

Alpha Borough Public School Board of Education
SCHOOL BOARD WORK SESSION MEETING

December 6, 2022 7:00 p.m.

Approved December 20, 2022

I. CALL TO ORDER - 7:00pm

II. OPENING STATEMENTS

A. Reading of the Notice of Public Meeting-

The New Jersey Open Public Meetings Act was enacted to insure the right of the public to have advance notice of and to attend the meetings of public bodies at which any business affecting their interests is either discussed or acted upon. The Board has fully complied with the notice requirements by advertising in The Express Times and The Star Ledger posting publicly and by notifying the Municipal Clerk of the date, time and place of the meeting.

B. Roll Call

Travis Conway	X
Louis Hardy	AB
Christopher McGee	X
Jennifer Pettinelli	X
Loretta Reed	X
Patrick Smith	AB
Linda Sutch	X

C. Flag Salute – Pledge of Allegiance

D. Silent Meditation

III. COMMUNICATIONS TO THE BOARD -

1. County notified us that we do not have a seat on the Phillipsburg BOE due to not having the minimum percentage of students attending. NJSBA helped with this in the past, Superintendents of the sending districts have reached out to NJSBA.
2. Field experience email - forwarded to Seth

IV. OLD BUSINESS - AM Drop Off - improved since email was sent out

1. There will be 2 open seats in January.

V. PUBLIC INPUT – None

VI. WORKSHOP DISCUSSION ITEMS – Chief School Administrator, Seth Cohen

- **OPERATIONS:**
 - AYAA Accommodation - Pohat basketball practices sharing the gym
 - Calendar on website should be populated now
 - Santa's workshop will be happening soon
 - Drama Club - fantastic performance

- Tree lightning performance was very good
- **PERSONNEL:**
Class Schedule/Meeting Dates - look into possibly changing meeting dates at reorg meeting
- **TECHNOLOGY:**
 - Phone Update – Part 2
 - Smart Projector Update Part 2 - going in tomorrow
- **POLICY:**
 - Residency - delicate situation handled well by Mrs. Walker
 - District Re-Registration - authorize in January for 23-24 SY
- **CURRICULUM:**
 - Inservice Plan - Debbie Diller will be here all day
- **BUDGET:**
 - Grant Writer - looking into this - possibly a shared venture with the town?

VII.NEW BUSINESS - None

VIII.PUBLIC INPUT - None

IX.EXECUTIVE SESSION - Motion In: Chris McGee, seconded by Loretta Reed 7:17pm
Motion Out: Linda Sutch, seconded by Loretta Reed 7:38pm

X.ADJOURNMENT

Motion made by Loretta Reed , seconded by Travis Conway, to adjourn at 7:39 PM

VOICE VOTE - All in favor

Respectfully submitted,

Jennifer Pettinelli
Board President