Connelley
d)	Teacher, Cabinetry/Carpentry	1	8-21-02	Connelley
e)	Teacher, Medical Office	1	8-21-02	Connelley
f)	Teacher, RHVAC	1	8-21-02	Connelley
g)	Teacher, Renovation and Maintenance	1	8-21-02	Connelley
h)	Teacher, Computers (Travel and Tourism)	1	8-21-02	Connelley
i)	Teacher, Career Support	1	8-21-02	Connelley

### **TEMPORARY FUNDS**

#### It is recommended:

1. That the following position(s) be opened, effective on the date indicated:

	POSITION	<u>NUMBER</u>	<u>DATE</u>	<b>LOCATION</b>
a)	Project Manager - Support Services	1	8-1-02	Instructional Support
b)	Family Advocate	12	7-25-02	Head Start
c)	Preschool Teacher	19	7-25-02	Head Start
d)	Educational Assistant I – Preschool Assistant	19	7-25-02	Head Start
e)	Health Specialist	2	7-25-02	Head Start
f)	Parent Involvement Specialist	1	7-25-02	Head Start
g)	Professional Development Assistant	3	7-25-02	Head Start
h)	Disabilities/Mental Health Assistant	1	7-25-02	Head Start
i)	Secretary II	2	7-25-02	Head Start
j)	Head Start Supervisor Assistant	1	7-25-02	Head Start
k)	Program Specialist -Early Care & Education	1	7-25-02	Head Start

Respectfully submitted,

John W. Thompson, Ph.D. Superintendent of Schools

# **HUMAN RESOURCES REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS**

### **ADDENDUM B**

## **ADDITIONAL HUMAN RESOURCES ACTION**

### A. New Appointments

<u>Name</u>	<b>Position</b>	per month	<u>Date</u>	Increment
1. Muehlbauer, Cynthia	Principal Burgwin	\$ 6965.00 (82-03) 215 workdays	8-5-02	Jan., 2004

### B. Resignations

	<u>Name</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Reason</u>
1.	Butterfield, Paula	Deputy Superintendent/ Chief Academic Officer	7-25-02	Personal reasons
2.	Walls-Perry, Lorraine	Assistant Principal Belmar	8-30-02	Early Ret. Allowance

# C. Transfers from One Position to Another Without Change of Salary

<u>Name</u>	<u>Position</u> <u>Date</u>
1. Alexander. Sara	Teacher, Lincoln to Administrative Practitioner, 7-1-02 Lincoln + \$ 3750 per year Administrative Practitioner stipend
2. Allen, William	
	Stipend

3.	Atwater, Cheryl	Instructional Teacher Leader, Manchester - \$ 200 per month select teacher differential to Administrative Practitioner, Manchester + \$ 3750 per year Administrative Practitioner stipend	
4.	Barie, Susan	Acting Principal, Whittier to Principal, Morningside	7-1-02
5.	Bey, Victoria	Teacher, East Hills to Administrative Practitioner, Grandview + \$ 3750 per year Administrative Practitioner stipend	7-1-02
6.	Blakey, Jacqueline	Assistant Principal, Langley to Assistant Principal, Perry	7-1-02
7.	Carlisle, Joseph	Teacher, Brashear - \$ 60 per month select teacher differential to Administrative Practitioner, Westinghouse + \$ 3750 per year Administrative Practitioner stipend	7-1-02
8.	Facaras, Sophia	Acting Assistant Principal, Schenley to Assistant Principal, Schenley	7-1-02
9.	Fulson, Normandie	Assistant Principal, King to Assistant Principal, Carmalt	7-1-02
0.	May-Stein, David	Principal, Knoxville Elementary to Principal, Colfax	7-1-02
11.	Robinson, Gina	Acting Assistant Principal, Carmalt to Assistant Principal, Belmar	7-1-02
12.	Rosenthall, Eric	Teacher, Arsenal - \$ 30 per month select teacher differential to Administrative Practitioner, South Brook + \$ 3750 per year Administrative Practitioner stipend	7-1 <b>-02</b>

# D. Transfers From One Position to Another With Change of Salary

### Salaried Employees

Name and Position	Salary per month	<u>Date</u>	<u>Vice</u>	Increment
1. Arnold, Verna Assistant Principal,	\$ 6868.00 (82-01)	7-1-02	Bivins transferred	Jan., 2003

# D. Transfers From One Position to Another With Change of Salary

# Salaried Employees

N:	ame and Position	Salary per month	<u>Date</u>	<u>Vice</u>	Increment
1.	Arnold, Verna Assistant Principal, Allegheny Traditional Academy – Middle to Principal, Fort Pitt	\$ 6868.00 (82-01) 215 workdays	7-1-02	Bivins transferred	Jan., 2003
2.	Baehr, Linda Assistant Principal, Perry to Acting Principal, Langley	\$ 7150.00 (80-01) 225 workdays	7-1-02	Hubbard on leave	Jan., 2003
	Dadey, Laura Administrative Practitioner, Pgh. Classical Academy to Assistant Principal, Carmalt	\$ 6607.00 (83-01) 208 workdays	7-1-02	Robinson transferred	Jan., 2004
4.	Flewellen, Celia Acting Administrative Practitioner, Morrow to Principal, Homewood Montessori	\$ 6868.00 (82-01) 215 workdays	7-1-02	Wallace on leave	Jan., 2004
5.	Flowers, Ola Administrative Practitioner, Grandview to Assistant Principal, Reizenstein	\$ 6607.00 (83-01) 208 workdays	7-1-02	Monroe resigned	Jan., 2004
6.	Hawes-Lewis, Trina Teacher, Knoxville Middle to Acting Assistant Principal, Knoxville Middle	\$ 6607.00 (83-01) 208 workdays	7-1-02	Green on leave	Jan., 2004
7.	Lott, David Teacher, Brashear to Assistant Principal, Arsenal	\$ 6607.00 (83-01) 208 workdays	7-1-02	Vacancy	Jan., 2004

8.	Martin, Johnson Director, Career Development to Senior Program Officer, Instructional Support	\$ 7018.00 (87-14)	to be determined	,	
9.	Necciai, Rodney Assistant Principal, Prospect Middle to Principal, Knoxville Middle	\$ 6915.00 (82-02) 215 workdays	7-1-02	May-Stein transferred	Jan., 2003
10.	Rifugiato, Sally Assistant Principal, Letsche to Principal, .5 Bon Air/.5 Spring Garden	\$ 6915.00 (82-02) 215 workdays	7-1-02	School reopened	Jan., 2003
11 <b>.</b>	Travanti, Steven Teacher, Rooney to Acting Assistant Principal, Reizenstein	\$ 6607.00 (83-01) 208 workda	7-1-02	Petrisko on sick leave	Jan., 2004
12.	Yates, Denise Principal, Minadeo to Senior Program Officer- Literacy, Instructional Support	\$ 7062.00 (87-15) 250 workdays	7-1-02	Hamilton resigned	Jan., 2003

## E. Miscellaneous Recommendations

#### It is recommended:

1. That the Board approve a suspension with a loss of pay beginning June 24, 2002 for Thomas Iaquinta, Assistant Principal, Arsenal.

Respectfully submitted,

John W. Thompson, Ph.D. Superintendent of Schools

# THE BOARD OF PUBLIC EDUCATION School District of Pittsburgh

# FINANCIAL STATEMENT JUNE 30, 2002

Prepared by Accounting Section
Operations Office/Finance
John W. Thompson
Superintendent of Schools and Secretary

# SCHOOL DISTRICT OF PITTSBURGH

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# SCHOOL DISTRICT OF PITTSBURGH COMRINED BALANCE SHEFT: ALL FUND TYPES AND ACCOUNT GROUPS JUNE 30, 2002

	NOS	GOVERNMENTAL FUND TYPE	YPE	PROPRIETAR	PROPRIETARY FUND TYPE	FIDUCIARY	FIDUCIARY FUND TYPE	ACCOUNT GROUPS	GROUPS
	GENFRAL	SPECIAL	BOND	FOOD SERVICE	INTERNAL SERVICE	EXPENDABLE TRUST	NON-EXPENDABLE TRUST	GENERAL FIXED	GENERAL LONG TERM
ASSETS	FUND	I UNDS	FUNDS	FUND	FUNDS	FUNDS	FUNDS	ASSETS	DEBT
CASH PETIY CASH	\$ 47,825,915.72 316.445.48	\$ (6.021,963.57) 94,036.20	\$ (4,038,855.49)	\$ 880,053.51 27,997.99	\$ 25,448 20	\$ 1,459 81	\$ 675,63176		
FISCAL AGENTS CASH INVESTMENTS	158.084.057.22	3,706,000,00	32,878,013 63	1 755,000 00	18,160,861.10	610,000,00			
TOTAL CASH	206,326,418 42	(2,221,927,37)	28,839,158 14	2,663,051.50	18,186,309.30	611,459.81	675,631.76		
ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE									
UNAMORTIZED PREMIUMS ON INVESTMENTS	14,128,74		31 031 25						
ACCROED IN LAKES I REAL ESTATE TAXES CURRENT	40 725,163 26								
REALESTATE TAXES DETINOUENT	10 979,901 41								
PERSONAL PROPERTY TAXES CURRENT	*								
PERSONAL PROPERTY TAXES PRIOR	420,991 74								
ESTIMATED UNCOLLECTIBLE									
REAL ESTATE TAXES	(1,815,000 00)								
PERSONAL PROPERTY TAXES	(420 991 74)								
INTERFUND LOANS RECEIVABLE									
INTERFUND ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE									
INTERGOVERNMENTAL RECEIVABLES				. :					
STATE SUBSIDY RECEIVABLE				36,223 20					
FEDERAL SUBSIDIES RECEIVABLE				464,522 69					
RFCEIVARLES-OTHER	1,128,056,73	1 343 340 02		401.053.50					
INVENTORY	or oco,co.			43.877.99				27,934,513 23	
(ANL)				12 496,906 82				415,557,070 02	
BUILDINGS  ***CHIMED* AND FOLIDMENT				4,785,057.06				61,393,890 10	
MACHINEN AND ECOLOGICAL AND ACCUMAN A FED DEPRECIATION BUILDINGS				(2 424 816 81)					
ACCOMPLETE CATTLE CONTROL A FOURD				(1,871,802,75)					
CONSTRUCTION IN PROGRESS				112,573 64					
PROVIDED FOR BONDS & NOTES PAYABLE									355,911,922 00
PROVIDED FOR ARBITRAGE REBATE TAX									658,477 08
PROVIDED FOR COMPENSATED ABSENCES									
TOTAL ASSETS	257,523,707 54	(878,587.35)	28,870,189 39	17,804,035 07	18,186,309 30	611,459.81	675,63176	504,885,473.35	373,065,016 79

# SCHOOL DISTRICT OF PITTSBURGH COMBINED BALANCE SHEFT ALL FUND TYPES AND ACCOUNT GROUPS JUNE 30, 2002

		SPECIM		f 00D	INTERNAL	EXPENDABLE	NON-EXPENDABLE	GENERAL	GENER
	GF NF RAL	REVENUE	BOND	SERVICE	SERVICE	TRUST	TRUST	FIXED	LONG TE
LIABILITIES	FUND	runds	FUNDS	FUND	FUNDS	FUNDS	FUNDS	ASSETS	DEBI
UND LOANS PAYABLE									
UND ACCOUNTS PAYABLE									
OVERNMENTAL ACCOUNTS PAYABLE									

	GFNFRAL	SPECIAL	BOND	FOOD	INTERNAL	EXPENDABLE TRUST	NON-EXPENDABLE TRUST	GENERAL FIXED	GENERAL LONG TERM
LIABILITIES	FUND	runds	FUNDS	FUND	FUNDS	FUNDS	FUNDS	ASSETS	DEB1
INTERFUND LOANS PAYABLE									
INTERFUND ACCOUNTS PAYABLE INTERGOVERNMENTAL ACCOUNTS PAYABLE									
ACCOUNTS PAYABLE	555.274 54	3 933 06					675 631 76		
JUDGMENTS PAYABLE									
CONTRACTS PAYABLE									
ACCRUED SALARIES & BENEFITS PAYABLE									
ACCRUED COMPENSATED ABSENCES PAYABLE	2 630,186 85			56 726 72					
ACCRUFD SEVERANCE COMP. PAYABLE	1 000,000 00			372,748 91					
ACCRUED RETIREMENT PAYARU	761,027 12								
PAYROLL DEDUCTION & WITHHOLPINGS	10,851,867 76								
DEFERRED REVENUES	62 254,475 57								
DEPOSITS PAYABLE	1,042,800 44								
PREPAYMENIS	198,731 32								
DUE TO STUDENT GROUPS									
OTHER CURRENT LIABILITIES	0 36								
BONDS & NOTES PAYABLE									355,911,922 40
WORKERS COMPENSATION LIABILITY	12 600,000 00								
COMPENSATED ABSENCES PAYABLE									16,494 617 71
ARRITRAGE REBATE TAX PAYABLE									658,477.08
TOTAL FIABILITIE'S	91 894,363 96	3,933.06		429,475 63			675,631 76		373,065,016 79
FUND EQUITY .									
INVESTMENT IN GENERAL FIXED ASSETS				600,841.49					
CONTRIBUTED CAPITAL				12,345,338 28				504,885 473 35	
RESERVE FOR INVENTORIES	250.000.00			1,500,000 00					
RESERVE FOR ENCUMBRANCES	39,641,873.20	5,239,893 84	67,077,648 48	948,624 36	108,953 99	80,86149			
RESERVE FOR SPECIAL EDUCATION									
DESCRIPTION DE AL COTATE DEFINING	,								

504,885 473 35		6							2	504,885,473.35
		80,86149							530,598.32	611,459 81
		108,953 99							18,077,355,31	18, 186, 309, 30
12,345,338 28	1,500,000 00	948,624 36			1 151,239 00				828,516,31	17,374,559 44
		67,077,648 48							(38,207,459 09)	28 870 189 39
		5,239,893 84							(6.122.414.25)	(882,520 41)
	250.000 00	39,641,873,20		•	46 498,217 00	4,136,507 70	658,477 08		74,444,268 60	165 629,343 58
CONTRIBUTED CAPITAL	RESERVE FOR INVENTORIES	RESERVE FOR ENCUMBRANCES	RESERVE FOR SPECIAL EDUCATION	RESERVE FOR REAL ESTATE REFUNDS	RESERVE CURRENT LIABILITIES	RESERVE FUTURE LIABILITIES	RESERVE FOR ARBITRAGE REBATE	RESERVE FOR WORKERS COMPENSATION	UNRESERVED/UNDESIGNATED FUND BALANCE	TOTAL FUND EQUITY

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\$ 257.523,707.54 **\$** (878,587.35) **\$** 28,870,189.39 **\$** 17,804,035.07 **\$** 18,186,309.30

TOTAL LIABILITIES AND FUND FQUITY

\$ 373,065,016 79

\$ 504,885,473 35

675,631 76

611,459.81

# PITTSBURGH PUBLIC SCHOOLS

### FUND 010 - GENERAL FUND

# COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED AND ACTUAL REVENUES JANUARY 1 THRU JUNE 30, 2002

		0, 110, 111, 111,	00.112 00, 2002			
	ESTIMATE	ACTUAL 2002	ACTUAL 2001	INCREASE (DECREASE)	REVENUE DUE	% OF ESTIMATE COLLECTED
LOCAL TAXES						
PUBLIC UTILITY REALTY TAX	\$ 360,000.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 360,000.00	0.00%
REAL ESTATE	155,900,000 00	151,996,410.16	138,882,492.90	13,113,917.26	3,903,589.84	97.50%
REAL ESTATE TRANSFER TAX	4,500,000.00	2,156,475.48	2,260,784.15	(104,308.67)	2,343,524.52	47.92%
PERSONAL PROPERTY	•	÷	-	-	, <u>-</u>	0.00%
MERCANTILE	4,000,000.00	3,382,424.55	3,515,983.10	(133,558.55)	617,575.45	84.56%
EARNED INCOME TAXES	82,300,000.00	40,226,462.83	36,980,636.24	3,245,826.59	42,073,537.17	48.88%
TOTAL TAXES	247,060,000.00	197,761,773.02	181,639,896.39	16,121,876.63	49,298,226.98	80.05%
OTHER LOCAL SOURCES						
IN LIEU OF TAXES	4,000,000 00	241,350.73	362,402.48	(121,051.75)	3,758,649.27	6.03%
TUITION	265,000.00	284,715.31	154,836.85	129,878.46	(19,715.31)	107.44%
INTEREST	6,500,000.00	1,617,354.54	3,072,210.70	(1,454,856.16)	4,882,645.46	24.88%
RENT OF CAPITAL FACILITIES	200,000.00	76,758.19	86,205.51	(9,447.32)	123,241.81	38.38%
GRANTS	-	•	632.50	(632.50)	-	0.00%
SALE REAL EST. & SURP EQUIP.	-	67,848.08	12,574.38	55,273.70	(67,848.08)	0.00%
SVCS PROV OTHR LOC GOVT UNTS	40,000.00	52,423.07	-	52,423.07	(12,423.07)	131.06%
REV. FROM SPECIAL FUNDS	3,750,000.00	769,654.76	1,590,335.31	(820,680.55)	2,980,345.24	20 52%
SUNDRY REVENUES	395,000.00	189,878.86	337,812.24	(147,933.38)	205,121.14	48.07%
TOTAL OTHER LOCAL SOURCES	15,150,000.00	3,299,983.54	5,617,009.97	(2,317,026.43)	11,850,016.46	21.78%
STATE SOURCES						
BASIC INSTRUCTIONAL SUBSIDY	117,595,000.00	69,456,737.97	68,311,776.76	1,144,961.21	48,138,262.03	59.06%
CHARTER SCHOOLS	•	15,940.61	485,060.14	(469,119.53)	(15,940.61)	0.00%
TUITION	2,200,000.00	2,727,428.75	2,508,916.87	218,511.88	(527,428.75)	123.97%
INSTRUCTIONAL SUPPORT TEAM	•	-	-	-	-	0.00%
HOMEBOUND INSTRUCTION	15,000 00	10,898.77	13,439.62	(2,540.85)	4,101.23	72.66%
TRANSPORTATION	11,125,000.00	5,262,935.76	4,308,289 46	954,646.30	5,862,064.24	47.31%
SPECIAL EDUCATION	23,756,000.00	13,067,041.24	11,652,241.69	1,414,799.55	10,688,958.76	55.01%

# PITTSBURGH PUBLIC SCHOOLS FUND 010 - GENERAL FUND

# COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED AND ACTUAL REVENUES

JANUARY 1 THRU JUNE 30, 2002

		ACTUAL	ACTUAL	INCREASE	REVENUE	% OF ESTIMATE
	ESTIMATE	2002	2001	(DECREASE)	DUE	COLLECTED
OTHER PROGRAM SUBSIDIES		-	-	-	-	0.00%
VOCATIONAL EDUCATION	1,250,000 00	980,343.69	1,188,124 12	(207,780.43)	269,656.31	78.43%
SINKING FUND	2,700,000 00	450,884 88	134,422 81	316,462.07	2,249,115.12	16.70%
MEDICAL AND DENTAL	575,000.00	531,772.36	597,232.68	(65,460.32)	43,227.64	92.48%
NURSES	350,000 00	339,480.14	348,221.51	(8,741.37)	10,519.86	96.99%
EXTRA GRANTS	-	-	-	•	2,500,000.00	0.00%
ADULT EDUC: CONNELLEY	2,500,000.00	•	-	5,061,011.90	3,203,988.10	61.23%
SOCIAL SECURITY PAYMENTS	8,265,000.00	5,061,011.90	5,145,098.66	(4,832,342.75)	3,078,244.09	9.22%
RETIREMENT PAYMENTS	3,391,000.00	312,755.91	725,865.26	(725,865.26)	-	0.00%
- LINK TO LEARN						
STATE TOTAL	173,722,000 00	98,217,231.98	95,418,689.58	2,798,542.40	75,504,768.02	56.54%
OTHER SOURCES						
REF. OF PRIOR YRS EXPENSES	-	-	91 91	(91.91)	•	0. <b>00%</b>
TUITION OTHER DISTRICTS	800,000 00	21,441.88	230,386.45	(208,944.57)	778,558.12	2.68%
INTER-FUND TRANSFERS	•	•	-	·	•	0.00%
REVENUE FROM FED SOURCES						0.00%
TOTAL OTHER SOURCES	800,000.00	21,441.88	230,478.36	(209,036.48)	778,558.12	2.68%
TOTALS	\$ 436,732,000.00	\$ 299,300,430.42	\$ 282,906,074.30	\$ 16,394,356.12	\$ 137,431,569.58	68.53%

# PITTSBURGH PUBLIC SCHOOLS FUND 010 - GENERAL FUND SUMMARY OF EXPENDITURES JANUARY 1 THRU JUNE 30, 2002

	0601/4	0602/5	0603		
	BUDGET			UNENCUMBERED	%
	AFTER REVISION	EXPENDITURES	ENCUMBRANCES	BALANCE	REMAINING
PERSONAL SERVICES - SALARIES	\$ 213,252,302.00	\$ 118,073,164.45	\$ -	\$ 95,179,137.55	44.63%
PERSONAL SERVICES - BENEFITS	55,723,554.00	27,275,096.06	-	28,448,457.94	51.05%
PURCHASED PROF & TECH SERVICES	66,968,222.10	3,092,065.19	2,361,578.65	61,514,578.26	91.86%
PURCHASED PROPERTY SERVICES	8,955,762.52	3,053,984.91	1,081,034.03	4,820,743.58	53.83%
OTHER PURCHASED SERVICES	45,797,697.95	22,232,416.05	422,268.34	23,143,013.56	50.53%
SUPPLIES	19,174,993.13	6,787,372.90	2,678,277.28	9,709,342.95	50.64%
PROPERTY	9,037,406.83	1,466,544.23	5,626,519.42	1,944,343.18	21.51%
OTHER OBJECTS	45,711,942.00	15,602,090.77	9,698,988.13	20,410,863.10	44.65%
OTHER FINANCING USES	24,696,345.00	6,436,180.00	17,760,163.70	500,001.30	2.02%
	\$ 489,318,225.53	\$ 204,018,914.56	\$ 39,628,829.55	\$ 245,670,481.42	50.21%

# PITTSBURGH PUBLIC SCHOOLS FUND 500 - FOOD SERVICE STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED AND ACTUAL REVENUES JANUARY 1 THRU JUNE 30, 2002

		ESTIMATE	REVENUE	REVENUE DUE	% RECEIVED
INTEREST		\$ 238,120.00	\$ 8,842.29	\$ 229,277.71	3.71%
SALES	- PUPILS	849,472.00	517,831.57	331,640.43	60.96%
	- ADULTS/ALA CARTE	1,090,000.00	618,403.93	471,596.07	56.73%
•	- SPECIAL EVENTS	1,500,000.00	564,155.62	935,844.38	37.61%
SUNDRY		49,000.00	8,557.39	40,442.61	17.46%
SUBSIDY - STATE		707,878.00	384,305.96	323,572.04	54.29%
STATE REV. FOR SOC	IAL SEC. PAYMENTS	216,802.00	107,834.20	108,967.80	49.74%
STATE REV. FOR RETI	REMENT PAYMENTS	50,000.00	12,762.28	37,237.72	25.52%
FEDERAL REIMBURSE	MENT	9,236,232.00	4,838,380.67	4,397,851.33	52.38%
DONATED COMMODIT	IES	 214,500.00	 95,515.46	 118,984.54	44.53%
TOTALS		\$ 14,152,004.00	\$ 7,156,589.37	\$ 6,995,414.63	50.57%

# PITTSBURGH PUBLIC SCHOOLS FUND 500 - FOOD SERVICE SUMMARY OF EXPENDITURES JANUARY 1 THRU JUNE 30, 2002

		0601/4		0602/5		0603			
		BUDGET					UN	ENCUMBERED	%
	_AF	TER REVISION	_E>	(PENDITURES	ENC	CUMBRANCES		BALANCE	REMAINING
PERSONAL SERVICES - SALARIES	\$	5,162,887.00	\$	2,677,169.64	\$	•	\$	2,485,717.36	48.15%
PERSONAL SERVICES - BENEFITS		1,237,650.00		582,001.90		-		655,648.10	52.98%
PURCHASED PROF & TECH SERVICES		82,184.80		-		184.80		82,000.00	0.00%
PURCHASED PROPERTY SERVICES		339,339.25		128,513.82		5,944.01		204,881.42	60.38%
OTHER PURCHASED SERVICES		497,178.80		25,484.44		5,362.00		466,332.36	93.80%
SUPPLIES		6,760,843.86		3,220,594.32		10,536.16		3,529,713.38	52.21%
PROPERTY		148,580.00		7,357.90		-		141,222.10	95.05%
OTHER OBJECTS		1,052,500.00		870.00		-		1,051,630.00	99.92%
OTHER FINANCING USES		45,000.00		22,224.41		<del></del>		22,775.59	50.61%
	\$	15,326,163.71	\$	6,664,216.43	\$	22,026.97	_\$	8,639,920.31	56.37%

# PITTSBURGH PUBLIC SCHOOLS CAPITAL RESERVE FUNDS, BOND FUNDS. TRUST AND AGENCY FUNDS & ACTIVITY FUNDS COMBINED STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE AS OF JUNE 30, 2002

BEGINNING				PLUS	LESS	LESS	UNENCUMBERED
DATE		FUND TITLE	FUND BALANCE	REVENUES	EXPENDITURES	ENCUMBRANCES	BALANCE
1/1/02	022	CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT FUND	<b>\$</b> 948,513.57	\$ 46,437.50	\$ 37,179 31	\$ -	<b>\$</b> 957,771.76
1/1/02	299	FIRE DAMAGE FUND	3,399,967 58	-	9,046 74		3,390,920 84
		TOTAL CAPITAL RESERVE FUNDS	4,348,481 15	46,437.50	46,226.05	-	4,348,692.60
1/1/96	326	1996 MAJOR MAINT PROG		7,529,651 45	7,480,483 69	3,840 00	45 327 76
1/1/96	327	1996 CAPITAL PROJECTS PROG	-	24,335,145 18	24 243,795 80	5,386 47	85,962 91
1/1/97	328	1997 MAJOR MAINT PROG		8,412 206 72	8,307,576 11	17,864 77	86,765 84
1/1/97	329	1997 CAPITAL PROJECTS PROG	-	28,365,911 80	27,636,229 22	729,681 78	0 80
1/1/98	330	1998 MAJOR MAINT PROG	•	14,980,644 01	14,980,644 01	-	•
1/1/98	331	1998 CAPITAL PROJECTS PROG	•	17,806,670 71	17,806,670 71	-	•
1/1/99	332	1999 MAJOR MAINT PROG	•	15.095 000 00	15,059 979 77	24,242 37	10,777 86
1/1/99	333	1999 CAPITAL PROJECTS PROG	•	23,600,000.00	23 562 648 30	37,351 70	(0 00)
1/1/00	334	2000 CAPITAL PROJECTS PROG		11,004,246 00	9,947,688 30	826.567 49	229,990 21
1/1/00	335	2000 MAJOR MAINT PROG	4	44,628,920 00	42,427,740,28	2,201,179 72	
1/1/01	336	2001 MAJOR MAINT PROG		16 420 000 00	7 822 151 19	8 565,645,31	32,203 50
1/1/01	337	2001 CAPITAL PROJECTS PROG		42.881,112.67	33 590 524 72	9,228 463 16	62 124 79
1/1/01	338	2001 VARIABLE CAPITAL NOTES		6,563,800.01	5 812,826 25	723 926 31	27 047 45
1/1/02	339	2002 MAJOR MAINTENANCE PROG	-		470 80	7 186 057 92	(7 186 528 72)
1/1/02	340	2002 CAPTIAL PROJECTS PROG	-	-	3,899,354 14	29 959,334 92	(33,858 689 06)
1/1/02	341	2002 REFUNDING BONDS	-	54,726,266.80	54,726,266 80		
1/1/98	360	1998 TECHNOLOGY PLAN	-	11,112,685 28	11,112,685 28	•	
1/1/99	361	1999 TECHNOLOGY PLAN	-	6,930,000 00	6,930,000 00	•	
1/1/00	362	2000 TECHNOLOGY PLAN	-	10,366,834 00	10,227,071 88	95,899 03	43,863 09
1/1/01	363	2001 TECHNOLOGY PLAN	-	2,646,200,00	2,225,897,30	396,109.86	24,192.84
1/1/01	380	TEMPORARY TRADESMAN	•		•		
1/1/00	390	2000 QUALIFIED ZONE ACADEMY		2.568,000 00	2 282,722 50	285,276 75	0 75
1/1/00	391	2000 AUTOMATED BLDG SYS CON	-	271,524 52	4,021 66	4,310 34	263,192.52
1/1/01	392	2001 QUALIFIED ZONE ACADEMY		10,952,000 00	4,110,785.33	6,786,510 58	54,704 09
1/1/99	399	1999 E-RATE	1,772,150 46	99,453.82			1,871,604 28
		TOTAL BOND FUNDS	1,772,150 46	361,296,272.97	334,198,234.04	67,077,648 48	(38,207,459 09)
7/1/01	701	UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION	4,719,848 42	606,755 92	305,980 19	9.375 20	5,011,248 95
7/1/01	702	WORKER'S COMPENSATION	(1,949,880 83)	7,251,247.93	5,026,792.26	99,578 79	174,996 05
1/1/02	703	COMP GEN LIAB & INSURANCE	324,904.20	-	33,793.89		291,110 31
		TOTAL INTERNAL SERVICE FUNDS	\$ 3,094,871.79	\$ 7,858,003,85	\$ 5,366,566 34	\$ 108,953 99	\$ 5,477,355 31

### PITTSBURGH PUBLIC SCHOOLS STATEMENT OF SPECIAL FUNDS AS OF JUNE 30, 2002

FND (	DESCRIPTION	ESTIMATED REVENUE	REVENUE	REVENUE DUE	AUTHORIZED BUDGET	EXPENSES	ENCUMBRANCES	UNENCUMBERED BALANCE
023 SPEC	IAL OPERATING FUND	\$217,642,00	\$212,782.96	\$4,859.04	\$217,642.00	\$207,285.67	\$.00	\$10,356.33
024 ACCO	UNTABILITY INCENTIV	8,371.00	8,371.00	.00	8,371.00	4,743.26	.00	3,627.74
025 2001	-06 HEINZ TIF	39,700.00	39,700.00	.00	39,700.00	.00	.00	39,700.00
030 2000	-O1 FAMILY LITERACY	90,000.00	83,785.62	6,214.38	90,000.00	83,785.62	.00	6,214.38
031 2000	-O1 LICENSED PRACTI	541,510.00	652,139.79	110,629.79-	541,510.00	673,932.99	.00	132,422.99-
032 1999	-2002 FOR. LANG. AS	450,097.00	336,030.00	114,067.00	450,097.00	336,026.95	40,378.41	73,691.64
	-O1 CENTRAL SERVICE	61,321.00	62,525.39	1,204.39-	61,321.00	62,525.39	.00	1,204.39-
	-O1 SURGICAL TECHNO	57,132.00	56,273.65	858.35	57,132.00	56,273.65	.00	858.35
	-2001 P.S. WRITE -	200,000.00	200,000.00	. 00	200,000.00	155,965.56	.00	44,034.44
	-O1 CONNELLEY PERKI	110,042.00	108,301.37	1,740.63	110,042.00	108,301.37	.00	1,740.63
	-O1 ATCD PERKINS V	1,140,628.00	1,100,730.83	39,897.17	1,140,628.00	1,100,730.83	.00	39,897.17
	-99 LINK TO LEARN P	600,000.00	600,000.00	.00	600,000.00	600,000.00	.00	.00
	-2000 TECHBASED T	400,000.00	400,000.00	.00	400,000.00	345,038.73	.00	54,961.27
	-O2 ABE/GED PROGRAM	590,236.00	541,049.63	49,186.37	590,236.00	578,419.00	.00	11,817.00
	-O2 EVEN START PROG	253,271.00	232,165.12	21,105.88	253,271.00	238,032.60	63.15	15,175.25
	-O1 ELECT PROGRAM	728,000.00	716,526.83	11,473.17	728,000.00	716,886.60	.00	11, 113.40
	-O2 START ON SUCCES -O2 ELECT FATHERHOO	107,022.00 140,000.00	55,737.65 81,666.69	51,284.35 58,333.31	107,022.00 140,000.00	80,859.92 64,587.50	.00	26,162.08
	-02 READING EXCELLE	1,700,000.00	1,190,000.07	509,999.93	1,700,000.00	1,287,246.88	3,171.00 40,550.55	72,241.50
	O1 ALLEGHENY COUNT	82,000.00	15,907.50	66,092.50	82,000.00	15,907.50	.00	372,202.57 66,092.50
	OI ELECT FATHERHOO	239,000.00	239,108.49	108.49-	239,000.00	239, 108, 49	.00	108.49-
	-O2 I.D.E.A. SECTIO	5.242.017.00	5,242,017.00	.00	5,242,017.00	5,089,850.68	147,636.55	4,529.77
	-O2 I.D.E.A. SECTIO	439,067.00	439,067.00	.00	439,067.00	494,640.92	17,020.00	72,593.92-
	-02 EARLY INTERVENT	2.498.732.00	2,498,732.00	.00	2,498,732.00	2.280.854.28	134,978.59	82,899.13
	IAL OPERATING FD/PE	579,343.00	458,813.87	120,529.13	579,343.00	468.911.59	.00	110,431.41
057 2000	-O1 HEAD START PROG	4,050,642.00	3,956,056.55	94,585.45	4,050,642.00	3,956,056.55	.00	94,585.45
058 2000	-O1 LANGLEY HEALTH	137,000.00	137,000.00	.00	137,000.00	102,727.76	.00	34,272,24
	-O2 PIONEER YOUTH W	68,500.00	33,259.76	35,240.24	68,500.00	52,775.11	.00	15,724.89
	-O2 CONROY YOUTH W/	52,900.00	40,436.72	12,463.28	<b>52,900</b> .00	43,264.24	.00	9,635.76
	-02 SCHENLEY INFOLI	35,180.00	14,639.30	20,540.70	35,180.00	16,112.49	. 00	19,067.51
	-O1 TITLE II PROGRA	333,185.00	333,185.00	.00	333,185.00	333,184.99	.00	.01
	-2003 MENORAH SCHOL	25,000.00	25,000.00	.00	25,000.00	18,750.00	. 00	6,250.00
	-02 SPECIAL EDUCATI	26,470.00	.00	26,470.00	26,470.00	18,536.62	. 00	7,933.38
	-99 DIFFERENT AND T	50,000.00	50,000.00	.00	50,000.00	45,665.06	.00	4,334.94
	-02 SUPERINTENDENT	6,000.00	6,000.00	. 00	6,000.00	7,448.57	.00	1,448.57-
	-O2 READ TO SUCCEED -O1 PREGNANT & PARE	759,667.00 19,600.00	759,667.00 18,502.69	.00 1,097.31	759,667.00 19,600.00	505,129.93	86,992.10	167,544.97
	OI TITLE VI PROGRA	355.753.00	355.753.00	.00	355.753.00	18,502.69 355,753.00	.00	1,097.31
	-O2 CSRD ROUND 1/YE	375,000.00	173,076.90	201,923.10	375,000.00	242,602.43	.00 16,945.68	.00
	PLUS MATCHING FOU	450,000.00	450,000.00	.00	450,000.00	543,895.61	5,000.00	115,451.89 98,895.61-
	-O2 HEAD START PROG	4,620,454.00	3,513,255.59	1,107,198.41	4,620,454.00	3,512,586.28	366,811.94	741,055.78
	-O2 TITLE II PROGRA	422,728.00	348,455.65	74,272.35	422,728.00	313,868.17	.00	108,859.83
	AL OPERATING FUND	291,318.00	269,985.85	21,332.15	291,318.00	219,963.09	.00	71,354.91
	-O2 FAMILY LITERACY	90,000.00	45,000.00	45,000.00	90,000.00	31,980.77	32,894.06	25,125.17
	-2000 CLASS-SIZE RE	2,365,675.00	2,365,675.00	.00	2,365,675.00	2,365,675.00	.00	.00
	2000 TITLE VI PROG	366,894.00	366,894.00	.00	366,894.00	366,894.00	.00	.00
	-02 WESTINGHOUSE S.	300,000.00	306,772.02	6,772.02-	300,000.00	218,796.22	2,920.00	78,283.78
	-2000 ELECT PROGRAM	911,838.00	836,252.28	75,585.72	911,838.00	836,252.28	,00	75,585.72
	-O1 CLASS SIZE REDU	2,453,462.00	2,453,462.00	.00	2,453,462.00	2,078,662.51	.00	374,799.49
	99 PPS STUDENT ASS	450,814.00	450,814.00	.00	450,814.00	450,814.00	.00	.00
^^4 47 LLE	ER ELEM. EXTENDED D	120,000.00	120,000.00	.00	120,000.00	121,473.92	25,427.68	26,901.60-

### PITTSBURGH PUBLIC SCHOOLS STATEMENT OF SPECIAL FUNDS AS OF JUNE 30, 2002

FND	DESCRIPTION	ESTIMATED REVENUE	REVENUE	REVENUE DUE	AUTHORIZED BUDGET	EXPENSES	ENCUMBRANCES	UNENCUMBERED BALANCE
092 20	001-02 TITLE IV-A CHIL	\$215,000.00	\$189,535.09	\$25,464.91	\$215,000.00	\$171,555.03	\$.00	\$43,444.97
	993-96 HEAD START INIT	280,585.00	282,396.04	1,811.04-		233,262.58	.00	47,322.42
095 20	000-01 READ TO SUCCEED	759,667.00	679,759.24	79,907.76	759,667.00	679,759.24	23,019.00	56,888.76
096 20	001-02 BEST FRIENDS PR	120,506.00	.00	120,506.00	120,506.00	41,198.24	7,310.00	71,997.76
	PECIAL OPERATING FUND	49.900.00	37,000.00	12,900.00	49,900.00	29,193.67	8,155.17	12,551.16
098 20	DO1-02 TITLE VI PROGRA	370,542.00	195,112.75	175,429.25	370,542.00	179,665.19	25,000.00	165,876.81
099 20	001-02 CLASS-SIZE REDU	2,847,767.00	2,422,062.48	425,704.52	2,847,767.00	2,509,558.00	.00	338,209.00
	DO1-O2 PEABODY INFORM.	59,000.00	. 00	59,000.00	59,000.00	54,000.00	.00	5,000.00
	DO1-02 FAMILY CENTERS	181,191.00	95,377.15	85,813.85	181,191.00	163,888.10	.00	17,302.90
	000-01 TECH PREP - CCA	72,700.00	29,180.54	43,519.46	72,700.00	68,015.80	.00	4,684.20
	PECIAL OPERATING FUND	77,689.00	72,653.46	5,035.54	77,689.00	69,960.90	.00	7,728.10
	001-02 CSRD ROUND 2/YE	826,000.00	412,999.99	413,000.01	826,000.00	512,396.66	125, 151.04	188,452.30
	CIENCE & MATH(SAM)/ELE	500,000.00	524,153.40	24,153.40-	500,000.00	296,804.68	7,911.33	195,283.99
	000-01 CSRD ROUND 1/YE	385,000.00	385,000.00	.00	385,000.00	366,899.71	.00	18,100.29
	SH REFORM IN MATHEMATI	3,421,924.00	3,559,296.50	137,372.50-	3,421,924.00	3,582,060.24	3,127.23	163,263.47-
	000-01 SAFE SCHOOLS/HE	1,569,060.00	1,099,736.00	469,324.00	1,569,060.00	1.087.215.22	77,684.01	404,160.77
	001-02 CCAC/TECH PREP	72,700.00	41,785.71	30,914.29	72,700.00	69,236.47	10.80	3,452.73
	001-02 CAPA CURRICULUM	282,489.00	200,000.00	82,489.00	282,489.00	42,318.59	.00	240,170.41
	001-02 PREGNANT & PARE	19,600.00 69,000.00	19,600.00 69,000.00	. 00 . 00	19,600.00 69,000.00	19,066.34 78,174.47	.00	533.66 9,174.47-
	000-02 CARRICK COMMUNI 099-2001 MILLER LEARN	38,676.00	21,541.54	17,134.46	38,676.00	21,541.54	.00	17,134.46
	000-02 PRIME PLUS PROG	2,000,000.00	1,351,650.00	648,350.00	2,000,000.00	1,405,590.41	137,740.89	456,668.70
	W NETWORK FOR STANDAR	775,000.00	607,500.00	167,500.00	775,000.00	767,501.26	.00	7,498.74
	999-2000 LANGLEY SCHOO	90,953.00	84,048.22	6,904.78	90.953.00	84,048.22	.00	6,904.78
	ABODY INFORMATION TEC	130,000.00	130,000.00	.00	130,000.00	123,900.89	.00	6,099.11
	99-2000 SAFE SCHOOLS/	1,617,248.00	1,577,575.00	39,673.00	1,617,248.00	1,577,281.55	36,159.87	3,806.58
	999-2000 PPS STUDENT A	386,940.00	386,940.00	.00	386,940.00	386,940.00	.00	.00
	999-2000 SCHOOL PERFOR	367,595.00	367,595.50	. 50-	367,595.00	365,199.67	.00	2,395.33
	001-02 HEALTH ACADEMY/	98,000.00	52,000.00	46,000.00	98,000.00	71,407.49	.00	26,592.51
130 19	998-99 Start On Succes	46,228.00	37,951.11	8,276.89	46,228.00	39,473.91	.00	6,754.09
131 20	001-02 LITERACY PLUS	827,570.00	615,000.00	212,570.00	827,570.00	522,085.31	165,480.88	140,003.81
132 19	999-2000 EDUCATE AMERI	719,000.00	719,000.00	.00	719,000.00	719,000.00	.00	. 00
	999-2000 PEABODY PUBLI	32,669.00	7,620.65	25,048.35	32,669.00	7,268.46	.00	25,400.54
	001-02 LICENSED PRACTI	200,221.00	273,003.79	72,782.79-	200,221.00	144,775.41	.00	55,445.59
	000-01 PA SAFE SCHOOLS	320,000.00	192,594.72	127,405.28	320,000.00	194,316.92	.00	125,683.08
	999-2002 COMMUNITY LEA	448,692.00	400,773.00	47,919.00	448,692.00	400,433.39	2,123.00	46,135.61
	001-02 CENTRAL SERVICE	55,438.00	.00	55,438.00	55,438.00	.00	.00	55,438.00
	EADERSHIP TRANSITION I	158,000.00	129,930.31	28,069.69	158,000.00	74,934.35	.00	83,065.65
	000-01 C.A.C.F.P./HEAD	375,294.00 52,398.00	214,369.95 59.715.08	160,924.05 7,317.08-	375,294.00 52,398.00	310,927.26 39.844.82	.00	64,366.74 12,553.18
	001-02 SURGICAL TECHNO 001-02 ALT EDUC. FOR D	645,840.00	215,828.64	430,011.36	645,840.00	254,546.17	324,225.35	67,068.48
	000-01 PPS STUDENT ASS	387,764.00	389,264.00	1,500.00-	387,764.00	389,638.25	236.75	2,111.00-
	001-02 PA SAFE SCHOOLS	185,464.00	37.092.80	148,371.20	185,464.00	171,635.81	.00	13,828.19
	ABODY INFORMATON TECH	62,966.00	65,641.60	2,675.60-	62,966.00	17,188.93	2,896.35	42,880.72
	001-02 PPS STUDENT ASS	369,792.00	172,569.60	197,222.40	369,792.00	160,608.33	112,438.40	96,745.27
	001-02 CACEP/HEAD STAR	375,800.00	153,624.11	222,175.89	375,800.00	263,856.06	28,791.00	83,152.94
151 20	001-02 SPECIAL EDUCATI	72,097,336.00	52,234,293.30	19,863,042.70	72,097,336.00	62,516,316.94	1,140,911.05	8,440,108.01
	001-02 INSTITUTIONALIZ	646,907.00	1,020,120.82	373,213.82-	646,907.00	768,990.85	7,812.02	129,895.87-
	01-02 INSTITUTION CHI	440,151.00	47,338.24	392,812.76	440,151.00	286,627.31	153,429.21	94.48
	001-02 ALLEGHENY COUNT	75,000.00	.00	75,000.00	<b>75,</b> 000.00	.00	.00	75,000.00
	001-02 TEACHING AMERIC	152,465.00	1,200.00	151,265.00	<b>152,46</b> 5.00	1,155.15	65,286.00	86,023.85

### PITTSBURGH PUBLIC SCHOOLS STATEMENT OF SPECIAL FUNDS AS OF JUNE 30, 2002

FND	DESCRIPTION	ESTIMATED REVENUE	REVENUE	REVENUE DUE	AUTHORIZED BUDGET	EXPENSES	ENCUMBRANCES	UNENCUMBERED BALANCE
156	2001-02 VOCATIONAL EQUI	\$132,187.00	\$.00	\$132,187.00	\$132,187.00	\$.00	\$114,822,00	\$17,365.00
	2001-02 MIDDLE SCHOOL M	130,667.00	15,300.00	115,367.00	130,667.00	15,209.00	66,575.00	48,883.00
158	2001-02 ELECT STUDENT W	1,100,000.00	169.008.67	930,991.33	1,100,000.00	653,942,55	54,594.31	391,463.14
159	1999-00 ALTERN. ED FOR	349,600.00	244,634.76	104,965.24	349,600.00	149,780.55	.00	199,819.45
160	2000 PA SAFE SCHOOL INI	528,000.00	422,814.16	105,185.84	528,000.00	422,782.63	.00	105,217.37
	2001-02 SUCCESSFUL STUD	40,000.00	3,750.00	36,250.00	40,000.00	17,172.68	.00	22,827.32
	2000-01 CSRI REALLOCATE	482,054.00	185,405.40	296,648.60	482,054.00	1,301.91	.00	480,752.09
	2000-01 SCHOOL INCENTIV	445,039.00	445,038.75	. 25	445,039.00	444,638.74	.00	400.26
	SCHOOL PERFORM. & LEADE	200,000.00	200,000.00	.00	200,000.00	54,483.08	.00	145,516.92
	2001-02 LANGLEY HEALTH	75,000.00	75,000.00	.00	75,000.00	9,878.13	.00	65,121.87
	1997-99 SCHOOL SAFETY C	30,000.00	30,000.00	.00	30,000.00	23,166.84	.00	6,833.16
	1997 VISION 21 - HEINZ	150,000.00	150,000.00	.00	150,000.00	105,833.11	.00	44,166.89
	2001-02 SCHOOL INCENTIV	505,264.00	505,264.25	. 25-	505,264.00	330,791.30	75,915.37	98.557.33
	2000-02 PA DEVELOPMENTA	50,000.00	24,996.00	25,004.00	50,000.00	35,178.64	.00	14,821.36
	CAPA CAPITAL CAMPAIGN	709,755.00 80,000.00	86,705.02	623,049.98	709,755.00	585,572.30	126,000.00	1,817.30-
	2001 SCHENLEY WIRELESS 2000-01 SUCCESSFUL STUD	40,000.00	.00 40,000.00	80,000.00 .00	<b>80,</b> 000.00 <b>40,</b> 000.00	70,105.09 40,000.00	6,543.00	3,351.91
	2002-01 3000E33F0L 310D	174,180.00	40,000.00	174, 180, 00	174,180.00	.00	.00	.00
	2002-03 ELECT PROGRAM	1, 176, 160.00	.00	1,176,160.00	1,176,160.00	.00	.00 .00	174,180.00
	PGH PUBLIC SCHOOLS SCHO	5,000.00	1,978.00	3,022.00	5,000.00	.00	.00	1,176,160.00 5,000.00
	2002-03 ELECT STUDENT W	1,100,000.00	.00	1,100,000.00	1,100,000.00	.00	.00	1,100,000.00
	2000-2004 CHARACTER EDU	112,384.00	21.804.48	90.579.52	112,384.00	65,594.13	12,975.47	33,814.40
	2000-01 VOCATIONAL-TECH	114, 179.00	96,698.93	17,480.07	114,179.00	96,698.93	.00	17.480.07
	SPECIAL OPERATING FUND	945,462.00	855,079.18	90,382.82	945,462,00	685,735.35	82,148.00	177,578.65
182	2002-03 ELECT FATHERHOO	140,000.00	.00	140,000.00	140,000.00	.00	.00	140,000.00
184	2002-03 ALTER. EDUC. FO	645,840.00	.00	645,840.00	645,840.00	.00	.00	645,840.00
	LITERACY PLUS PLANNING	100,000.00	52,050.50	47,949.50	100,000.00	50,000.00	.00	50,000.00
	2002-03 SECONDARY PERKI	1,237,676.00	.00	1,237,676.00	1,237,676.00	.00	.00	1,237,676.00
	1997-99 JAVITS/PROJECT	726,191.00	726,191.00	.00	726,191.00	726,191.00	.00	.00
	2002-02 TITLE V - INNOV	381,303.00	.00	381,303.00	381,303.00	.00	.00	381,303.00
	SCHOOL DISTRICT/UNIVER	311,479.00	325,229.44	13,750.44-	311,479.00	269,595.68	51.93	41,831.39
	2002-03 TITLE II - IMPR 2002-03 TITLE II PART D	4,260,830.00 504,622.00	. 00 . 00	4,260,830.00 504,622.00	4,260,830.00 504,622.00	.00	.00	4,260,830.00
	NCS - SASIXP PROGRAM	150,000.00	150,000.00	.00	150,000.00	.00 150,000.00	.00	<b>504,622.00</b> .00
	2000-01 TITLE 1 PROGRAM		14,874,965.00	.00	14,874,965.00	14,498,602.93	51,219,10	325,142,97
	2002-03 SPECIAL EDUCATI		.00	73,739,719.00	73,739,719.00	99.71	.00	73,739,619.29
	2002-03 INSTITUTIONALIZ	720,629.00	.00	720,629.00	720,629.00	.00	.00	720,629.00
	2002-03 INSTITUTION CHI	401,767.00	.00	401,767.00	401,767.00	.00	.00	401,767.00
204	2001-02 TITLE 1 PROGRAM	14,857,261.00	10,017,500.67	4,839,760.33	14,857,261.00	9,814,229.37	366,082.61	4,676,949.02
	2002-03 TITLE 1 PROGRAM		.00	16,596,738.00	16,596,738.00	.00	.00	16,596,738.00
	1998-2000 COMMUNITY SOL	136,152.00	75,600.00	60,552.00	136,152.00	75,600.00	.00	60,552.00
	2002-03 ADULT LITERACY	247,075.00	.00	247,075.00	247,075.00	.00	.00	247,075.00
	2000 GRABLE/HEINZ ELEM.	434,276.00	434,276.00	.00	434,276.00	439,333.62	.00	5,057.62-
	2000-01 CONROY YOUTH EM	49,815.00	39,839,51	9,975.49	49,815.00	40,124.89	.00	9,690.11
	2002-03 ABE/GED PROGRAM	619,213.00	.00	619,213.00	619,213.00	.00	.00	619,213.00
	2001-02 SAFE SCHOOLS/HE	1,635,742.00	653,300.00	982,442.00	1,635,742.00	653,290.98	198,121.95	784,329.07
	2000-01 W.I.A. PREP FOR	189,256.00	188,012.51	1,243.49	189,256.00	188,012.51	.00	1,243.49
	2000-01 ADULT LITERACY	229,625.00	224,640.84	4,984.16	229,625.00	224,660.05	.00	4,964.95
	2000-01 ABE/GED PROGRAM 2002-03 POST-SECONDARY	548,532.00 124,152.00	535,275.30 .00	13,256.70	548,532.00	535,275.30	.00	13,256.70
	2002-03 PUST-SECUNDARY	253,271.00	.00	124,152.00 253,271.00	124,152.00	.00	.00	124,152.00
N	OZ-OU LYLIT SIAKI FRUG	230,271.00	.00	255,271.00	253,271:00	.00	.00	253,271.00

	(J)	ESTIMATED		REVENUE	AUTHORIZED			INCHOUNDEDED
ND	DESCRIPTION	REVENUE	REVENUE	DUE	BUDGET	EXPENSES	ENCUMBRANCES	UNENCUMBERED BALANCE
27	2000-01 START ON SUCCES	\$42,445.00	\$39,296,80	\$3,148.20	\$42,445.00	\$39.897.78	\$.00	\$2,547.22
	2002-03 SCHOOL RENDVATI		.00	1,364,226.00	1,364,226.00	.00	.00	1,364,226.00
30	2000-01 EMPLOY. & TRAIN	49,030.00	35,023.96	14,006.04	49,030.00	34.808.93	.00	14,221.07
	2000-01 HEALTH CAREERS	38,578.00	22,000.55	16,577.45	38,578.00	22,230.67	.00	16,347.33
33	2000-01 I.D.E.A. PART B	3,920,042.00	3,560,042.00	360,000.00	3,920,042.00	3,920,042.00	.00	.00
	2000-01 EARLY INTERVENT		2,018,092.22	42.096.22-	1.975.996.00	2,018,092.00	.00	42.096.00-
35	1999-2000 TITLE 1 PROGR		14,959,623.00	.00	14,959,623.00	14,959,623.00	.00	.00
	-2000-01 I.D.E.A. SECTIO		438,767.00	.00	438,767.00	438,767.00	.00	.00
'44	1999-2000 INSTITUTION C		154,355.35	238.955.65	393,311.00	154,355.35	.00.	238,955.65
'46	2001-02 DIGITAL GRASSRO		16, 111, 10	41,888.90	58,000.00	27,538.07	7.536.76	22,925.17
∘52	2001-02 GANG-FREE SCHOOL	150,000.00	73,446.36	76,553.64	150,000.00	95,027.06	49,482.83	5,490.11
53	2001 GRABLE EXTENDED YE	107,061.00	107.061.00	.00	107.061.00	107,061.00	.00	.00
156	2001-02 PDST-SEC PERKIN		105,767.75	9.615.25	115,383.00	109,247.04	.00	6,135.96
158	1998-99 INFANT CARE/PAR		395.862.52	70,871.48	466,734.00	395,862.52	.00	70,871.48
63	2000-02 JAVITS GIFTED 8		319,630.00	95,669.00	415,299.00	316,360.43	12,592.40	86,346.17
66	1994-95 NEW AMERICAN SC		66,752.00	10,160.00	76,912.00	75,487.05	.00	1,424.95
	2001-02 SECONDARY PERKI		967,035.00	193,407.00	1,160,442.00	910,221.66	260,645.90	10,425.56-
	1999-2000 ADULT LITERAC		220,813.26	2,123.74	222.937.00	220,813.23	.00	2,123.77
	2001-02 ELECT PROGRAM	1,176,160.00	855.464.01	320,695.99	1,176,160.00	870,094.63	46,486.01	259,579.36
	SPECIAL OPERATING FUND	895,191.00	849,997.97	45,193.03	895, 191.00	807,851.68	.00.	87,339.32
	2000-01 SPECIAL EDUCATI		68,239,966.79	4,067,993.21	72,307,960.00	67,622,423.00	.00	4,685,537.00
	2000-01 INSTITUTIONALIZ		700,210,42	7,203,58	707.414.00	700,210.42	.00	
	2000-01 INSTITUTION, CI		316,420.27	155.711.73	472,132.00	316,420.27		7,203.58
	1997 ELEMENTARY SUMMER	81,037.00	81,037.00	.00	81.037.00		.00	155,711.73
	2000-01 EVEN START PRO		236,302.33	9.591.67		76,574.75	.00	4,462.25
	2000-01 FAMILY CENTER		155,591.41		245,894.00	236,302.33	.00	9,591.67
	2001-02 ADULT LITERACY	236,514.00	216,804.50	14,265.59	169,857.00	155,591.41	.00	14,265.59
	TECHNOLOGY INNOVATION			19,709.50	236,514.00	214,509.94	2,064.57	19,939.49
			312,000.00	.00	312,000.00	252,255.04	.00	59,744.96
	1999-2000 I.D.E.A. DISC		140,000.00	.00	140,000.00	140,000.00	.00	.00
	1995-99 NEW AMERICAN \$		695,000.00	.00	695,000.00	677.466.29	23.86	17,509.85
	2000-01 ALT. EDUC FOR I		672,833.00	.00	672,833.00	601,137.54	867.19	70,828.27
	ACCESS PROGRAM	5,388,640.00	5,388,640.03	.03-		3,634,502.87	321,947.55	1,432,189.58
	1997-98 EARLY INTERVEN	1,648,745.00	1,654,945.00	6,200.00-		1,648,745.00	.00	.00
97	ADMINISTRATIVE TIME ST	1,906,006.00	2,646,995.56	740,989.56-	1,906,006,00	963,513.62	7,508.97	934.983.41
04	SPECIAL TRUST FUND	.00	503.05	503.05-	.00	.00	30	.00
	WESTINGHOUSE HIGH SCHO		1.095,663.64	10,804.36	1,106,468.00	545,946.61	80,861.49	479,659.90
	TOTAL	388,920,635.00	244,509,419.32	144,471,2/5.68	388,920,635.00	249, 190, 412.2	5 5,320,755.33	134, 409, 467. 42
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PITTSBURGH PUBLIC SCHOOLS STATEMENT OF CASH BALANCES AS OF JUNE 30, 2002

ACTIVITY FUNDS		•						•	•	•	•		4	•	•			•	•		•	•	•	•			•
SELF INSURANCE	702,539.77		(3,000,000.00)	•		(2,297,460.23)			100,000.00	2.000,000.00	200,000.00	00 000'006	1,000,000 00					2,006,283,02	100,000,00	8,463,000.00	5,000,000.00	•	•	•	2,001,578.08	21,770,861.10	\$ 19,473,400 87
FOOD SERVICE	776.867.82				103,185.69	880,053.51		•		•	•			550,000 00	•				•	1,205,000 00	•	•	•	•		1 755,000 00	\$ 2,635,053.51
CAPITAL PROJECTS	(4,038,855 49)	•	•			(4,038,855 49)				٠				٠	29,940,013 63		·	•	•	2.938,000.00	٠	•	٠	•		32,878,013 63	\$ 28,839,158 14
SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS	(13.314,113.32)	(1,824,855 56)	9,117,005.31			(6,021,963.57)		,						•	•				•	3,706,000 00	•					3,708,000,00	\$ (2,315,963.57)
GENERAL FUND	15.873.561.22	10,292,923.05	9,605,352,88	10,049,078.57		45,820,915 72		1,515,000 00				5,400,000 00	7,000,000,00	16,011,743 72	493,054 15	1 877,670 93	10,246,481 68	17,136,737 18	0.01	21,844,000,00	30,301,926 82	33,000,000.00	1,000,000 00	750,000 00	13,507,462.75	160,084,057.22	\$ 205,904,972,94
COMBINED		8,468,067 49	15.722,358 19	10,049,078 57	103, 185 69	34,342,689 94		1,515,000 00	100,000 00	2,000,000 00	200.000.00	6,300,000,00	8,000,000,00	16,561,743 72	30,433 067 78	1,877,670,93	10,246,461 68	19,143,020 18	100,000 01	38,156,000 00	35,301,926.82	33,000,000 00	1,000,000 00	750,000 00	15,509,040 83	220,193,931.95	\$ 254,536,62189
CHECKING ACCOUNTS	MELLON BANK	PNC BANK	NATIONAL CITY	CITIZENS BANK	DOLLAR SAVINGS BANK	TOTAL CHECKING ACCOUNTS	INVESTMENTS	MELLON BANK	CITIZENS EAST -CREDIT UNION	NATIONAL CITY	DWELLING HOUSE	ALLEGHENY VALLEY BANK	PNC BANK	PNC BANK, BLACKROCK	PLGIT - CAPITAL PROJECT	PLGIT - GENERAL FUND	PLGIT : 2001 RE APPEALS	PSDLAF	HILL DISTRICT FEDERAL CU	INVEST	ESB BANK	CITIZENS BANK	BANK PITTSBURGH	BELL FEDERAL SAVINGS	THREE RIVERS	TOTAL INVESTMENTS	TOTAL CASH AVAILABI.E

# **NEW BUSINESS**

# EXTENSION OF CONTRACT WITH THE LAW FIRM OF ANDREWS AND PRICE

RESOLVED, That the Board authorize its proper officers to enter into a contract with the law firm of Andrews & Price to continue to represent the Board and the School District in certain general litigation matters from August 1, 2002 through July 31, 2003. Payment will be at the hourly rate of \$95.00, plus expenses, and to be paid from Account No. 001-0200-010-2350.330.

# July 24, 2002

# **NEW BUSINESS ITEM #2**

## BACK-TO-SCHOOL PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT EVENT

RESOLVED That the Board of Education of the School District of Pittsburgh hereby authorizes its proper officers to accept grants from local businesses to underwrite the costs of the 2002 Back to School Professional Development Event, which is scheduled to take place at the Mellon Arena on Friday, August 30, 8:30 to 10:30 a.m. Participation includes employees, parents, community partners and students.

RESOLVED FURTHER, That the primary objectives are to:

- Communicate the 2002-2003 Agenda In Action to all employees at the same time;
- Motivate staff to meet the challenges of the new school year;
- Provide an opportunity for employees to interact with present and former colleagues;
   and
- Provide information tables on new instructional programs and best practices, including the "Fun To Be Fit" elementary physical education program.

RESOLVED FINALLY, That the total cost of this item is projected at \$20,000 to \$25,000.

# LEGISLATIVE MEETING July 24, 2002

### **NEW BUSINESS ITEM #3**

### CONTRACT WITH PROJECT ADVENTURE

RESOLVED That the Board of Education of the School District of Pittsburgh authorize its proper officers to enter into a contract with Project Adventure, located in Beverly, Massachusetts, to provide safety inspections of the Urban Modification for Project Adventure (UMPA) equipment located in District schools. Project Adventure will provide detailed inspection reports, including recommendations regarding the repair and maintenance of all equipment. The inspections will be conducted from October 1, 2002 through October 30, 2002. The payment for this service will include a safety inspection fee of \$14,500, an estimated lift rental fee of \$200 per site, and travel expenses not to exceed \$4,500. The total cost of this activity shall not exceed \$25,000 from Account #4600-010-2260-330.

1	TRANSCRIPT OF PROCEEDINGS
2	<del>-</del>
3	PITTSBURGH BOARD OF PUBLIC EDUCATION LEGISLATIVE MEETING
4	WEDNESDAY, JULY 24, 2002 7:50 P.M.
5	ADMINISTRATION BUILDING - BOARD ROOM
6	
7	BEFORE:
8	JEAN FINK, BOARD PRESIDENT DARLENE HARRIS, FIRST VICE PRESIDENT
9	MARK BRENTLEY (Via telephone.)  THERESA COLAIZZI
10	WILLIAM ISLER ALEX MATTHEWS
11	FLOYD McCREA RANDALL TAYLOR
12	RANDALL TAILOR
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14	MEMBERS ABSENT:
15	JEAN WOOD, SECOND VICE PRESIDENT
16	ALSO PRESENT:
	DR. JOHN W. THOMPSON DR. DELPHINA BRISCOE MR. ELBERT YAWORSKY MR. IRA WEISS
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19	DR. DWIGHT E. MOSLEY MRS. ERNESTINE REED DR. C. RICHARDSON-KEMP MR. RICHARD MASCARI
20	MS. LORRAINE TYLER DR. PATRICIA CABREY
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2	MS. FINK: The meeting will come to order.
3	Will everyone please stand to salute the flag.
4	(Salute to the flag.)
5	MS. FINK: May we have the roll call,
6	please.
7	ATTORNEY WEISS: Mr. Brentley?
8	MR. BRENTLEY: Here.
9	ATTORNEY WEISS: Mrs. Colaizzi?
10	MS. COLAIZZI: Here.
11	ATTORNEY WEISS: Mrs. Harris?
12	MS. HARRIS: Here.
13	ATTORNEY WEISS: Mr. Isler?
14	MR. ISLER: Present.
15	ATTORNEY WEISS: Mr. Matthews?
16	MR. MATTHEWS: Present.
17	ATTORNEY WEISS: Mr. McCrea?
18	MR. McCREA: Here.
19	ATTORNEY WEISS: Mr. Taylor?
20	MR. TAYLOR: Here.
21	ATTORNEY WEISS: Mrs. Wood?
22	Mrs. Fink?
23	MS. FINK: Here.
24	ATTORNEY WEISS: There are eight present.
25	MS. FINK: Okay.

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               May I have a motion for approval of the
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    minutes from the meeting of June 26th?
               MS. COLAIZZI: So move.
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               MR. TAYLOR: Second.
               MS. FINK: Mrs. Colaizzi.
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               All in favor?
              MR. McCREA: When did we receive the
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    minutes? I don't recall getting any.
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               MS. HARRIS: You can abstain.
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               MS. FINK: Yes, you can abstain.
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               MR. McCREA: I will abstain.
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               MS. FINK: The minutes have been approved
    and seconded, may we have roll call, please.
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               ATTORNEY WEISS: Mr. Brentley?
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               MR. BRENTLEY: Yes.
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               ATTORNEY WEISS: Mrs. Colaizzi?
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               MS. COLAIZZI: Yes.
               ATTORNEY WEISS: Mrs. Harris?
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               MS. HARRIS: Yes.
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               ATTORNEY WEISS: Mr. Isler?
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               MR. ISLER: Yes.
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               ATTORNEY WEISS: Mr. Matthews?
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               MR. MATTHEWS: Yes.
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               MS. COLAIZZI: Mr. McCrea?
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MR. McCREA: I am going to abstain.

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1 MS. COLAIZZI: Mr. Taylor? 2 MR. TAYLOR: Yes. 3 ATTORNEY WEISS: Mrs. Fink? MS. FINK: Yes. 4 ATTORNEY WEISS: The motion carries. MS. FINK: Executive sessions. 6 7 (Mrs. Fink read from prepared material.) 8 MS. FINK: Before we begin our education agenda meeting, I would ask that everyone would have a 9 10 moment of silence, for a departed colleague, 11 Mrs. Carol Annis, who I served with for many years on 12 this Board, who was a very kind person, who loved 13 children, and wanted to see them academically successful, a very caring, community involved lady, 15 who will be very, very sorely missed, and if we could just take one moment for silence, I would appreciate 16 17 it. 18 (Moment of silence.) 19 MS. FINK: Okay. Thank you. 20 Next we have our Committee on Education. 21 The agenda items are before you. 22 Do we have any questions? 23 We have no questions? 24 Mr. McCrea. 25

MR. McCREA: No. 5, on page 3, I just want

- 1 to make a note, that this has been adjusted to show
- 2 that it comes from the 2002 and the 2003 budget. I am
- 3 very uncomfortable voting on a budget we haven't even
- 4 built yet, however, Dr. King, could you give me the
- 5 percentage of this that is reimbursed by the state?
- 6 DR. KING: This is a part of the total
- 7 health servicing budget, and we get reimbursed from
- 8 the state at about one-third of our operating cost.
- 9 MR. McCREA: Thank you.
- That makes me feel more comfortable voting
- 11 for that.
- 12 And can I continue?
- MS. FINK: Yes, go ahead.
- MR. McCREA: I had one other.
- On page 7 of 13, Dr. Mosley, you have a --
- 16 did you get that statement prepared yet?
- DR. MOSLEY: That will be forthcoming.
- MR. McCREA: All right. Okay. Thank you.
- MS. FINK: Okay?
- 20 Are there any other questions.
- MR. BRENTLEY: Yes.
- MS. FINK: Are there any other questions,
- 23 on the education agenda?
- MR. MATTHEWS: Mark.
- MS. FINK: Mark?

- 1 MR. BRENTLEY: Yes, I have one question,
- 2 Jean.
- 3 Hello?
- 4 MS. FINK: Yes.
- 5 MR. ISLER: Yes, go ahead.
- 6 MR. BRENTLEY: I just wanted to clarify, I
- 7 guess the same thing on page 7, No. 13, have we agreed
- 8 on how we are going to work up that situation?
- 9 This is the same issue we had discussions
- 10 about, with the agenda review.
- MS. FINK: Yes.
- MR. BRENTLEY: Okay. Have we talked about
- 13 how that was -- how we resolved that problem yet?
- MS. HARRIS: There is no problem.
- MS. FINK: Are you referring to the
- 16 stipends for the interns?
- MR. BRENTLEY: That's correct.
- MS. FINK: It is listed in our book, at the
- 19 amount of money that we had agreed upon, and indeed, I
- 20 had signed off on as a contract.
- I don't know what happened with the
- 22 differing amount that we were discussing, but in here,
- 23 it is in accordance with the contract that we signed.
- MR. BRENTLEY: Okay.
- Well, you know, Jean, I made comments

- 1 before, and I think because we are talking about just
- 2 a small amount of money, if I am not mistaken, we are
- 3 only talking about an additional \$1,000 per person,
- 4 there is obviously a reason for its recommendations
- 5 coming from the principals.
- 6 We often talked about the importance of
- 7 working with the principals, and recognizing their
- 8 recommendations, when they make recommendations, and
- 9 in light of the fact, too, that we got to be very,
- 10 very clear, while it may have been a contractual
- 11 agreement for only the 5,000, and the other thousand
- 12 was later added, the fact is that it's needed, and we
- 13 are not -- it is not a big issue for us, simply to
- 14 make the adjustments, as a matter of fact, every
- 15 month, I believe, through the business affairs,
- 16 through Mr. Fellers, every month we are voting on
- 17 adjustments made throughout different contractual
- 18 agreements with construction, and it is not a big
- 19 deal, it is not a big issue.
- I just don't want to add any kind of a
- 21 cloud over this program, I do not want to give those
- 22 participants a kind of a false hope that we originally
- 23 offered, or originally planned to give them X amount
- 24 of dollars now, and it's dropped down to another, and
- 25 so the contractual agreement, we understand, but let's

- 1 face it, that's why they make pencils with erasers,
- 2 you know, for mistakes, and not to mention, we make
- 3 adjustments each and every month to the contracts, and
- 4 as a matter of fact, some of the adjustments coming
- 5 out of the business affairs, at times, it is like the
- 6 costs of doing business, they are in the amount of
- 7 thousands and thousands of dollars.
- 8 So, you know, I would hope that we would be
- 9 willing to make that adjustment, or not just leave it
- 10 there, we would be willing to make that adjustment,
- 11 for such a great program.
- MS. FINK: I don't believe that this was a
- 13 mistake. This is what we had discussed, it's what we
- 14 had agreed upon.
- 15 It is on the high end of all of the other
- 16 school districts in the area, that utilize this
- 17 program.
- 18 And I do believe that there was a mistake
- 19 made, but it wasn't a mistake of this Board, or this
- 20 administration, it was a mistake of whoever didn't
- 21 check to see what the amount was.
- 22 And if they felt it needed to be raised,
- 23 did not bring it to the Board for approval, and get it
- 24 into the contract process.
- That's where the mistake came.

- But the amount here is correct, it's what
- 2 we had agreed on, and I am prepared to move forward.
- 3 Are there any other questions?
- 4 MR. BRENTLEY: Jean, let me also add, and I
- 5 am not suggesting that a mistake had not been -- had
- 6 not occurred here, as I mentioned before, I think that
- 7 we should not penalize the students, especially
- 8 African American students, and other students, who it
- 9 is extremely difficult to get into this District. We
- 10 should not penalize them.
- I am willing to, if necessary we can bring
- 12 the principals before us, or I am sure Mr. Sternberg
- 13 is there, you know, let's scold them in public -- in
- 14 private, and remind them of the correct procedures to
- 15 follow.
- But for us to take a tough stance over a
- 17 matter of a couple of thousand dollars, well, then if
- 18 that's the case, Madam President, you should also be
- 19 willing, along with the majority of five, to vote down
- 20 all of the recommended changes in the construction
- 21 that comes through each and every month.
- We have never heard anyone talk about the
- 23 importance of contractual agreement, and not being
- 24 able to go back and to adjust.
- The perception looks extremely bad, when we

- l want to, you know, lower the boom, and get tough on
- 2 something that is so important to the District.
- 3 And we are talking -- if I am not mistaken,
- 4 we are not talking about thousands upon thousands of
- 5 dollars, we are talking about the opportunity of
- 6 restoring the confidence, wiping away a negative
- 7 perception, and also sending a clear message to our
- 8 universities, that we are ready, willing and able to
- 9 establish great working relationships with them.
- We are talking about a total of, if I am
- 11 not mistaken, \$5 000.
- 12 Am I correct?
- MS. FINK: No, you are not correct,
- 14 Mr. Brentley.
- MR. BRENTLEY: Well, someone please help
- 16 me. What is the total amount of the adjusted amount
- 17 that we are talking about?
- MS. FINK: There is 19 there, and let's
- 19 see -- there is at least 19 that we are talking about,
- 20 with this particular action.
- The point is, we have decided that we are
- 22 going to move this forward, and we are moving it
- 23 forward in the context in which it was negotiated in
- 24 the first place, and the comparisons are hardly
- 25 appropriate, when you are talking about stipends

- 1 versus construction overruns.
- 2 MR. BRENTLEY: Let me just ask one
- 3 question, and then I will move on.
- 4 Mr. Fellers, can you please tell me for
- 5 this month, how many adjustments, or -- adjustments,
- 6 are you bringing before this Board in terms of cost
- 7 overruns, dealing with some of the constructions in
- 8 the business; do we have any this month?
- 9 MR. FELLERS: Yes, we do, Mr. Brentley, and
- 10 there are 15 -- 16, I'm sorry, 16 different
- 11 adjustments, totaling a little over -- a little under
- 12 \$370,000.
- MR. BRENTLEY: And, Mr. Fellers, all of
- 14 these adjustments were contractual agreements that
- 15 this District had made from one time, or another,
- 16 dealing with these contractors, but for some
- 17 unforeseeable reason, we have to go back and to
- 18 adjust; is that correct?
- 19 MR. FELLERS: That is correct.
- MR. BRENTLEY: Okay.
- 21 Mr. Weiss, can you tell me, is it difficult
- 22 legally for us to simply adjust the contract; is there
- 23 some room in contracts to make the necessary
- 24 adjustments?
- 25 ATTORNEY WEISS: I think at the appropriate

- 1 time, the Board could consider amending this to adjust
- 2 for the additional amount that apparently was
- 3 committed to by the principals, but that really
- 4 doesn't come into play until next year, if I am
- 5 correct.
- 6 MS. FINK: Right.
- 7 ATTORNEY WEISS: So for the balance of this
- 8 year, the item that is on the agenda could be
- 9 implemented as it is presented, and the Board could
- 10 take up this issue of the additional money at an
- 11 appropriate time.
- MR. BRENTLEY: Okay.
- My question is, to adjust it, it is not a
- 14 big issue, legally, to adjust it, even if we wanted to
- 15 adjust it now; is that correct?
- 16 ATTORNEY WEISS: Again, the Board could
- 17 vote to amend the agreement to allow for the
- 18 additional compensation.
- MR. BRENTLEY: Thank you, so much. Thank
- 20 you.
- 21 Madam Chair, once again, and I will be
- 22 finished on this issue, let us not provide some
- 23 additional negative attention to this city, on
- 24 something that is so important to the District,
- 25 something that has far-reaching effect, down the road,

- 1 in terms of building relationships with the colleges
- 2 and universities in this city.
- We are talking about not much money, in
- 4 comparison to what Mr. Fellers brings before us each
- 5 and every month.
- 6 Contracts are adjusted and amended each and
- 7 every month in this District, and to single this
- 8 particular contract out, and to hold our guns here, I
- 9 think is a little -- it is not a nice thing to do to
- 10 our future students out there, who are considering
- 11 education.
- 12 It also sends a negative message to the
- 13 universities in the city.
- So I am asking again, that we just simply
- 15 make the adjustment, to be willing to put that
- 16 forward, and let's move on.
- MS. FINK: Mr. Matthews.
- MR. MATTHEWS: I also agree with my
- 19 counterpart, Mr. Brentley.
- One of the things that I would ask, is that
- 21 if in fact that we are not going to make that
- 22 adjustment now, to at least give the executive
- 23 directors the opportunity to go and talk with the
- 24 principals of these five schools, and find out --
- 25 because I don't believe it was a mistake, I think they

- 1 offered that to be competitive, to draw African
- 2 Americans into this program.
- 3 But I would say that let them, give them
- 4 the opportunity to talk with them, since it is going
- 5 to come from their site-based budgeting, let them make
- 6 the decision, and then we can make the adjustment at
- 7 the next meeting.
- 8 MS. FINK: I would just like to have an
- 9 understanding, that that is not something that just
- 10 includes the five individuals in No. 13, but also the
- 11 14 individuals in No. 14.
- 12 They were all offered a different rate.
- And my problem is not the amount, because
- 14 some districts were offering 4,000, some districts
- 15 were offering 45, some districts were offering a
- 16 different level of stipends for substitute teaching.
- 17 There is a whole host of financial arrangements made
- 18 here.
- There is only two, of the receiving
- 20 districts, who are offering more than 5,000. One of
- 21 them is a suburban district, and one of them is a
- 22 school that is related to the University of
- 23 Pittsburgh, where most of these interns are coming
- 24 from.
- So for people to have gone out and

- 1 negotiated at a different rate, than the Board had
- 2 agreed to, was certainly putting the cart before the
- 3 horse, and they should have come back to the Board,
- 4 and said, "We would like to make a different offer, to
- 5 make our positions more attractive."
- 6 No one did that.
- 7 This Board had voted on an amount of money,
- 8 and if they wanted to change that, they should have
- 9 come back to the Board for a change in the resolution,
- 10 before they went out and made the offer.
- 11 That would have been the appropriate
- 12 sequence.
- It's not the --
- MR. MATTHEWS: Madam Chair.
- MS. FINK: It was just done wrong.
- MR. MATTHEWS: And I understand that, but
- 17 we have done a lot of things on this Board wrong, but
- 18 we went ahead and passed those things.
- And so I am asking, if we can go back --
- 20 and I was specifically talking about the five, but I
- 21 think that's the five that were offered the 6,000.
- MS. FINK: I think they all were.
- MR. MATTHEWS: Okay. If all of them were,
- 24 then they all should be.
- We are only talking \$19,000, and to pay

- 1 \$6,000 as a stipend, that's not a lot of money.
- I have people who would like to go into
- 3 this program, but they can't live on that \$6,000.
- 4 MS. FINK: That's true.
- 5 MR. MATTHEWS: And so \$6,000 is not a lot
- 6 of money, so we are talking an additional 1,000 per
- 7 person, which would total the 19,000, and I don't
- 8 think that's a lot of money, given the value that they
- 9 add to our school system.
- 10 You know, they do provide a good service to
- 11 us. I mean we are pretty much getting them as a
- 12 teacher's aide at a cost of \$6,000.
- And so all I am asking is, if we can allow
- 14 the executive directors to go and talk with the
- 15 principals, to find out why they felt the need to
- 16 negotiate a \$6,000 figure, as opposed to a \$5,000
- 17 figure, and then let them come back and give us a
- 18 report, and then we can make the adjustment at that
- 19 time.
- 20 If they said they didn't know it was
- 21 \$5,000, then we can say, "Well, it was 5,000."
- 22 But in fact, they are trying to do it to be
- 23 in a competitive mode, and I am saying competitive not
- 24 with other school districts, but with other
- 25 industries, because that's what the -- you can't have

- 1 an educational degree, and come into this program, you
- 2 have to be from the outside I think coming into this
- 3 program.
- 4 Am I right?
- 5 MS. FINK: So, are you saying that we
- 6 should approve this as it stands?
- 7 MR. MATTHEWS: Exactly.
- MS. FINK: Have our executive directors do
- 9 an investigation, and bring it back to us at a later
- 10 time?
- MR. MATTHEWS: Exactly.
- MS. FINK: That's fine with me.
- MR. MATTHEWS: That's all I am asking. Is
- 14 that acceptable to you, Mr. Brentley?
- MR. BRENTLEY: Yes, Mr. Matthews, only if
- 16 we have the understanding, that we are not
- 17 second-guessing our principals, number one, and number
- 18 two, that we are not going back and having -- you
- 19 know, setting up a battle between the Board versus the
- 20 principals.
- "You have to find the money now out of your
- 22 site-based budgets, principals."
- I don't want that kind of scenario, on
- 24 something that is so important.
- Now, if your suggestion, Mr. Matthews,

- 1 covers that, and if this will not be a strain on their
- 2 individual site-based budgets, then I am for it.
- 3 MS. FINK: Do we have any other questions,
- 4 on the education agenda?
- 5 Mr. Isler.
- 6 MR. ISLER: Mrs. Fink, I actually think we
- 7 should note, one of the items that we are voting on,
- 8 as a very, very positive statement, from the Head
- 9 Start folks, nationally, awarding us an additional
- 10 Head Start program, I think people on our staff worked
- 11 very hard, singling out some of the people in the
- 12 federal programs, and the Head Start people.
- These people in this city who think we are
- 14 not doing a good job, competitively, we won a grant to
- 15 increase the size of our Head Start program, and I
- 16 think that should be noted, and I only do that,
- 17 Mr. Brentley, you did do that in agenda review, I just
- 18 want to do that again tonight, to let the citizens in
- 19 this city know, that we have a very, very good Head
- 20 Start program, and that is going to be serving more
- 21 children in the next couple months.
- 22 MR. BRENTLEY: I agree with you, Mr. Isler.
- MS. FINK: Thank you, for your remarks,
- 24 Mr. Isler, and Mr. Brentley.
- 25 Any other questions on the education

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               Then may we have the roll call, please.
               ATTORNEY WEISS: Mr. Brentley?
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               MR. BRENTLEY: Yes.
               ATTORNEY WEISS: Mrs. Colaizzi?
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               MS. COLAIZZI: Yes, as the report on a
    whole, I am going to abstain on page 6, No. 9, and I
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   would like to note that the reason I am doing this, is
   that because I'm still waiting to see a valuation of
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   our mathematics program, that we have in this
   District, and I haven't seen anything yet, so until I
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   see that, and Mrs. Wood has made it very clear, as
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   chair of the Education Committee that she would like
   to bring in some consultants, so until this is taken
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   care of, I am abstaining.
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               Thank you.
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               ATTORNEY WEISS: Mrs. Harris?
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               MS. HARRIS: Yes, on the report as a whole,
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   under "Payments Authorized", No. 9, on page 6, I will
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   be abstaining.
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               ATTORNEY WEISS: Mr. Isler?
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               MR. ISLER: Yes.
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               ATTORNEY WEISS: Mr. Matthews?
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               MR. MATTHEWS: Yes.
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ATTORNEY WEISS: Mr. McCrea?

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- MR. McCREA: Yes, on the report as a whole,
- 2 I abstain on item No. 9 on page 6.
- 3 ATTORNEY WEISS: Mr. Taylor?
- 4 MR. TAYLOR: Yes.
- I mean, we have been down this road before,
- 6 about voting down items we aren't sure what they were,
- 7 and I don't know if anybody can give us before it's
- 8 too late, on the staff, can give us a brief synopsis
- 9 of education, and that's if that's out of turn, then I
- 10 won't, but a brief synopsis on what this program is,
- 11 that is about to be voted down, simply because it has
- 12 mathematics in the line.
- We have been down this road before.
- Can anybody speak to that, before this goes
- 15 down?
- 16 Okay.
- I vote yes on the report as a whole.
- 18 ATTORNEY WEISS: Mrs. Fink?
- MS. FINK: Yes, on the report as a whole,
- 20 abstain on page 6, No. 9.
- 21 ATTORNEY WEISS: The report as a whole
- 22 passes, the item mentioned fails, receiving only four
- 23 votes.
- MS. FINK: Next, we have the Committee on
- 25 Business and Finance.

- I was going to ask for questions, I see
- 2 Mrs. Harris is ready to ask a question.
- 3 MS. HARRIS: Okay.
- I had some concerns last month, and also
- 5 have some concerns on the textbook kits, this -- I
  - 6 have had, I should say, some question on the textbook
  - 7 kits.
  - I talked to Mr. Fellers, and
  - 9 Lorraine Tyler, and I was wondering if you would like
- 10 to speak on this at all?
- MR. FELLERS: Mrs. Harris, I think the
- 12 consensus of the cabinet discussion today was that
- 13 this item was a lot like the one last month, and that
- 14 we are having trouble in this area, and that we want
- 15 to go back as a staff, and come up with a policy for
- 16 the selection of the supplemental materials associated
- 17 with our textbook adoption, so that there can be an
- 18 objective sign-off on those purchases.
- And, therefore, what we would do, in the
- 20 interim, is not send these requisitions, purchase
- 21 orders out, like we do with the other site-based
- 22 budgets, until such time as the new policy has been
- 23 reviewed by the Board, and hopefully approved.
- When that policy is in place, then we would
- 25 revert to treating the supplemental materials like all

- 1 of the other site-based budgets, and would resume
- 2 sending them out prior to your approval.
- 3 So it is a two-part process, dealing both
- 4 with the structural support in business, one
- 5 developing the policy for your approval and, secondly,
- 6 modifying our practice, in terms of sending these
- 7 requisitions out, until that policy is in place.
- 8 MS. HARRIS: Okay. Thank you.
- 9 MS. FINK: Are there any other questions,
- 10 or comments, on the business and finance agenda?
- 11 Mr. McCrea.
- MR. McCREA: Yes, I would like to make one
- 13 comment, and it is under the additions and deductions.
- 14 If you read through there, you will notice repeatedly,
- 15 that it says that these costs will be charged back to
- 16 the project design consultant when there are mistakes
- 17 made so, Mr. Walluk, and Mr. Fellers, and company, we
- 18 go through this on a regular basis, and we do charge
- 19 things back. All of these costs, that total 372,000
- 20 right now, there will be some of that coming back to
- 21 us.
- So we do get money back on occasion.
- MS. FINK: Okay.
- Do we have any other questions or comments
- 25 on the business agenda?

- If not, may we have the roll call, please.
- 2 ATTORNEY WEISS: Mr. Brentley?
- 3 MR. BRENTLEY: Yes.
- 4 ATTORNEY WEISS: Mrs. Colaizzi?
- 5 MS. COLAIZZI: Yes.
- 6 ATTORNEY WEISS: Mrs. Harris?
- 7 MS. HARRIS: Yes.
- 8 ATTORNEY WEISS: Mr. Isler?
- 9 MR. ISLER: Yes.
- 10 ATTORNEY WEISS: Mr. Matthews?
- MR. MATTHEWS: Yes, on the report as a
- 12 whole, I am going to have abstain on page 5, item
- 13 No. 10, because I am an elder of the church.
- 14 ATTORNEY WEISS: Mr. McCrea?
- MR. McCREA: Yes.
- 16 ATTORNEY WEISS: Mr. Taylor?
- 17 MR. TAYLOR: Yes.
- 18 ATTORNEY WEISS: Mrs. Fink?
- 19 MS. FINK: Yes.
- 20 ATTORNEY WEISS: The motion carries -- the
- 21 report carries.
- MS. FINK: If we may now turn to the
- 23 personnel agenda.
- Dr. Thompson, are we ready for personnel?
- DR. THOMPSON: Yes, Madam President, we are

- 1 ready.
- 2 MS. FINK: Okay.
- 3 DR. THOMPSON: If you would please look at
- 4 pages 1 and 2 you will see the new appointments, and
- 5 pages 5 to 9, retirements and resignations, pages 12
- 6 to 13, leaves of absences, and pages 13 to 18,
- 7 transfers.
- 8 Any further questions, we will be glad to
- 9 answer. Dr. Mosley is prepared to do so.
- 10 Thank you.
- 11 MS. FINK: Okay.
- I think I have a question.
- The items that we had discussed at the
- 14 personnel meeting prior to this, are they to be
- 15 considered as new business items, or in one of the
- 16 addendums? How are we going to be dealing with the
- 17 voting of that?
- 18 DR. THOMPSON: We would like the ones --
- 19 the two pieces I gave you, concerning the safety
- 20 issues, is that the one?
- MS. FINK: No.
- DR. THOMPSON: Oh, I'm sorry.
- MS. FINK: The recommendations, that we
- 24 were discussing in the room next door.
- DR. MOSLEY: The recommendations, you will

- 1 find, Madam Chairman, in Addendum B, that would
- 2 reflect all of the changes that we made during the
- 3 executive session.
- 4 MS. FINK: Okay.
- DR. MOSLEY: However, I would bring to
- 6 your --
- 7 MS. FINK: My Addendum B is empty.
- B DR. MOSLEY: Okay. It should have been
- 9 passed out by someone. Could someone here -- okay.
- MS. FINK: Okay. Thank you.
- DR. MOSLEY: I would draw your attention to
- 12 page 4, under item No. 9, we have a reference there to
- 13 moving the person to Knoxville Middle, and that's
- 14 Knoxville Elementary.
- MS. FINK: Okay.
- Mrs. Harris.
- MS. HARRIS: Yes.
- On, I guess page 2, on Addendum B, we also
- 19 have the same person on page 3.
- DR. MOSLEY: That's a duplication,
- 21 Mrs. Harris.
- MS. HARRIS: Which?
- DR. MOSLEY: That's a duplication, that
- 24 should be D1 instead, it's just a replication of D1,
- 25 on page 3.

- 1 MS. HARRIS: Okay. So scratch the --
- MS. FINK: You can scratch D1, on page 2,
- 3 and it is the same action, on page 3, D1.
- 4 MS. FINK: All right.
- 5 Do we have any other questions on the
- 6 personnel agenda?
- 7 Mr. Taylor.
- MR. TAYLOR: I just want to draw attention
- 9 to the retirement of Coach George Webb, of
- 10 Westinghouse High School, Coach Webb has been a
- 11 mainstay in our community, through good times, and bad
- 12 times.
- Coach Webb always had the ability to bring
- 14 out of our children the very best and, as we know,
- 15 Westinghouse, many times didn't have, you know, either
- 16 the biggest football players, or even numerically a
- 17 large amount of players, but they were always in
- 18 contention, and Coach Webb always had the ability to
- 19 bring out of our students, what was inside of them,
- 20 which was the ability to be the best, and I think he
- 21 is not only just an example to football coaches around
- 22 the city league, but he is an example to teachers and
- 23 administrators, and the true challenge for our
- 24 children is to bring the very best out of them.
- MS. FINK: Coach Webb truly was a legend in

- 1 his own time, and any football team that actually gets
- 2 out there, and does push-ups at half time, instead of
- 3 sitting on the bench, drinking water, is an
- 4 intimidating factor, speaking from someone who cared,
- 5 you know, talking about football.
- 6 MR. TAYLOR: A deserved rest; well
- 7 deserved.
- 8 MS. FINK: Yes, and I wish him all the
- 9 best.
- 10 Anybody else?
- MR. BRENTLEY: Yes, I have a question,
- 12 Miss Fink, Jean.
- MS. FINK: Yes.
- MR. BRENTLEY: And I guess, it's maybe
- 15 directed to Dr. Thompson, and I don't know if we treat
- 16 Board members differently who are unable to make
- 17 meetings, but I had asked you, Dr. Thompson, to
- 18 prepare something to bring forward for the
- 19 recommendations for the MBE/WBE coordinator.
- Now, my book, I received it earlier today,
- 21 it is not in there.
- Is there a reason why we are not able to do
- 23 that?
- DR. THOMPSON: I want to direct that to
- 25 Mrs. Fink. I think that the two of you had talked

- 1 about that, I did bring it up in the personnel
- 2 meeting, but it was my understanding, that you were
- 3 called before this meeting, so I guess you weren't.
- 4 MS. FINK: No, he wasn't.
- 5 MR. BRENTLEY: Well, Mrs. Fink, let me
- 6 place -- if it's the conversation that you and I had
- 7 prior to this meeting, a couple minutes, with all due
- 8 respect, it was not sufficient; many, many months ago,
- 9 you, Mrs. Fink, appointed me chair of the MBE/WBE
- 10 program, I worked very hard to put things together, to
- 11 change the policy, and to make it where the policy was
- 12 all inclusive.
- We were able to do that.
- It was also -- I was also charged with the
- 15 responsibility of coming forward with recommendations
- 16 of a coordinator, I was able to do that, putting
- 17 together a committee that would actually search out,
- 18 and to view candidates. Last month, this Board, this
- 19 majority, voted down a candidate, that received a
- 20 unanimous decision from the committee.
- 21 You and I have been in conversation over
- 22 the last week, I have personally laid out things to
- 23 you, Miss Fink, personally requested your input and
- 24 your support, on this particular issue.
- It is not about Mark Brentley, it is not

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- 1 about Jean Fink, this particular appointment is about
- 2 the School District of the City of Pittsburgh, and the
- 3 City of Pittsburgh.
- 4 This would of course put us on the national
- 5 level in terms of sending a clear message of MBE/WBE
- 6 and disadvantaged businesses, to having a fair and
- 7 equal opportunity to do business with the District.
- 8 And I am totally disappointed, because
- 9 after working very hard, Miss Fink, and speaking to
- 10 you personally, and answering what I thought your
- 11 concerns were, at least those were the concerns shared
- 12 with me, not only did I speak with you, but I have
- 13 reached out and spoke, or made an attempt to speak to
- 14 each and every Board member, asking them to let's work
- 15 hard, and not give some in the media this opportunity
- 16 to write something negative again about the District.
- And here we are, we have answered all of
- 18 your questions, and to date, we are not able to come
- 19 forward with the recommendation for the MBE
- 20 coordinator.
- 21 Timing is everything. Our training -- our
- 22 staff are prepared to go to some training, we would
- 23 have them up and ready to go, had we had this
- 24 coordinator on board now, we would be able to use his
- 25 expertise, and training, and also interpreting the new

- 1 policy, and we are just -- we just are blowing a good
- 2 opportunity here.
- I am fearful that now we are unable to do
- 4 it now, it is clear that no one in the majority is
- 5 willing to take a strong leadership position on this,
- 6 and to support it and bring Mr. Weston's name forward,
- 7 but here we are again, clearly, it can -- you can see
- 8 this thing as something, depending on what corner of
- 9 the community you come from, it is another attack
- 10 against small businesses, it is another attack against
- 11 women businesses, it is another attack against
- 12 minority owned businesses, and this is something that
- 13 we can actually control.
- I am so disappointed, I don't know what to
- 15 do; you know, you appointed me to do this, you
- 16 appointed me as chair, but when we work hard, and do
- 17 what we are supposed to do, when it comes to the
- 18 floor, we are simply not supported.
- Can you please let this city know, what are
- 20 your intentions about the MBE/WBE.
- 21 If it is your intention, Miss Fink, and
- 22 with your leadership, if it's your intention to do
- 23 away with the MBE, and maybe that's probably more the
- 24 appropriate question, you know, we need to be honest,
- 25 and lay this out to the public, so we can get a clear

- 1 understanding, we won't be spinning our wheels.
- Is that the intention of the majority
- 3 there, to do away with the MBE program?
- 4 MS. FINK: Mr. Brentley, I supported your
- 5 choice of a person to rewrite the MBE/WBE policy.
- 6 We had a contract with that individual, he
- 7 was able to write a policy, which you felt was
- 8 eminently fair, and going to be a cornerstone of a new
- 9 day, as far as MBE/WBE in this city.
- 10 That worked out very well.
- 11 When it came time for a person to be chosen
- 12 to head this program, the same person who basically
- 13 wrote the job description, was the person who was
- 14 chosen, I truly believed he did lay it out well, I
- 15 believe there are many people in the City of
- 16 Pittsburgh who could implement that policy, I truly
- 17 believe that we would serve our region better by
- 18 employing people who are already here, as opposed to
- 19 bringing in someone from out of state.
- I believe that we can use the blueprint
- 21 that this gentleman wrote to forge ahead and create a
- 22 new policy, and a new day, in objectivity and fairness
- 23 in hiring and contracting, and I believe that I would
- 24 like very much to do that.
- 25
  I just don't -- I don't want to get into a

- 1 personnel issue out here, but I do believe that we
- 2 have many people locally who could fill that bill, and
- 3 I would be very interested in getting someone aboard,
- 4 who indeed would take off and start running with this
- 5 policy.
- 6 MR. BRENTLEY: Well, you do know,
- 7 Miss Fink, and I guess your answer is, that we are
- 8 losing support for the program, entirely.
- 9 Because if you are talking about forcing a
- 10 situation like this, and just giving it to someone
- 11 locally, because someone is local, you know,
- 12 Miss Fink, look, there is no one out here that beats
- 13 the drum harder than myself in terms of the community
- 14 having input, and the parents having input, but
- 15 sometimes we need individuals with specialized --
- 16 specialized interests, and specialized abilities, that
- 17 we have to go outside of the city.
- 18 And it's really unfortunate that you are
- 19 suggesting that we would rather lower the bar, to --
- 20 just to say we can include someone locally, and when
- 21 you do something like that, in my opinion what happens
- 22 is, we are setting that individual up to fail, more
- 23 importantly, you are setting the program up to fail.
- What I am looking for, as chair of this
- 25 committee -- because everything that I have worked on,

- 1 and was able to bring before you, Madam President, and
- 2 the majority, somehow, some way, it was Mickey Mouse,
- 3 or it was tit for tat, or whatever, I am asking you,
- 4 what are the directions, and what -- give me some
- 5 marching orders as chair of this committee, that we
- 6 need to talk about, if that's something that I think I
- 7 am capable of doing.
- Because I just don't know, when we bring it
- 9 before you, before this Board, and we work hard to get
- 10 the best candidate out there, then you are saying that
- 11 the best is not local.
- Well, you know, sometimes, you got to go
- 13 outside.
- 14 What are your plans for the MBE/WBE
- 15 program, since we are playing the games, and not
- 16 giving the city what it needs?
- We needed that person on board last week,
- 18 and you held that up.
- 19 What kind of directions, Madam Chair, what
- 20 should I be doing as the chair, or is it something
- 21 that you want to have, or that you want to take over?
- 22 Or do you want to chair that? Because you
- 23 are not accepting the recommendations of the
- 24 committee, and you are not accepting even the complete
- 25 audit, while it was voted on, that we actually gutted

- 1 some important parts of that; not important, I can
- 2 live with that.
- We are now up to some serious time here,
- 4 where we need this person on board, and to help move
- 5 this District forward.
- 6 Can you tell me, what are your visions, for
- 7 this MBE/WBE program?
- 8 MS. FINK: I truly believe that we should
- 9 be beginning implementation. I believe we should
- 10 go -- we had a lot of applicants for that position, I
- 11 think we go back and look at that.
- 12 If they do not feel that they can grasp
- 13 what was written by the consultant, then perhaps we
- 14 can get him back for a couple of days, to explain it
- 15 to them.
- 16 But I truly believe the policy is well
- 17 written, I believe that many of the applicants could
- 18 understand it, and would be perfectly able and willing
- 19 and able to implement it, I would like very much to
- 20 see it go forward.
- MR. BRENTLEY: You are breaking up, I can
- 22 hardly hear you.
- 23 MS. FINK: Mr. Taylor has a question,
- 24 Mr. Brentley, and then I want to give anyone else
- 25 present --

- 1 MR. BRENTLEY: You are breaking up, I can
- 2 hardly hear it.
- 3 MS. FINK: Okay. I want to give Mr. Taylor
- 4 a chance to ask a question, because he has been
- 5 sitting there with his hand up.
- 6 MR. BRENTLEY: I can hardly hear you, your
- 7 voice is breaking up.
- 8 MS. FINK: I turned my mic off, maybe
- 9 somebody else did.
- 10 MR. TAYLOR: Madam President, I also share
- 11 Mr. Brentley's disappointment --
- MR. BRENTLEY: You are also breaking up, I
- 13 can't hear you.
- MR. TAYLOR: Okay. I'm sorry.
- MR. BRENTLEY: You are breaking up.
- 16 MR. TAYLOR: There is not much I can do
- 17 about it.
- 18 Can you hear me now?
- MR. BRENTLEY: No, sir, it is breaking up.
- MR. ISLER: Hold on, Mark. Mark? Mark?
- 21 I think what happens, any voice cuts off this
- 22 microphone.
- MR. BRENTLEY: I can hear you in the
- 24 background, Bill, but you are breaking up as well.
- 25 Maybe we can --

- 1 MR. ISLER: Mark, Mark.
- MR. BRENTLEY: Okay. There you are, I can
- 3 here you now, Bill.
- 4 MR. ISLER: Mark.
- 5 MR. BRENTLEY: Yes, sir, I can hear you.
- 6 MR. ISLER: Just a word of advice, and I
- 7 know this is going to be in the minutes, and there is
- 8 a lot of people in this room. If you really do remain
- 9 quiet, and everybody in here doesn't cough, or make
- 10 any loud noise, any time there is a distraction in the
- 11 mic, that's what's going to cut you off.
- MR. BRENTLEY: Okay.
- MR. ISLER: All right? So there is a lot
- 14 of people here tonight, and every time somebody
- 15 coughs, or makes a move, or sneezes, sorry folks, it
- 16 breaks that mic connection with you, so we are all
- 17 going to try to be quiet.
- MR. BRENTLEY: You are super clear, Bill, I
- 19 can hear you, so whatever you are doing, if they would
- 20 all do the same, I would appreciate it.
- MR. ISLER: Thank you.
- MR. BRENTLEY: Thank you.
- MR. TAYLOR: First of all, let me thank the
- 24 people who came out tonight, you should be commended
- 25 for caring about your School District, at a time like

- 1 this, so you all should be congratulated, for taking
- 2 the time to come out here to look at what's going on.
- 3 I also share Mr. Brentley's deep
- 4 disappointment, that -- and, Mr. Brentley,
- 5 parliamentary, we might be able to talk about whether
- 6 you are allowed to bring this position up again, and
- 7 we are going to take a look at that legally.
- But, you know, again, it's another, you
- 9 know, clear instance -- and again, Mr. Brentley, I
- 10 want to commend you for calling each one of the
- 11 majority Board members, and personally asking them to
- 12 support this program, personally asking them to begin
- 13 to build some bridges, and to take concrete actions to
- 14 build bridges, not just rhetoric, and unfortunately in
- 15 this instance, we can see that we have a long way to
- 16 go.
- 17 Again, Dr. Weston, I hope he is still
- 18 hanging with us in Pittsburgh, because although our
- 19 president is satisfied with second best, or again, he
- 20 can help the person who comes on board, he can help
- 21 them implement his program, this Board voted, I
- 22 believe, unanimously to implement Dr. Weston's
- 23 program, a program that he has been operating for
- 24 30 years and, again, it only makes sense that that
- 25 would be the best and most qualified person for that

- 1 position.
- It doesn't make a difference. That's very
- 3 parochial thinking, to say that a person has to come
- 4 from Pittsburgh, because again, if you were having a
- 5 heart surgery, you would not say, "I want the best
- 6 heart surgeon in Pittsburgh."
- 7 MS. FINK: They are already here.
- MR. TAYLOR: You are going to say, "I want
- 9 the best surgeon that we possibly can find."
- Dr. Weston, again, has a strong program, we
- 11 know that this District has initiative that are coming
- 12 up large, items we have talked about, a career
- 13 development center, and other things that we would
- 14 like to give to our students, because we most
- 15 definitely in this District, are in the business of
- 16 making sure that our children have facilities that are
- 17 second to none in anybody in this region, and that is
- 18 the case today.
- But we also want to make sure that all
- 20 contractors are receiving a fair opportunity to
- 21 participate.
- In so many instance, you know, contracts
- 23 and things like that, are based on who you know, past
- 24 relationships that you may have. That was the best
- 25 aspect about Dr. Weston, that he wasn't from here,

- 1 that he didn't have cozy relationships with
- 2 contractors, or staff people, or Board members, or
- 3 Authority members.
- All he ever concentrated on, is doing the
- 5 job that we voted him in.
- 6 His allegiance would be to one thing, and
- 7 that's doing the best job of implementing the new MBE
- 8 policies that we have now, that had been sitting on
- 9 the shelf for the past few months.
- 10 So this was a clear opportunity, where the
- 11 Board majority could step forward, you have offered no
- 12 good reasons for opposing him, and other Board members
- 13 have offered no good reasons to oppose him, and you
- 14 laid out, again, reasons that don't amount to a hill
- 15 of beans, honestly.
- But this was an opportunity, again, for the
- 17 Board majority to do something concrete, not just
- 18 rhetoric, "Can't we all just get along," but actual
- 19 real things.
- 20 Mr. Brentley, as a colleague, you ought to
- 21 respect the fact that he is the chair of the
- 22 committee, he had a committee, he did the work that
- 23 you assigned him to, he went out and found somebody,
- 24 he came and put on the table an actual plan and
- 25 blueprint, to get to where we all say we want to get

- 1 to, which is everybody having an equal participation.
- We know that there have been many, many,
- 3 many people, Jean Fink, that you have voted for, who
- 4 have came, and they have presented a problem on an
- 5 initiative, and were in turn awarded the contract.
- And I think our key should be not who
- 7 brought the problem to our attention, but who is the
- 8 best person to solve that problem for us.
- 9 Doctor Weston is the best person, it makes
- 10 no sense to hire another person to implement his
- 11 program, we have the opportunity to hire the author of
- 12 that program, and that plan.
- It's just another example but, again, I
- 14 want to thank you, Mr. Brentley, you know, for making
- 15 that effort, you know, to try to build some bridges,
- 16 but as you can see, that is a very difficult task that
- 17 we have here.
- MR. BRENTLEY: Thank you, Mr. Taylor.
- MS. FINK: Are there any other questions,
- 20 on the personnel agenda?
- 21 Hearing none, may we have roll call,
- 22 please.
- 23 ATTORNEY WEISS: Mr. Brentley?
- MR. BRENTLEY: Yes.
- 25 ATTORNEY WEISS: Mrs. Colaizzi?

- MR. McCREA: Yes, on the report as a whole.
- 2 ATTORNEY WEISS: Mr. Taylor?
- 3 MR. TAYLOR: Yes.
- If I can make a brief comment, because I
- 5 just, you know, chastised folks, for again continuing
- 6 some of the old activity, I have to give credit to two
- 7 Board members, we are on the verge of voting down a
- 8 very important appointment, that Dr. Thompson had
- 9 recommended, an appointment that I believe would have
- 10 had very, very serious effects on our District's,
- 11 particularly Literacy Plus program.
- We have had some Board members who are
- 13 willing to vote down that position, knowing that it
- 14 can be potentially disastrous for that program.
- 15 And we did have two Board members,
- 16 Mrs. Colaizzi and Mr. McCrea, who just stood up here
- 17 and did the right thing, and that is something I
- 18 haven't seen here in six months, and they should be
- 19 commended for that.
- 20 (Applause.)
- 21 MR. TAYLOR: And believe me, that's a very
- 22 well deserved, and very hard earned applause that they
- 23 have, and they should again be commended.
- I vote yes on the report as a whole.
- 25 ATTORNEY WEISS: Mrs. Fink?

- 1 MS. COLAIZZI: Yes. However, I would like
- 2 to make a comment on Addendum B, page 4, No. 12.
- 3 Dr. Thompson, I am supporting you on this.
- 4 I would like to express that I am -- would like to
- 5 have some conversation about this, a little further.
- 6 However, I want to make it clear, that I am holding
- 7 you extremely accountable, and I am hoping that I make
- 8 the right choice by supporting you on this one,
- 9 please.
- 10 Thank you.
- 11 ATTORNEY WEISS: Mrs. Harris?
- MS. HARRIS: Yes, on the report as a whole,
- 13 under interscholastic, No. 2c, Schenley, No. 10,
- 14 Page 24, I abstain.
- 15 Also, on Addendum A, I abstain, under
- 16 No. -- I guess it's No. 2, b), c), d), e), f), g), h)
- 17 and i), that's b) through i) on page 1 of Addendum A.
- 18 Also, under Addendum B, under D, "Transfers
- 19 From One Position to Another and Change in Salary,"
- 20 No. 12, I vote no.
- 21 ATTORNEY WEISS: Mr. Isler?
- MR. ISLER: Yes.
- 23 ATTORNEY WEISS: Mr. Matthews?
- MR. MATTHEWS: Yes.
- 25 ATTORNEY WEISS: Mr. McCrea?

- 1 MS. FINK: Yes, on the report as a whole, I
- 2 abstain on Addendum B, page 4, item 12.
- 3 ATTORNEY WEISS: The report as a whole
- 4 carries.
- 5 MS. FINK: Now, we have some new business
- 6 items.
- 7 DR. THOMPSON: Yes, Madam President, under
- 8 new business, we have a couple of items coming out of
- 9 our area, and it deals with the safety issue,
- 10 concerning equipment, and that's item No. 3, we need
- 11 permission to inspect the existing equipment, and look
- 12 for a recommendation on how to go about repairing
- 13 them.
- The second item is the item that concerns
- 15 the back to school use of Mellon arena, for our staff
- 16 members, and we would like for the Board to approve
- 17 our going out and receiving funds outside of the
- 18 School District, it does not cost the School District
- 19 any money, this resolution is item No. 2, under the
- 20 new business.
- 21 And we would like for your approval on
- 22 those two items at this time.
- Also, do you want me to go ahead, Mrs. --
- MS. FINK: Yes, finish the other new
- 25 business item.

- DR. THOMPSON: Okay.
- 2 Attorney Weiss has one, that deals with the
- 3 attorney's piece.
- 4 ATTORNEY WEISS: We have a new business
- 5 item, dealing with the renewal of a contract for the
- 6 Andrews and Price, I guess that would be what, No. 4,
- 7 or --
- 8 MR. FELLERS: Actually, it is 1.
- 9 MS. FINK: Yes, this is new business
- 10 item 1.
- 11 ATTORNEY WEISS: No. 1. Okay. That's the
- 12 renewal of a contract that was approved initially last
- 13 July.
- MS. FINK: Okay. I think we vote on them
- 15 separately.
- Do we have any -- that's it.
- Do we have any questions on any of the new
- 18 business items? And we will vote on them
- 19 individually.
- MS. HARRIS: Well, let's -- can we ask the
- 21 questions on them individually?
- MS. FINK: Yes, go ahead.
- MS. HARRIS: Okay. On the -- what are
- 24 these, A, B and C?
- 25 MS. FINK: 1, 2 and 3.

- 1 MS. HARRIS: Which is which?
- MS. FINK: The contract is 1, the general
- 3 authorization item is 2, and the new business item 3,
- 4 is the UMPA thing.
- 5 MS. HARRIS: On No. 1, is this coming out
- 6 of the athletic money, or where is this coming from?
- 7 DR. THOMPSON: This money will be moved,
- 8 and Dr. --
- 9 MS. FINK: That is No. 3.
- DR. THOMPSON: This money will be in the
- 11 deputy superintendents line item, and we will move
- 12 from there. That is money that has been set aside,
- 13 there is money there available.
- 15 MR. CAMARDA: That's correct. That money
- 16 will be transferred to the structural support to be
- 17 administered within the area that the person
- 18 responsible for the program is functioning out of.
- 19 MS. HARRIS: Okay.
- 20 And, Dr. Thompson, you were going to add on
- 21 to No. 2.
- 22 DR. THOMPSON: Yes, I had made a statement,
- 23 it will not require any local funds, District funds,
- 24 to carry out this event. It will be self-sufficient.
- MS. HARRIS: Thank you.

- 1 MS. FINK: Okay.
- 2 All right.
- 3 Do we have any other questions, on any of
- 4 the three new business items?
- 5 Mr. McCrea.
- 6 MR. BRENTLEY: Yes, I just have a question,
- 7 and I guess I am going to -- I am asking for some
- 8 leadership from Mr. Matthews. I did not have those
- 9 resolutions in those packet, and I would just ask for
- 10 some direction from Mr. Matthews, if it's possible.
- MR. MATTHEWS: Yes, all three were
- 12 presented by the staff, and they all look good.
- MR. BRENTLEY: Thank you, very much,
- 14 Mr. Matthews.
- MS. FINK: Okay. Mr. McCrea.
- MR. McCREA: The UMPA thing, if we find
- 17 someone that's able to do this before October 1st,
- 18 will we rescind this contract, and make one for them,
- 19 or is it -- how do you want to play that?
- DR. THOMPSON: If we can find somebody
- 21 before October 1st, I would love to rescind that
- 22 contract, and get it done before school starts.
- We did some quick research today, and it
- 24 appears, we thought this company could do it before
- 25 school starts, but apparently can't.

- But at least I want to have the money
- 2 available, if we can find someone to do it.
- 3 MS. FINK: Okay. That makes sense.
- Are there any other questions, or comments
- 5 on the new business items?
- 6 Mrs. Colaizzi.
- 7 MS. COLAIZZI: Yes.
- 8 Dr. Thompson, as far as, I believe this is
- 9 item No. 2, I will support this this evening, because
- 10 it does not cost the District anything. However, I
- 11 will tell you, that I was disappointed that I had to
- 12 wait until the last minute to get this information.
- I just want you to be clear, that I had
- 14 asked for it, and I want it on the record.
- I will support this for you, though, in the
- 16 spirit of cooperation.
- DR. THOMPSON: Thank you, Mrs. Colaizzi.
- 18 I -- once again, I am baffled, because I thought we
- 19 sent you several memos where you had requested
- 20 information, we had given you the information, the
- 21 only thing I did not give you, was the fact that it
- 22 was going to be held again, it is the only piece of
- 23 information I didn't give to you.
- But we had given you all of the information
- 25 you had requested in May.

- 2 MS. COLAIZZI: So the information from last
- 3 year's back to school kick off, yes, was given to me.
- 4 However, the question, if it was going to come again,
- 5 was not given to me.
- It was a surprise to me, and that was one
- 7 of my questions.
- B DR. THOMPSON: However --
- 9 MS. COLAIZZI: However, in the spirit of
- 10 cooperation, I have no problem backing it.
- DR. THOMPSON: Thank you, ma'am, I will
- 12 accept that with the spirit of cooperation. I am not
- 13 going to bother with that.
- 14 Thank you.
- 15 MS. FINK: All right. We are going -- I'm
- 16 sorry, Mr. Matthews.
- MR. MATTHEWS: Yes, I am going to just say,
- 18 I think this is something we can pass as one item, all
- 19 three.
- 20 But let me also say, Mrs. Theresa Colaizzi,
- 21 that --
- MS. COLAIZZI: Is that my name?
- MR. MATTHEWS: I think that's your name.
- But in my opinion, that even if it was not
- 25 paid by outside sources, this is something for our

- 1 School District, for the morale our employees.
- 2 The reception that was held by our
- 3 employees, after this event, was tremendous, and I
- 4 would pay for that out of my own -- not out of my own
- 5 pocket --
- 6 MS. COLAIZZI: You said it, it's on the
- 7 record. You said that.
- 8 MR. MATTHEWS: Because it really --
- 9 MS. COLAIZZI: I will second that, Alex.
- 10 MS. HARRIS: Do you accept that,
- 11 Dr. Thompson? All the way.
- Mr. Matthews, I will second that.
- MS. COLAIZZI: Shall we call a vote?
- MS. HARRIS: All in favor --
- MR. MATTHEWS: I just want to --
- 16 MR. FELLERS: Will that be check or cash?
- 17 MR. MATTHEWS: It will be check.
- 18 No, I think that this is something, I mean,
- 19 that the people are still talking about the event that
- 20 took place last year, and I just think this is
- 21 something that is really great for our District and,
- 22 Dr. Thompson, if in fact funds are not available next
- 23 year, the following years after that, this is
- 24 something that this District needs to do. There is
- 25 something very important for the morale of this

- 1 District.
- 2 MS. FINK: Okay. I'm sorry.
- 3 MR. BRENTLEY: I would like, can I mention
- 4 something, Jean?
- 5 MS. FINK: Yes.
- 6 MS. COLAIZZI: I just also want to just
- 7 agree with Mr. Matthews, on the event last year, and I
- 8 would encourage any Board member that has any
- 9 questions at all, or any concerns, hold your questions
- 10 and concerns until after you attend one.
- I guarantee you, your feet will not be
- 12 touching the ground for a long time. It was
- 13 breathtaking, watching hundreds, thousands of our
- 14 employees, just excited, and pumped up about getting
- 15 ready for school.
- 16 Dr. Thompson, I agree with Mr. Matthews,
- 17 that even if it is an issue of funding next year, we
- 18 need to find some kind of way to keep it going, even
- 19 if we have to use School District funds.
- 20 But it is encouraging here, that this thing
- 21 is really, self-sufficient.
- 22 And I am looking forward it to, I had the
- 23 opportunity of bringing my family, a few of my family
- 24 members, and I know of employees in one particular
- 25 school, who said that they would not be outdone this

- 1 year, and they have already started preparing, and
- 2 organizing, and making sure that they get 100 percent
- 3 participation.
- 4 Dr. Thompson, this is just the neatest
- 5 thing, it is great, this is just a unique thing that
- 6 this District needs.
- 7 Thank you so much, and I am looking forward
- 8 to this year's.
- 9 MS. FINK: Mr. Matthews has suggested, and
- 10 Attorney Weiss concurs, that we can vote on these
- 11 items as one item so, if there are no more questions,
- 12 I will ask for a roll call.
- 13 ATTORNEY WEISS: We are voting on the three
- 14 items of new business, as one report.
- Mr. Brentley?
- MR. BRENTLEY: Yes.
- 17 ATTORNEY WEISS: Mrs. Colaizzi?
- MS. COLAIZZI: Yes.
- 19 ATTORNEY WEISS: Mrs. Harris?
- MS. HARRIS: Yes.
- 21 ATTORNEY WEISS: Mr. Isler?
- MR. ISLER: Yes.
- 23 ATTORNEY WEISS: Mr. Matthews?
- MR. MATTHEWS: Yes.
- 25 ATTORNEY WEISS: Mr. McCrea?

- 1 MR. TAYLOR: Yes.
- MS. COLAIZZI: Mr. Taylor?
- 3 MR. TAYLOR: Yes.
- 4 ATTORNEY WEISS: Mrs. Fink?
- 5 MS. FINK: Yes.
- 6 ATTORNEY WEISS: The report carries.
- 7 MS. FINK: Mr. Isler.
- MR. ISLER: Mrs. Fink, I have one other
- 9 item of new business, that I want to bring before this
- 10 Board.
- In light of the mayor's announcement, that
- 12 he is putting together a committee to take a look at
- 13 the finances, the achievement, and governance of this
- 14 School District, and in light of the two chairs that
- 15 have been appointed, if the rest of the committee is
- 16 equally as respected, and knowledgeable, as the
- 17 chairs, I think they will perform a great service for
- 18 this District.
- I would like to make a motion, that we
- 20 rescind the two contracts that this Board passed last
- 21 month, in the amount of \$250,000, to two firms.
- I do not want -- we have the minutes
- 23 available, we can go over everything that was stated,
- 24 but the motion is that we rescind those two contracts,
- 25 in light of the mayor's efforts to study and fund.

- 1 which we do not have to pay for.
- I again want to be very clear on this, that
- 3 we have enough audits, we have at least three, we
- 4 don't need another one, and in light of the events of
- 5 the past couple of weeks, I think it's folly for this
- 6 District to spend any money whatsoever, when we should
- 7 be talking about cutting the budget, and not
- 8 increasing it.
- 9 So my motion is to rescind the two
- 10 contracts that this Board passed last month, to the
- 11 firm, and the individual consultant.
- MR. MATTHEWS: I will second that.
- MS. FINK: Okay. Now that we have a
- 14 second, Mr. Taylor has his hand up.
- MR. TAYLOR: Yes, I want to support that,
- 16 that resolution.
- I think that, particularly in light of the
- 18 mayor's task force, task force or any other group that
- 19 wishes to audit the public books of this District, I
- 20 think that the audit was commissioned by the Board
- 21 majority, I think it's always best that audits are
- 22 done independent.
- I don't think the public would have much
- 24 confidence in an audit that was commissioned by the
- 25 superintendent, any more than they would have in an

- 1 audit commissioned by a staff person, or Board
- 2 members.
- 3 I think it's always best that audits are
- 4 conducted by outside people.
- 5 We know that the foundations are paying for
- 6 that. I think that it's a waste of money, we could
- 7 better use that quarter of a million dollars, that was
- 8 voted by the Board majority to conduct an audit.
- 9 MS. FINK: Okay. I need -- I am going to
- 10 take my turn, to reply.
- 11 MR. BRENTLEY: I would like to make a
- 12 comment, please.
- MS. FINK: Okay. Mr. Brentley, I -- you
- 14 can't see me, but I was kind of poised to make a
- 15 comment, and you will be next.
- 16 MR. BRENTLEY: Okav.
- MS. FINK: What the mayor has commissioned
- 18 is a study, it is not an audit. They are two very
- 19 different things.
- I believe when they talk about the
- 21 financial aspects of the mayor's committee, my
- 22 impression is that we are talking about taxation
- 23 rates, matters relating to the types of taxes we levy,
- 24 and the millage amounts, and all of that.
- That's not an audit, Mr. Isler.

- 1 What they are proposing to do for us, is
- 2 not an audit.
- 3 What we had discussed, and hopefully people
- 4 understood, was that this is an audit by an outside
- 5 company, it is certainly not being done by me, this is
- 6 a professional audit firm, with a professional
- 7 financial advisor, because we do want to take our
- 8 responsibility very, very seriously, about saving
- 9 money for this District, about clearing the air as far
- 10 as appropriate expenditures of District money.
- I hope they don't find a blessed thing. I
- 12 really want to give the taxpayers the assurance that
- 13 in light of things that have happened, that everything
- 14 else is fine here.
- And I certainly hope, and pray, that that's
- 16 exactly what they find.
- 17 But I think if it restores the confidence,
- 18 and let's the public see that our affairs are totally
- 19 in order, that that will go a long way to restoring
- 20 public confidence.
- I don't shrink from this, I welcome it, I
- 22 wholeheartedly endorse it, because I think we need to
- 23 do it, to prove a point.
- 24 If what the mayor was talking about, for
- 25 free, was indeed an audit, that would be fine. But

- 1 that's not what it is.
- 2 And so, I am requesting that we continue
- 3 along the course that we have charted, and hopefully
- 4 we will get through this period, and see a total
- 5 restoration of confidence.
- 6 Mr. Brentley was first, and then Mr. --
- 7 MR. BRENTLEY: Yes, I would like to say,
- 8 that I commend my colleague, Mr. Isler, and I just
- 9 wish that one of two things could happen, that we can
- 10 separate this, and vote, and turn them into two
- 11 issues, and vote that way, if not, then allow my
- 12 comments concerning your second half to apply, and
- 13 that is, I support rescinding the bill to spend those
- 14 over \$200,000 that we voted on last month for the
- 15 audit, I support that.
- But your other half of that, and that is,
- 17 the appointment of this committee, commission, panel,
- 18 blue ribbon committee, whatever you want to call it, I
- 19 do not support that, Mr. Isler, unfortunately, because
- 20 of the development over the last two weeks have been
- 21 happening with this District.
- Unfortunately, this mayor has decided to
- 23 introduce, or reintroduce, or increase the political
- 24 involvement, and it's unfortunate, because at a time
- 25 like this, when we really need to close the door, and

- 1 to get things together, we do not need another layer
- 2 of politics to be added on something that is so
- 3 important.
- 4 Let's not forget, that when the smoke
- 5 clears, and at the end of the day, that man at the end
- 6 of the table is still the superintendent, no matter
- 7 how many ways this mayor may try to back door his
- 8 authority, and his leadership, Dr. Thompson is the
- 9 superintendent.
- 10 Mr. Isler, with all due respect, sir, I
- 11 am -- when it comes to checking out the conditions,
- 12 and the financial conditions of this District, I will
- 13 continue to put my money on the folks at the end of
- 14 the table, our staff, Mr. Fellers, Mr. Camarda, all of
- 15 those individuals who have kept this District in
- 16 shape, up to this point, and what an embarrassment, to
- 17 have an elected official to announce that they are
- 18 going to put someone together, to check our finance,
- 19 and to oversee our finance.
- 20 We have some of the best finance people in
- 21 this District. We have the best superintendent in
- 22 this District.
- 23 If the honorable mayor of this city, is so
- 24 interested, what he needs to do is to simply come
- 25 clean, ask to speak to the majority of the Board, that

- 1 he is in contact with, and to do what's necessary
- 2 there.
- But to introduce a layer of -- another
- 4 layer of politics, and to then suggest that we need
- 5 someone to oversee -- as a matter of fact,
- 6 Dr. Thompson, I believe, within the first three
- 7 months, that you stepped off this plane, you put
- 8 together a blue ribbon panel yourself; is that not
- 9 correct, Dr. Thompson?
- 10 DR. THOMPSON: That's correct.
- 11 MR. BRENTLEY: And, name some of those
- 12 individuals. What was your committee called?
- DR. THOMPSON: It was called the transition
- 14 team for the School District, which includes former
- 15 superintendent, Doctor Weiss, who chaired the
- 16 commission, we had a superintendent out of San Diego,
- 17 California, we also had Dr. Faisson on that committee,
- 18 we had a superintendent out of Syracuse, New York, we
- 19 had about three superintendents around the nation to
- 20 serve on that committee, to take a look at previous
- 21 studies that had been done, and to make
- 22 recommendations to move forward, to try to curtail, or
- 23 try to get rid of the \$36 million deficit that we were
- 24 facing at the beginning of the school year.
- MR. BRENTLEY: Well, Dr. Thompson, I would

- 1 encourage you, as a matter of fact, I would like for
- 2 you to make available as much as possible, to the
- 3 public, the names of the individuals of that K to 12
- 4 committee, and also some of their recommendations, and
- 5 their responsibilities; the point here to my
- 6 colleagues, is that, been there, done that.
- 7 Dr. Thompson has been on top of that, with
- 8 lining himself up with some of the best minds in the
- 9 city, in terms of getting support.
- 10 And on top of that, he has one of the best
- 11 financial staffs here in the City of Pittsburgh, who
- 12 can do what's necessary.
- So, Mr. Isler, I will support it, I want to
- 14 just make sure that we are clear on that, I am not in
- 15 support of anything that will attempt to back door
- 16 this administration, or attempt to add some politics
- 17 to it, and that part, I will not be a party to,
- 18 Mr. Isler.
- MS. FINK: Mr. Matthews.
- 20 MR. MATTHEWS: Mrs. Fink, I just wanted to
- 21 address your comments.
- While I agree with my two colleagues,
- 23 Mr. Isler and Mr. Brentley, I want to be very clear.
- I think that the task force that the mayor
- 25 has put together, has two individuals who are going to

- 1 chair that, who are well respected in the city, and
- 2 who will not -- who will not lean one way or the
- 3 other, toward any fraction of this Board, and that is
- 4 Dave Matter and Bill Trueheart.
- 5 But their audit, particularly the
- 6 finance -- because they deal with the three issues in
- 7 the curriculum.
- 8 Remember, this task force was developed,
- 9 because of the in-house fighting on this Board, and
- 10 the areas that they chose were the areas that we
- 11 constantly have bickering about, and that's one
- 12 dealing with the curriculum, going back to the math
- 13 teachers, and going into the literacy coaches, and
- 14 other programs dealing with literacy, and then we deal
- 15 with the finances, the reopening of schools, and the
- 16 budget that was cut.
- 17 And so I would think that the finance part
- 18 of that, you are referring to, is going to be
- 19 different.
- I think it is going to actually tackle what
- 21 you are looking for, because according to your RFP,
- 22 that you put out, that RFP is really directed at the
- 23 finances of Dr. Thompson's office, and his immediate
- 24 staff, and whether or not the contracts were fulfilled
- 25 under the salary caps, and things that were provided.

- 1 And so I think yours is very targeted at
- 2 individuals, whereas I think what they are going to do
- 3 is actually take a look at the broad range of the
- 4 finances, and that's going to look at also how much
- 5 money do you get in from consulting services, and
- 6 what's paid out, they are going to look at the special
- 7 ed. needs.
- And while I agree with Mr. Brentley, I
- 9 think our staff is well equipped to do such a study,
- 10 if -- and, Mr. Brentley, they are going to do it
- 11 anyway, the audit is going to be done, whether it's by
- 12 this Board, or whether it's by the task force, and I
- 13 think that we should just go ahead and allow the
- 14 mayor's task force to go ahead and complete that,
- 15 because remember, it is not going to be those two
- 16 chair persons who do the audit, they are going to have
- 17 some other folks who are going to look at that item.
- 18 So I think, instead of us paying duplicate
- 19 money for the same thing they are going to be doing,
- 20 allow them to do the work.
- 21 And while I don't agree with anyone coming
- 22 in and taking a look at our business, the conduct of
- 23 our Board has really gotten to the point, where people
- 24 now are looking at this, looking at us very seriously
- 25 and, you know, on the one end, while I can criticize

- 1 the mayor for some things that he should have done
- 2 earlier, I think that I applaud him on the fact that
- 3 he recognizes the fact that something has to be done,
- 4 and this task force is the beginning of that.
- 5 And So I applaud him for that.
- 6 But once again, I want to say, that this
- 7 task force is going to look at the critical issues of
- 8 our finances, curriculum, and particularly the
- 9 governance, and that's the part that we really need to
- 10 take a look at.
- 11 And so I think it is going to be a
- 12 duplication of what we are doing, so I strongly
- 13 support Mr. Isler's motion.
- MS. FINK: Mr. Isler.
- MR. ISLER: Mrs. Fink, have you, because
- 16 you alluded to what you thought the mayor was going to
- 17 do, and I want to be clear, have you discussed with
- 18 the mayor the three issues, the finance, achievement,
- 19 and governance?
- 20 MS. FINK: No, I will probably do that --
- MR. ISLER: Thank you.
- I just want people to be clear.
- I also want to be very clear, that this is
- 24 not an audit. I have not had the opportunity to
- 25 review the documents that I asked for at the last

- 1 meeting, I was informed by you yesterday that they
- 2 were in the Board office.
- 3 MS. FINK: Yes.
- 4 MR. ISLER: I asked for them to be sent to
- 5 me, so I will rely more on Mr. Matthews on that.
- 6 But I also want to make it very clear to
- 7 the citizens of this city, that this is not an audit
- 8 of this School District, according to that RFP.
- 9 This Board tonight was asked to sign a
- 10 response to an audit by the state, were we not?
- MS. FINK: Yes.
- MR. ISLER: We have the city controller in
- 13 here, and his staff every day of the week; do we not?
- MS. FINK: I think so.
- MR. ISLER: That does an audit.
- And we also have an independent audit,
- 17 which is also required, as I believe, Mr. Fellers, and
- 18 Mr. Camarda, a single agency audit which the Federal
- 19 Government requires for any agency that gets federal
- 20 funds, over \$350,000, I think it is now.
- I want to be clear, that this is not an
- 22 audit. We have plenty of audits.
- My point is, and I appreciate what my
- 24 colleagues have said tonight, the mayor's offering,
- 25 and he is appointing top notch people, to help us take

- 1 a look at finances, I would rather wait, and not spend
- 2 the \$250,000.
- We have a huge hole, when it comes to our
- 4 literacy program. We can hire three or four reading
- 5 coaches for that amount of money, and start putting
- 6 the money back directly to children, where it should
- 7 go.
- 8 The mayor's talking about achievement. We
- 9 are not.
- 10 (Applause.)
- 11 MR. ISLER: And I am appalled -- I am
- 12 appalled, that we are not able to get our act
- 13 together.
- We have had the money stripped away from
- 15 our reading program.
- 16 If you talk to the City of Los Angeles, the
- 17 City of Minneapolis, and I will give you all of the
- 18 other cities who have been doing the reading coaches
- 19 program, which has been really designed and developed
- 20 right here at the University of Pittsburgh, and we
- 21 have not touched it, until this year.
- I think we are putting our children in
- 23 harm's way, when we had an alternative to really help
- 24 them.
- 25 And I think this is throwing money away.

- 1 That's my point. And I want it to be very
- 2 clear here, nobody on this Board, that I know of, has
- 3 talked to the mayor about this.
- 4 But my colleagues and I have a great deal
- 5 of confidence, and I am speaking for the four of us,
- 6 Mark, and I know you are not in favor of the review,
- 7 the two individuals that the mayor has named, you
- 8 could not ask for two better people to lead such a
- 9 task force.
- DR. THOMPSON: Madam President.
- MS. FINK: Dr. Thompson.
- DR. THOMPSON: I am a little bit confused,
- 13 because we had requested, the staff had requested a
- 14 copy of the RFP, and a copy of the scope of work, by
- 15 these auditors, from the Board.
- 16 The staff has announced that we have no
- 17 idea what the RFP included, we have no idea of the
- 18 scope of work.
- And it makes me kind of uneasy, from the
- 20 standpoint, that it seems like it is not an audit of
- 21 the School District's finances, but it's an audit of
- 22 the superintendent's office, and that concerns me.
- 23 And that is -- is that what I heard you
- 24 say, Mr. Matthews, the RFP is going to audit the
- 25 superintendent's office?

- 2 MR. MATTHEWS: According to the -- I mean,
- 3 everything is directed towards the superintendent's
- 4 office, and the administrative -- and your
- 5 administrative staff.
- It has nothing to do with the Board office,
- 7 or any of the other funds, that is coming from the
- 8 schools or anything else.
- 9 So it is really directed at the work of
- 10 what you and your staff are doing.
- DR. THOMPSON: My question then, Madam
- 12 Chairperson, and the Board is, what have we done,
- 13 other than cut a deficit of \$36 million, other than
- 14 save over \$12 million this year, since the last time,
- 15 what have we done, to deserve -- we should get a pat
- 16 on the back, rather than an audit.
- 17 And most businesses or industries, if the
- 18 CEO or a company were to do those kinds of things,
- 19 they would get a pat on the back.
- Now, we will admit that we did have some
- 21 misunderstanding on some things that we shouldn't have
- 22 done with the credit card issue, but that's \$13,000.
- 23 We are talking about millions and millions
- 24 of dollars.
- 25 I don't -- this isn't a -- Enron, MCI, all

- 1 of these companies in the country, right now, would
- 2 love to see an operation like we have.
- 3 I don't understand that.
- 4 That really concerns me, Board members,
- 5 that now you are pointing the fingers at the
- 6 superintendent, about an audit, a special audit for
- 7 the superintendent.
- 9 Please tell me I am wrong. Because I don't want my
- 10 staff to have -- please tell me I am wrong, Madam
- 11 President.
- MS. FINK: Dr. Thompson, I believe that
- 13 what I am looking to do, we have a great many audits
- 14 around here, for different areas, we have audits of
- 15 special funds, we have audits for various -- the
- 16 controller looks at different things, then Deloitte &
- 17 Touche, and then the state, all of these different
- 18 areas, have audits done at various times.
- 19 And I wanted to have an audit done, of the
- 20 administration, of all the levels above that of
- 21 principal.
- 22 I just wanted to take a good look at what
- 23 truly are we doing, are we getting some real good
- 24 return, how much are we really spending; we have a lot
- 25 of consultants, where does that play in.

- I wanted to have an independent audit of
- 2 that whole aspect of the District.
- It's something we have talked about off and
- 4 on for many years, never did anything about it, and I
- 5 thought it was time that we did.
- 6 And I hope that everything is just
- 7 wonderful, and perfect.
- B DR. THOMPSON: Madam President.
- 9 MS. FINK: And I am sure it will be.
- DR. THOMPSON: Madam President.
- MS. FINK: I feel like this needs -- that
- 12 this is an area we have not really looked at, and I
- 13 want to do that.
- 14 DR. THOMPSON: Madam President, I just beg
- 15 to differ. I beg your pardon.
- In the spirit of cooperation, I am
- 17 embarrassed that we have such hard-working people on a
- 18 day-to-day basis, and we continue to show how
- 19 wonderful our budget is, compared to the other
- 20 governmental agencies, and the kind of things that we
- 21 do to save this District money, and we are talking
- 22 about, in my office -- now, in my office, Pete, how
- 23 much money is budgeted to the superintendent's office,
- 24 how much is that would you say, approximately?
- MS. FINK: I don't have numbers in front of

- 1 me.
- 2 MR. CAMARDA: The budget actually is very
- 3 insignificant, it is just really the cost of some
- 4 salaries in your budget, it is probably less than
- 5 \$800,000 amount, with all of the staff that are
- 6 supported, and some supplies.
- 7 DR. THOMPSON: So we are going to spend
- 8 \$250,000, to audit an \$800,000 budget.
- 9 There is a different message in this whole
- 10 process, Madam Chairman. A different message.
- 11 MS. FINK: That is not all, certainly not
- 12 all we are going to look at.
- I had said, all of the administration
- 14 levels above that of the building principals.
- And that's a lot of offices. It's a big
- 16 area of the School District, and we are going to look
- 17 at that.
- 18 It's not an area we typically do look at,
- 19 and I think it's time.
- 20 And I don't know what the fuss is about.
- 21 If everybody's papers and records are perfectly in
- 22 order, this should be done quickly, and expeditiously,
- 23 and everything will be put to rest.
- DR. THOMPSON: Bring them on, Madam
- 25 President. Bring them on.

- 1 (Applause.)
- 2 MR. MATTHEWS: Madam Chair. I guess the
- 3 whole issue is about money, you know, we are wasting
- 4 money on conducting audits that the state does an
- 5 audit, we have an independent auditor that comes in,
- 6 you have the controller who comes in and does an
- 7 audit, so you have all of our auditors who are coming
- 8 in and looking at the various offices that you are
- 9 referring to, as well as the school level audit.
- 10 And so you have all of those things. And
- 11 those things are in place.
- 12 So it's about money, it is about spending
- 13 \$250,000 for an audit that we believe has already been
- 14 done, through those, through other areas.
- But my question is: You did send me a copy
- 16 of the RFP, but has the contract been signed, and --
- 17 been signed with this company, or with these two
- 18 firms?
- 19 MS. FINK: A letter of engagement has been
- 20 signed, and I'm in the process of getting the contract
- 21 together.
- MR. TAYLOR: They are working already,
- 23 though.
- MS. FINK: Yes, they are. The letter of
- 25 engagement, has been signed.

- 1 MR. MATTHEWS: And that brings up another
- 2 issue, that I am going to raise after we vote on this,
- 3 is that I think that any time our law office is
- 4 involved in negotiating contracts, on behalf of this
- 5 Board, or taking issues for this Board, that the Board
- 6 members have got to see copies of that, because right
- 7 now, you are saying there is a contract that's being
- 8 initiated, and we don't know anything about this.
- 9 So, all I am saying -- and I am trying to
- 10 be good today, I am.
- I am just saying that we need to make sure
- 12 that if you are in fact going to be engaging into a
- 13 contract, entering into a contract on behalf of the
- 14 Board, that we should at least see this contract.
- MS. FINK: I would agree with you, I'm in
- 16 the process of getting it together, so that I can show
- 17 it to our law office, because our law office hasn't
- 18 seen it yet, because it is not completely together.
- MR. MATTHEWS: Who is preparing it?
- MS. FINK: Huh?
- 21 MR. MATTHEWS: Who is preparing it?
- MS. FINK: I was working on it, basically,
- 23 from the resolution that we have. And when I get
- 24 something to show the attorney, I will certainly do
- 25 that.

- 2 contract. Everything that was voted on in the
- 3 resolution, is basically the contract.
- 4 MR. MATTHEWS: Madam Chair, and one of the
- 5 things I am going to ask you to do, is not for us to
- 6 do this ourselves, is give it to our attorneys, they
- 7 are professional, they know how to draft up the
- 8 contract, so that we make sure that things are
- 9 covered, because often times what happens, is that
- 10 when you, I, or someone else, or one of Dr. Thompson's
- 11 employees, other than the legal department, draws up a
- 12 contract, and it's not spelled out, we can't go back
- 13 to them.
- 14 MS. FINK: I know that, Alex.
- MR. MATTHEWS: Right.
- And so I am saying, the procedure should
- 17 not be in your hands, that should automatically be
- 18 given to the law department, and say, "Draw up the
- 19 contract, and let us see it."
- 20 Let them do the legal work and put all of
- 21 the things in there, as opposed to you writing it up
- 22 and then giving it to them.
- 23 MS. FINK: I am getting the information
- 24 together, so that I can give it to the law department.
- 25 That is not a problem, I am not going to do it

- 1 myself. When I get everything together, I am going to
- 2 give it to the legal department.
- MR. MATTHEWS: Have they begun work yet?
- 4 MS. FINK: I believe they have an entrance
- 5 conference with Dr. Thompson this coming Monday.
- 6 Am I correct?
- 7 DR. THOMPSON: That's correct.
- 8 Mr. Matthews, that's correct, they are
- 9 coming in Monday, but we still don't know -- we don't
- 10 have a scope of work, we haven't seen the RFP, they
- 11 sent a list of things today they wanted us to pull.
- 12 So, yes, we are going to have an entrance conference
- 13 on Monday.
- MR. MATTHEWS: And, you know, one of the
- 15 things we always talk about, is the fact that people
- 16 working without contracts, and so that if in fact
- 17 there is no contract in place, I don't think that
- 18 these auditors should be doing any work on behalf of
- 19 this District, until the contract is in place.
- 20 MS. FINK: Well, I don't -- I think the
- 21 letter of engagement gives them the ability to start,
- 22 but I will do everything I can to get the contract
- 23 here before next week.
- 24 MR. MATTHEWS: Then one last thing,
- 25 Mr. Weiss, have you seen the letter of engagement?

- 1 ATTORNEY WEISS: No, I have not.
- MR. MATTHEWS: Who drew that up, Madam
- 3 Chair? The letter of engagement.
- 4 MS. FINK: Oh.
- I talked to the firm about it, and I looked
- 6 at a couple of standard forms, and that's what we
- 7 used.
- 8 MR. MATTHEWS: This is going to be my last
- 9 question, because honestly, like I say, I am going to
- 10 try to be good.
- But if I am understanding correctly, they
- 12 prepared their own letter of engagement, and we looked
- 13 at it and signed it because it's what the standard
- 14 industry is.
- 15 And, you know, I guess the problem with
- 16 that is, that I can enter into a contract with you,
- 17 and I sign what I want to do and give it to you, and
- 18 you sign it, I mean, that's not -- that's not the
- 19 District, that's them saying what they are going to
- 20 do. And we should be the ones who put together that
- 21 letter, as well as the contract.
- So, you know, and things like that, really
- 23 ought to be reviewed by our legal department, because
- 24 there can be a lot of loopholes.
- MR. BRENTLEY: Excuse me, Madam President,

- 1 I would like to make a brief comment, if possible,
- 2 please.
- 3 MS. FINK: Go ahead.
- 4 MR. BRENTLEY: I just also wanted to just
- 5 bring another point of clarification, just minutes ago
- 6 we just turned down a contract for Mr. Weston, and
- 7 your reason for not supporting his contract, is you
- 8 said because he came in and had some inside
- 9 involvement, and we actually -- well, you, with the
- 10 majority just shot that down.
- 11 Here is, your hand picked auditor, Madam
- 12 President, is actually involved with putting together
- 13 the letter of engagement, and then he will also be
- 14 involved with the contract, is that correct?
- Then will you be voting that down as well,
- 16 Madam President? In terms of being consistent?
- MS. FINK: No, I am not going to vote that
- 18 down, Mark, you know that.
- MR. BRENTLEY: I'm sorry?
- 20 MS. FINK: Never mind.
- MR. MATTHEWS: Can we at least have a copy
- 22 of this letter of engagement, so that we can --
- MS. FINK: I will fax you one tomorrow.
- MR. MATTHEWS: Well, please, can you --
- 25 Robin, not to put you on the spot, do you have a copy

- 1 of that?
- MS. WENGER: In the Board office.
- 3 MR. MATTHEWS: All right.
- 4 Can we get that after this meeting, please.
- 5 MS. FINK: Theresa has to go, so could
- 6 we --
- 7 MR. TAYLOR: Mine is brief.
- 8 Madam President, I know Mr. Isler requested
- 9 all of this information, and as we know, we make many
- 10 requests of the staff, and expect to receive the
- 11 information we request in a timely fashion.
- 12 Mr. Isler, has requested public documents, and that's
- 13 RFP, any --
- MS. FINK: They are in the Board office.
- MR. TAYLOR: -- meeting notes, so I just
- 16 would like to make sure that he receives those
- 17 documents.
- But, Mrs. Fink, I think it is really the
- 19 bottom line, let me say this as brief as I can, the
- 20 bottom line is really about dollars, and we lost a
- 21 tremendous amount of foundation funding, which we know
- 22 goes to programs, particularly programs targeting our
- 23 most vulnerable students, and I am fully intending on
- 24 covering many of those programs.
- We cannot lose the extended day, and

- 1 extended year programs, in communities like Miller and
- 2 Lincoln, and others who serve many low income
- 3 families, who really do need that extra piece, one for
- 4 education, but also again, in many instances, it is
- 5 doubling, it is covering as a child care piece.
- We can't lose the extended programs,
- 7 because we know how successful that they have been.
- 8 We cannot lose Westinghouse, or Peabody's technology
- 9 program, which is now four years old, and it is doing
- 10 great, it is bringing children, training them for real
- 11 jobs, and jobs that they can grow with, as technology
- 12 grows.
- So I am committed to covering as much of
- 14 these programs as we can cover, and hopefully, down
- 15 the line, we can receive again that funding back for
- 16 the District, and we have to start looking for ways to
- 17 cover, you know, three and four million dollars.
- And so we have got to really more than ever
- 19 now, begin to look at every use of our dollars, and
- 20 that includes the million dollars in the Board of
- 21 Directors' fund, and this includes this quarter of a
- 22 million dollars.
- We have to be very careful with those
- 24 funds, because I don't think we have had that
- 25 discussion yet, but I think all of us are in

- 1 agreement, that there are many, many programs, that
- 2 the foundations fund, that we want to keep going, and
- 3 we are going to keep going.
- 4 MS. FINK: Do we have any other questions,
- 5 or comments?
- If not, we need to have a roll call vote on
- 7 Mr. Isler's motion, which was to rescind the contract
- 8 with the auditors.
- 9 ATTORNEY WEISS: Mr. Brentley?
- MR. BRENTLEY: Yes.
- 11 ATTORNEY WEISS: Mrs. Colaizzi?
- MS. COLAIZZI: No.
- 13 ATTORNEY WEISS: Mrs. Harris?
- MS. HARRIS: No.
- 15 ATTORNEY WEISS: Mr. Isler?
- MR. ISLER: Yes.
- 17 ATTORNEY WEISS: Mr. Matthews?
- MR. MATTHEWS: Yes.
- MS. COLAIZZI: Mr. McCrea?
- MR. McCREA: No.
- 21 ATTORNEY WEISS: Mr. Taylor?
- MR. TAYLOR: Yes.
- 23 ATTORNEY WEISS: Mrs. Fink?
- MS. FINK: No.
- 25 ATTORNEY WEISS: The motion is defeated.

- MS. FINK: Okay. If we may now turn to --
- MR. MATTHEWS: Madam Chair, I had one more
- 3 piece of new business, and I don't have it written
- 4 down.
- 5 MS. FINK: Okay.
- 6 MR. MATTHEWS: But mainly what I would
- 7 like -- and Mr. Weiss, if you can put this somehow
- 8 into legal terms, but any information that this Board
- 9 directs the legal department, that we need to make
- 10 sure that the entire Board is copied on, because
- 11 oftentimes things get done, and just a few Board
- 12 members know what's going on.
- 13 And I want to make it a policy, to say that
- 14 any items that is requested of -- any directive that
- 15 is requested of this Board, by any member of this
- 16 Board, on behalf of this District, to do some type of
- 17 action, that all of the Board members are copied in on
- 18 that action.
- MS. COLAIZZI: Mr. Matthews, may I ask for
- 20 some clarification?
- 21 Are you saying only information that is
- 22 asked for action by the whole Board, or do you -- are
- 23 you also asking for any information that any Board
- 24 member is requesting, sir?
- MR. TAYLOR: Can I give an example, there

- 1 was a directive, by a Board member, to initiate a
- 2 lawsuit against a School Board employee, against the
- 3 knowledge of the entire District, this knowledge, the
- 4 rest of the Board did not have knowledge that that had
- 5 occurred, and that should never be occurring.
- 6 So, Mr. Matthews, I don't know how we can
- 7 shape this right here at the table, but I would like
- 8 to see us pass a principle like that tonight, that any
- 9 directives that go to the legal staff, or even
- 10 questions, that those questions come back to the whole
- 11 Board, so that we don't have particular Board members
- 12 making legal decisions on behalf of the Board, such as
- 13 the one unprecedented action, like suing a School
- 14 Board employee.
- 15 MS. FINK: Mr. --
- MS. COLAIZZI: I'm sorry, Mrs. Fink.
- 17 That's exactly what I am asking. Are you
- 18 suggesting only directives that are going to be coming
- 19 in front of the Board, or are you also asking all
- 20 information?
- 21 Because I will support all information.
- MR. MATTHEWS: That's fine.
- I no have problem with that, because that
- 24 then, then we all keep honest.
- MS. COLAIZZI: That's right.

- 1 MR. MATTHEWS: Because that way we don't
- 2 have the legal department, you know, preparing ---
- 3 MR. TAYLOR: RFP's, and --
- 4 MR. MATTHEWS: Exactly.
- 5 So, can that be a stated principle, and
- 6 Mr. Weiss, if you can draw something --
- 7 MR. TAYLOR: Should that be just to our
- 8 legal department, or should that be to all legal
- 9 contracts, or -- you know, because we have many legal
- 10 firms, that we are contracted with.
- MR. MATTHEWS: It should be to all.
- 12 ATTORNEY WEISS: If I can just make a
- 13 comment.
- MS. FINK: Please.
- 15 ATTORNEY WEISS: And obviously, we will
- 16 certainly, both Miss Royal and I, who are principally
- 17 the contact persons for questions from the Board, and
- 18 requests for information, we will certainly provide
- 19 that information to the Board office, I think that's
- 20 the most expeditious way to make sure everybody gets
- 21 it.
- I must say, however, that this Board has
- 23 several contracted attorneys who handle purely
- 24 litigation, and I would strongly suggest that it is
- 25 not really productive, to have them papering the Board

- 1 with everything they do, on the hundreds of cases they
- 2 handle.
- 3 So I am interpreting this to be any request
- 4 for information that the Board makes, or any actions
- 5 the Board member may request, outside of these cases
- 6 that are handled on a routine basis.
- 7 Am I correct?
- MR. MATTHEWS: That is correct.
- 9 MR. TAYLOR: I think it is more a concern
- 10 where people are directing legal people to draw up
- 11 RFP's, or things like that other Board members don't
- 12 have knowledge of it, and again, something -- so what
- 13 we are asking is not to cite something specific.
- 14 ATTORNEY WEISS: I understand.
- MR. TAYLOR: But a broader one.
- 16 Like, for instance, I would have liked to
- 17 have been informed that a Board member had made a
- 18 request for legal action to be initiated against a
- 19 board member employee.
- I think that we as a whole Board would have
- 21 had liked to have known about that before it
- 22 occurred.
- 23 And so that was a directive that went to
- 24 the legal person, on behalf of the whole School Board,
- 25 that was made by one individual, that should have

- 1 never occurred.
- We are looking for safeguards to make sure
- 3 that doesn't occur again. And other issues like that.
- 4 ATTORNEY WEISS: What I would like to
- 5 recommend, is that the Board consider a motion to
- 6 declare as a statement of policy, that any request for
- 7 information directed by Board members, to either the
- 8 law department, or special counsel, or any request for
- 9 action on behalf of the District from a Board member,
- 10 to those individuals, be communicated to the Board
- 11 office, and then disseminated to the Board as a whole.
- 12 MR. ISLER: I make that in the form of a
- 13 motion.
- MR. MATTHEWS: Second.
- MS. FINK: I have no problem with that.
- 16 ATTORNEY WEISS: You can do a voice vote,
- 17 if you want.
- 18 MS. FINK: Okay. Voice vote.
- 19 All in favor say aye.
- 20 (Thereupon, there was a chorus of ayes.)
- 21 MS. FINK: Okay.
- 22 DR. THOMPSON: Madam President, before you
- 23 go, I am sitting here, my head is just swirling, but
- 24 there was a request of the audit -- of the controller
- 25 upstairs, to take a look at our office, and to do an

- 1 investigation. That report came back. Did they find
- 2 any irregularities, other than the 13-5 that we had
- 3 spent, that amounted to more than \$1,500? What was
- 4 the report?
- 5 MS. FINK: Dr. Thompson, I don't have the
- 6 report back yet.
- 7 DR. THOMPSON: You haven't talked to the
- 8 controllers at all?
- 9 MS. FINK: No, I have not.
- DR. THOMPSON: Okay.
- 11 Well, I suggest, that they need to take
- 12 care, because we spent \$800,000 a year for that office
- 13 upstairs, the preliminary report, that I received
- 14 back, was that I did not spend beyond the \$6,000 that
- 15 was allotted to me, and I had a couple of items on
- 16 there, where I didn't have item -- I had receipts, but
- 17 they were not itemized. It did verify 13-5 in my
- 18 office.
- But I once again, appeal to you, before you
- 20 go out and spend \$250,000, on an audit, if there is
- 21 anything you want to know about our office, that I
- 22 would suggest that we contact the controllers
- 23 upstairs, or contact the budget and finance office
- 24 now.
- Because I guarantee you, we can probably

- 1 save the District some money, you can get the same
- 2 answers, that you are going to get by spending
- 3 \$250,000.
- 4 That is my request to this Board this
- 5 evening.
- 6 MR. MATTHEWS: Thank you. Can we get a
- 7 copy of that when it comes back to you?
- 8 MS. FINK: Yes. When I get it.
- 9 Alex.
- 10 A VOICE: The state needs to step in.
- MS. FINK: Please.
- 12 Mr. Matthews is talking about the report
- 13 from the controller, for the audit that they did, and
- 14 I do not have that yet.
- MS. COLAIZZI: But Dr. Thompson indicated
- 16 he did.
- MS. FINK: Well, he may have gotten his
- 18 piece, and other offices.
- Mr. Camarda, maybe you can add to this.
- 20 MR. CAMARDA: I --
- 21 MS. FINK: Please, you know, you can't
- 22 speak at this.
- 23 MR. CAMARDA: I inquired about the audit
- 24 today. I inquired about the audit today, in the
- 25 controller's office, that was one of the pieces that

- 1 we received that was requested from the auditors to
- 2 come in, so I just went to their office, because I
- 3 have not received a released copy yet, and I was
- 4 informed by their office, even though there was an
- 5 exit conference, basically with Dr. Thompson and
- 6 myself last week, they have not released the audit
- 7 report yet.
- 8 MS. FINK: Okay.
- 9 MR. CAMARDA: So they are still, after the
- 10 exit conference, going back and making sure they are
- 11 absolutely correct with where they are, and we are
- 12 actually providing some other clarification, so they
- 13 will absolutely do the good job they always do, and
- 14 then release the report.
- MS. HARRIS: Can we get a copy of whatever
- 16 Dr. Thompson has? Because we don't have that.
- MR. CAMARDA: I think since it's a
- 18 controller's office report, you need to ask them, you
- 19 know, if you can have a draft of what their report
- 20 was, because I am not sure of what changes they want
- 21 to make to it.
- I will gladly talk to you about what's in
- 23 there, but I don't think that they are ready to
- 24 release the report yet.
- We have what they had stamped to be a

- 1 draft.
- DR. THOMPSON: There was a draft, exit
- 3 conference, just like we do with the other auditors
- 4 when they come in, and audit us, audit us before they
- 5 have the final draft, a preliminary thing, they go
- 6 into the exit conference, and more or less in
- 7 conversation about any findings they had had, and
- 8 that's what that basically was.
- 9 So, in my interpretation, I understand it,
- 10 you are supposed to have meetings with the auditors,
- 11 on -- I mean the controller, on Friday, or sometime,
- 12 that was expressed to me. I don't know
- MS. HARRIS: Well, maybe we will talk after
- 14 the meeting, and you can share the draft with us.
- DR. THOMPSON: I don't have the draft with
- 16 me at this time.
- MS. HARRIS: You don't have the --
- DR. THOMPSON: I suggest, you made -- it
- 19 was your request to the auditor, and I am not in the
- 20 position to release an auditor's information.
- I think you need to get that from the
- 22 auditor, from the controller, I think you really need
- 23 to do that. Because I will be premature in doing
- 24 anything they have already done.
- 25 (Applause.)

- MS. FINK: If we have no other business to
- 2 come before this Board --
- MR. TAYLOR: Can I ask a question?
- 4 MS. FINK: Mr. Taylor.
- 5 MR. TAYLOR: I just want to ask the
- 6 superintendent, maybe you can introduce to the public,
- 7 our new director of technology, a lot of people may
- 8 not know who he is.
- 9 DR. THOMPSON: I don't know if they want to
- 10 be introduced or not.
- Mr. -- Elby, Elbert Yaworsky is our new
- 12 technology director, and we are just so happy to have
- 13 him on board, and because so many things have just
- 14 turned around over the few weeks he has been here, he
- 15 is just really a breath of fresh air for me, and a
- 16 relief for me.
- MR. TAYLOR: Dr. Thompson, could you
- 18 pronounce his name again? That was pretty good for
- 19 somebody who is not a southern guy.
- DR. THOMPSON: Yaworsky.
- MR. TAYLOR: That is pretty good.
- MR. YAWORSKY: That's not bad, for
- 23 Ukrainian name.
- Thank you.
- 25 (Applause.)

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MS. FINK: If we have no -- if we have no
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