

**Rochelle Park Board of Education
Executive/Work Session - 7:00 P.M.
Regular Meeting-7:30 P.M.
December 14, 2017**

- I. Call to Order**
- II. Roll Call**

Board Member	Present	Absent
Mrs. Maria Lauerman, Vice President	X	
Mrs. Shirley Abraham	X	
Mr. Sam Allos	X	
Mrs. Teresa Judge Cravello	X	
Mrs. Geraldine Minichetti	X	
Mr. Matt Trawinski		X (arrived 7:04)
Mrs. Dimitria Leakas, President	X	

Others present:

- Dr. Geoffrey W. Zoeller, Jr., Superintendent of Schools
- Mr. Brian Cannici, Principal
- Mr. Joseph DeGrazio, Building & Grounds Supervisor
- Mrs. Ellen Kobylarz, Board Secretary

III. Executive Session Announcement (if needed) The Board will reconvene in Public Session at approximately 7:30 P.M.

WHEREAS, the Rochelle Park Board of Education (hereinafter referred to as the “Board”) will convene in Executive Session to discuss confidential matters which include:

Personnel and Litigious Matters

NOW HEREFOR BE IT RESOLVED, the Board shall move into Executive Session to discuss the above referenced matter(s).

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the minutes of the executive session will provide as much information as possible without violating any applicable privilege or confidentiality so that the public can understand what was discussed and when available what the Board decision was...

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the minutes of the executive session will be released to the public in an appropriately redacted form within a reasonable period of time after the privilege or confidentiality is no longer applicable to such minutes.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the redacted portion of the executive session minutes will not be released until such time as the privilege or confidentiality is no longer applicable.

Motion by Mrs. Judge Cravello, seconded by Mr. Allos, to open Executive Session at 7:01 P.M.

Roll Call 7-0

Motion Carried

Motion by Mr. Allos, seconded by Mrs. Lauerman, to close the Executive Session and enter the Regular meeting agenda at 7:43 P.M.

Roll Call 7-0

Motion Carried

IV. Flag Salute Lead by Mrs. Lauerman

V. Open Public Meetings Act, Chapter 231,P.L.1975 Announcement-by Board President

In accordance with the requirements of the Open Public Meetings Act, I wish to announce that”
“The New Jersey Open Public Meeting Law was enacted to insure the right of the public to have advance notice of and to attend the meeting of bodies at which any business affecting their interests is discussed or acted upon. Notices announcing the date, time and place for this Regular Meeting were sent to all concerned individuals, associations and sent to the, The Record and The Our Town, in accordance with Chapter 231,P.L.1975”

VI. Report of the District Auditors Heidi Wor gave the audit report to the board.

There were no recommendations for the second year in a row, and the board was able to bank \$250,000.00 in funds to offset the budget for 2019-2020 school year for tax relief. The State of New Jersey came in and audited our Special Education funds and also found no recommendations. So that is a great accomplishment. Dr. Zoeller praised Mrs.Pfohl and her staff on a wonderful job,

VII. Superintendent’s Report Dr. Zoeller reported the following:

- Resolutions for workshops, SKIP and DACT committees.

VIII. Principal’s Report Mr. Cannici reported the following:

- Personally, thanked and congratulated the outgoing BOE members, for their support over the years and their dedication to the students.
- Discussed some events that will be coming up later in the month such as the concerts.
- Friday the 22nd is a shorten day and recess will continue until with students returning on January 2nd
- Congratulated Ms. Mallon for the grant she received. The funds will go towards the student’s field trip.
- He wished everyone a wonderful holiday and New Year.
- PTO Mrs. Lala announced the upcoming PTA events.

IX. Building & Grounds Supervisor Report Mr. DeGrazio reported the following:

- Minor gas leak, first vendor did not completely fix the problem. Hired a new vendor and then were able to fix the problem.
- Thanked the staff for the clean up after the last storm.
- Score board in the gym hasn’t been working, vendor came in and fix the problem it is now working.
- He thanked the outgoing board members for their support, looks forward to working with the new board members, wish everyone a happy holiday.

X. Reports – Board Committee Reports

2017 School Year

Buildings & Grounds Shirley Abraham – Thanked Joe for his work.

Business, Finance, and Transportation Dimitria Leakas- Audit report was very good

Curriculum, Instruction, and Assessment Maria Lauerman – Social studies curriculum should be done shortly. Media is slated to be the next curriculum to be worked on. NJ SMART upload was done successfully. The district is looking to go digital with the report cards. Brain pop site is being used in the classroom and at home. Level reading it enables the teacher, parent and student to choose books appropriate for the student’s level. ESL has doubled with different languages this is an area that needs to be looked at for next year. Also, an ESL summer program is very important. Dr. Zoeller added that some of the grants that we obtain is used for the summer ESL program, it’s important and the board is

looking to do that again this Summer. Mrs. Lauerman spoke about her own experience where she is not a native language speaker and classes like this helped her.

Legislative and Policy Teresa Judge Cravello – reported on several legislation on absenteeism, water safety. Anti-bullying policy being expanded.

Personnel/Negotiations/ Staff Relations Sam Allos- negotiations will not start until next year some time. He talked about his partnership with Lakeland Bank who was able to partner with Midland and Hackensack High School to provide students with financial literacy. Secondly, he learned from another BOE member in another town. The state asked them to build a three-foot bridge that can support 80 pounds. The state supplied the district with all the necessary supplies. He would like to see this brought to our school.

Special Education Geraldine Minichetti -Meeting last week, status on Orton Gillingham, we have sent 5 teachers in total. The teachers are already seeing results. We would like to establish a primary class for students aging out of some Special needs preschool.

Technology Matt Trawinski – nothing to report President Leakas spoke about the Superintendent's coffee hour where Mr. Weaver from Bergen Tech presented a Google presentation. It was wonderful and eye opening. She thanked the teachers for embracing the technology. Dr. Zoeller praised Mrs. Jacobus's flipped classroom model and other ways she is teaching her children.

Board Liaison Assignments:

NJSBA/ BCSBA -Teresa Judge Cravello-Attended two school board meetings. One was on the do's and don'ts with 5 other board members. The other she attended with Mrs. Minichetti and Ms. Wuthrick. School Boards will be recognized in the month of January. Wished everyone a happy holiday and new year.

Joint Boards- Dimitria Leakas – mentioned the important dates at the High School

Municipality- Sam Allos he will be attending the Township meeting next week.

Community- Matt Trawinski – Rec. basketball is in full swing. He thanked Mrs. Abraham for her diligence with this program. There are over 100 students enrolled. Tree lighting went well, he was at the soccer dinner that night which is another successful program in town.

XII. Open Public Forum (Pursuant to Board Policy 0167 – Public Participation in Board Meetings)

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Motion by Mrs. Lauerman, seconded by Mr. Allos, to open public comment at 8:25 P.M.

Roll Call 7-0

Motion Carried

Mr. Lauerman Chestnut St. – thanked Mrs. Minichetti for accepting this position, thanked the outgoing BOE members Mr. Allos and Mrs. Abraham. He then spoke about his wife Maria, her dedication to the students, her focus always on the children. She has been a role model for her own children. He ended by saying that she has accomplished everything she set out to do and it is now time to come home.

Mrs. Verhasselt Forest Pl. there is a program called C perch. It can be in house or competition. Awesome program for middle school. We did have destination imagination might be good to bring it back. Parking lot on Williams St. problem with people parking there. Cars are still there with snow on them. She would like to encourage the board and administration to address that. The township is creating a parking commission. Dr. Zoeller explained that it is on our radar, the district has to work with the township on policies so that we are able to address the issue. It is one of the board goals for this year.

Motion by Mr. Allos, second by Mrs. Lauerman, to close public comment at 8:34 P.M.

Roll Call 7-0

Motion Carried

President Leakas read a letter congratulating and thanking the outgoing Board members, highlighting their accomplishments as a Board. Speaking of their integrity, putting students first, all being a huge asset bring their individual skills to move this district forward. She is honored to serve with these individuals, with honest and integrity. She welcomed the new Board members and finally thanked the community for her time as President.

XIII. Items for Board Action-Resolutions

Note: Resolutions marked with an asterisk are as a result of Executive Session Discussion.

ROCHELLE PARK BOARD OF EDUCATION RESOLUTION IN RECOGNITION AND APPRECIATION FOR Shirley Abraham

WHEREAS, Shirley Abraham has served as a Board Trustee with the Rochelle Park Board of Education January 2014 through December 2017. During this time she has committed herself and served to the operation of the Rochelle Park Board of Education and for the well-being of the Children of Rochelle Park - Midland School #1; and

WHEREAS, her personal commitment to a quality education, her valued participation in establishing effective policies, and her readiness to render services in seeking educational excellence have contributed immeasurably to the progress of our school system; and

WHEREAS, the Members of the Board of Education and the community appreciates and hereby recognizes her commitment to the Rochelle Park Board of Education; Rochelle Park - Midland School #1 and to the children of the community; and

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Rochelle Park Board of Education, on behalf of your colleagues, our teachers and our students, acknowledges the efforts of Shirley Abraham as Board Trustee of the Rochelle Park Board of Education; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that with the enactment of this resolution, Shirley Abraham's recognition shall be so noted in the minutes and become a part of the permanent record of the district; and

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED, that the Rochelle Park Board of Education wishes Shirley Abraham every success during the coming years.

Motion by Mrs. Lauerman, second by Mr. Allos,
Roll Call 7-0
Motion Carried

**ROCHELLE PARK BOARD OF EDUCATION RESOLUTION
IN RECOGNITION AND APPRECIATION FOR
Sam Allos**

WHEREAS, Sam Allos has served as a Board Trustee with the Rochelle Park Board of Education April 2008 through December 2017. During this time he has committed himself and served to the operation of the Rochelle Park Board of Education and for the well-being of the Children of Rochelle Park - Midland School #1; and

WHEREAS, his personal commitment to a quality education, his valued participation in establishing effective policies, and his readiness to render services in seeking educational excellence have contributed immeasurably to the progress of our school system; and

WHEREAS, the Members of the Board of Education and the community appreciates and hereby recognizes his commitment to the Rochelle Park Board of Education; Rochelle Park - Midland School #1 and to the children of the community; and

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Rochelle Park Board of Education, on behalf of your colleagues, our teachers and our students, acknowledges the efforts of Sam Allos as Board Trustee of the Rochelle Park Board of Education; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that with the enactment of this resolution, Sam Allos's recognition shall be so noted in the minutes and become a part of the permanent record of the district; and

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED, that the Rochelle Park Board of Education wishes Sam Allos every success during the coming years.

Motion by Mrs. Abraham, second by Mrs. Judge Cravello,
Roll Call 7-0
Motion Carried

**ROCHELLE PARK BOARD OF EDUCATION RESOLUTION
IN RECOGNITION AND APPRECIATION FOR
Arlene Ciliento Buyck**

WHEREAS, Arlene Ciliento Buyck has served as a Board Trustee with the Rochelle Park Board of Education January 2013 through October 2017. During this time she has committed herself and served to

the operation of the Rochelle Park Board of Education and for the well-being of the Children of Rochelle Park - Midland School #1; and

WHEREAS, her personal commitment to a quality education, her valued participation in establishing effective policies, and her readiness to render services in seeking educational excellence have contributed immeasurably to the progress of our school system; and

WHEREAS, the Members of the Board of Education and the community appreciates and hereby recognizes her commitment to the Rochelle Park Board of Education; Rochelle Park - Midland School #1 and to the children of the community; and

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Rochelle Park Board of Education, on behalf of your colleagues, our teachers and our students, acknowledges the efforts of Arlene Ciliento Buyck as Board Trustee of the Rochelle Park Board of Education; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that with the enactment of this resolution, Arlene Ciliento Buyck's recognition shall be so noted in the minutes and become a part of the permanent record of the district; and

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED, that the Rochelle Park Board of Education wishes Arlene Ciliento Buyck every success during the coming years.

Motion by Mrs. Minichetti, second by Mrs. Abraham,
Roll Call 7-0
Motion Carried

**ROCHELLE PARK BOARD OF EDUCATION RESOLUTION
IN RECOGNITION AND APPRECIATION FOR
Maria Lauerman**

WHEREAS, Maria Lauerman has served as a Board Trustee with the Rochelle Park Board of Education May 2013 through December 2017. During this time she has committed herself and served to the operation of the Rochelle Park Board of Education and for the well-being of the Children of Rochelle Park - Midland School #1; and

WHEREAS, her personal commitment to a quality education, her valued participation in establishing effective policies, and her readiness to render services in seeking educational excellence have contributed immeasurably to the progress of our school system; and

WHEREAS, the Members of the Board of Education and the community appreciates and hereby recognizes her commitment to the Rochelle Park Board of Education; Rochelle Park - Midland School #1 and to the children of the community; and

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Rochelle Park Board of Education, on behalf of your colleagues, our teachers and our students, acknowledges the efforts of Maria Lauerman as Board Trustee of the Rochelle Park Board of Education; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that with the enactment of this resolution, Maria Lauerman's recognition shall be so noted in the minutes and become a part of the permanent record of the district; and

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED, that the Rochelle Park Board of Education wishes Maria Lauerman every success during the coming years.

Motion by Mr. Allos, second by Mrs. Minichetti,
Roll Call 7-0
Motion Carried

ROUTINE MATTERS RESOLUTIONS R1-R6
POLICY #0168- APPROVALS OF BOARD MINUTES

R1. RESOLVED: that the Rochelle Park Board of Education approves the minutes of the following meetings:

November 1, 2017 Special & Executive Meetings
November 13, 2017 Special & Executive Meetings

Motion by Mrs. Lauerman, second by Mr. Allos,
Roll Call 7-0
Motion Carried

POLICY#5200 ATTENDANCE

R2. RESOLVED: that the Board of Education approves the attendance report for the month of November 2017 as listed:

<u>Enrollment</u>	<u>Left</u>	<u>Entered</u>
Midland School 480		1-Kndg
Hackensack H.S. 136		2-6th Graders
Academies/Tech. Schools 17		
Totals 633		

<u>Pupil Attendance</u>		<u>Teacher Attendance</u>	
Possible Days 8596		Possible Days 972	
Days Present 8175.5		Days Present 956	
Days Absent 420.5		Days Absent 16	
% Present 95.1%		% Present 98.3%	
% Absent 4.9%		% Absent 1.7%	

Motion by Mrs. Lauerman, second by Mr. Allos,
Roll Call 7-0
Motion Carried

POLICY #8420 EMERGENCY & CRISIS SITUATIONS

R3. RESOLVED: that the Rochelle Park Board of Education approves the following Fire and Security drills held in the month of November 2017 for the Rochelle Park School District.

Fire Drill November 29, 2017
Security Drill November 2, 2017 and November 13, 2017

Motion by Mrs. Lauerman, second by Mr. Allos,

Roll Call 7-0
Motion Carried

POLICY #5512.01 HARRASSMENT INTIMIDATION AND BULLYING

R4. RESOLVED: that the Rochelle Park Board of Education approves the following HIB Report for November 2017 on behalf of the Rochelle Park School District.

November 2011

Reported Cases: 1
Number of Cases open: 0
Number of Cases closed: 1
Number of Incidents determined to be HIB: 1

Motion by Mrs. Lauerman, second by Mr. Allos,
Roll Call 7-0
Motion Carried

POLICY #0134 - BOARD SELF-EVALUATION

R5. RESOLVED: that the Board of Education has compiled and discussed the Board's Self-Evaluation and has completed all requirements of Policy #0134.

Motion by Mrs. Lauerman, second by Mr. Allos,
Roll Call 7-0
Motion Carried

POLICY #0130 BYLAWS & POLICIES

R6. RESOLVED: on the recommendation of the Superintendent, the Board of Education approves the second reading and adoption of the following Policies and Regulations:

Policies

7102 Site Selection and Acquisition
2700 Services to Nonpublic School Students
7100 Long-Range Facilities Planning
7101 Educational Adequacy of Capital Projects
7130 School Closing
7300 Disposition of Property
9235.1 Use of Teleconferencing

Regulations

R7102 Site Selection and Acquisition
R7100 Long-Range Facilities Planning
R7101 Educational Adequacy of Capital Projects
R7300.4 Disposition of Federal Property
R7300.3 Disposition of Personal Property
R7300.2 Disposition of Land

Motion by Mrs. Lauerman, second by Mr. Allos,
Roll Call 7-0
Motion Carried

PERSONNEL RESOLUTIONS P1-P11
POLICY #3240 – PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

***P1. RESOLVED:** on the recommendation of the Superintendent, that the Board of Education approves the participation of the persons named at the following workshops/conferences:

Mrs. Barriento to attend “BELS makerspace” in Elmwood Park on January 8, 2018 at no cost to the district for registration.

Ms. Mallon, Mrs. Barriento and Mrs. Jacobus to attend “Google 2 Bootcamp” on January 19, 2018 at a cost of \$185.00 per registration.

Mrs. Leccese and Mrs. Raimondi to attend “Google and the Student Centered Math Classroom” on February 27, 2017 (this is a previously approved workshop where there is a change of date requested by the presenter)

Ms. Nam to attend “It’s okay to Talk about Mental illness” on December 15, 2017 in Wayne at no cost to the district for registration.

Ms. Barbieri and Mrs. Durkin to attend “Handle w/ Care: Verbal De-Escalation” on December 11, 2017 at no cost to the district for registration.

Motion by Mr. Allos seconded by Mrs. Lauerma
Roll Call 7-0
Motion Carried

POLICY# 3125 EMPLOYMENT OF TEACHING STAFF MEMBERS

P2. RESOLVED: on the recommendation of the Superintendent, that the Board of Education appoint the following personnel to the listed extra-curricular positions for the 2017-2018 school year. Stipends in accordance with the 2017-2018 master contract.

Mrs. Barriento Assistant Softball Coach \$1,112.00
Mrs. Weiner- Chorus/Director school play \$645.00
Mrs. O’Brien- Musical Play Scene Designer \$556.00
Mrs. Calderone- Gymnastic Coach shared stipend \$1,521.00
Mrs. Lisa Fletcher- Piano Accompanist school play no more than 10 hours

Motion by Mr. Allos seconded by Mrs. Lauerma
Roll Call 7-0
Motion Carried

POLICY#4111- HIRING CERTIFIED PERSONNEL

P3. RESOLVED, Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent that the Board of Education extend the appointment of Josephine Hong to the position of Leave Replacement Teacher (no benefits) until February 28, 2018 on BA+30 Step 1 at a pro-rated salary of \$54,388.00.

Motion by Mr. Allos seconded by Mrs. Lauerma
Roll Call 7-0
Motion Carried

P4. RESOLVED: on the recommendation of the Superintendent that the Board of Education approves the following persons named to the School Improvement Panel and District Evaluation Advisory Committee for the 2017-2018 school year.

**Mrs. Cara Serpineto
Mr. Jeffrey Grossman
Mrs. Angela Jacobus**

Motion by Mr. Allos seconded by Mrs. Lauerman
Roll Call 7-0
Motion Carried

POLICY #4211 HIRING- NON-CERTIFIED PERSONNEL

***P5- RESOLVED: on the recommendation of the Superintendent, that the Board of Education approve Mary Pichardo as a Café/ Playground Assistant \$11.75 per hour for the remainder of the 2017-2018 school year.**

Motion by Mr. Allos seconded by Mrs. Lauerman
Roll Call 7-0
Motion Carried

P6. RESOLVED: on the recommendation of the Superintendent, that the Board of Education approve the following list of substitute teachers for the 2017-2018 school year at a rate of \$85.00 per day:

**Joseph Pizzano
Lisa Junda
Kelly Collova
Michelle Ramirez
Samantha Tapper**

Motion by Mr. Allos seconded by Mrs. Lauerman
Roll Call 7-0
Motion Carried

P7. RESOLVED: on the recommendation of the Superintendent, that the Board of Education approve Michelle Ramirez to the list of Substitute Classroom Assistants for the remainder of the 2017-2018 school year at a rate of \$10.05 per hour.

Motion by Mr. Allos seconded by Mrs. Lauerman
Roll Call 7-0
Motion Carried

P8. RESOLVED: on the recommendation of the Superintendent, that the Board of Education approve Mary Monnachio to the list of Substitute Latchkey personnel for the remainder of the 2017-2018 school year at a rate of \$19.80/\$22.00 per hour depending on the position she is in for.

Motion by Mr. Allos seconded by Mrs. Lauerman

Roll Call 7-0
Motion Carried

P9. RESOLVED: on the recommendation of the Superintendent, that the Board of Education approve Kristen Gonzalez to work three days over the holiday break at her daily rate.

Motion by Mr. Allos seconded by Mrs. Lauerman
Roll Call 7-0
Motion Carried

POLICY# 1220 EMPLOYMENT OF CHIEF SCHOOL ADMINISTRATOR

P10. RESOLVED, that the Board hereby grants approval for the Superintendent to serve as an adjunct professor for the Spring 2018 semester in accordance with the provisions of his Employment Agreement. It is understood that the course meets one evening per week and has no time commitments during any part of the work day.

Motion by Mr. Allos seconded by Mrs. Lauerman
Roll Call 7-0
Motion Carried

POLICY #9541 – STUDENT TEACHERS/INTERNS

P11. RESOLVED: that the Board of Education approves the following Student Practicum on or about January 1, 2018- May 30, 2018.

Kaitlyn Policastro – Suk Nam

Motion by Mr. Allos seconded by Mrs. Lauerman
Roll Call 7-0
Motion Carried

FINANCE AND INSURANCE-RESOLUTIONS F1-F9

POLICY #6460 PAYMENT OF GOODS AND SERVICES

F1. RESOLVED: that the Rochelle Park Board of Education approve the December 2017 Bill List as approved by the Finance Committee, attached and listed below:

Fund	Total Expenditures
10 – General Fund	\$673,502.34
20 – Federal Grant	.00
30 – Referendum Account	\$475.00
60 – Cafeteria	\$18,358.14
61 – Afterschool Program	\$2,387.98
Total	\$694,722.98

ATTACHEMENT

Motion by Mrs. Abraham, second by Mrs. Lauerman,
Roll Call
Motion Carried

Transfers

F2. RESOLVED, that the Rochelle Park Board of Education approves the November 2017 line item transfers see attached list.

Motion by Mrs. Abraham, second by Mrs. Lauerman,
Roll Call
Motion Carried

F3. Approval of November Payroll – that the Board approve the payroll for November as follows:

Payroll

Month November

Fund	Gross Payroll	Employer Share of Social Security	Employer DCRP Contribution	Total Payroll Expense
Fund 10	496,037.96	7,612.47	618.94	504,269.37
Fund 20				
Fund 30				
Fund 61	17,926.55	1,371.38		19,297.93
Total	\$513,94.51	\$8,983.85	\$618.94	\$523,567.30

Motion by Mrs. Abraham, second by Mrs. Lauerman,
Roll Call
Motion Carried

Monthly Budgetary Line Item Status Certifications

F4. Resolved, that the Board Secretary for the Rochelle Park Board of Education certifies that pursuant to NJAC 6A:23-2.11 (c) 3, as of November 30, 2017 that no line item account has encumbrances and expenditures, which in total exceed the line item appropriation in violation of NJAC 6A:23-2.11(a); and

Further Be It Resolved, that the Rochelle Park Board of Education certifies that pursuant to NJAC 6A:23-2-11 (c) 4 that after review of the board secretary’s and treasurer’s monthly financial reports and the advice of district officials, we have no reason to doubt that no major account or fund has been over-expended in violation of NJAC 6A:23-2.11 (b).

Motion by Mrs. Abraham, second by Mrs. Lauerman,
Roll Call
Motion Carried

Treasurer’s Report

F5. Resolved, that the Rochelle Park Board of Education accept the School Treasurer’s Financial Report for the month of November 2017.

ATTACHMENT

Motion by Mrs. Abraham, second by Mrs. Lauerman,
Roll Call

Motion Carried

F6. RESOLVED, that the Rochelle Park Board of Education accepts the Board Secretary’s Report for the month of November 2017.

ATTACHMENT

Motion by Mrs. Abraham, second by Mrs. Lauerman,
Roll Call
Motion Carried

AUDIT

F7. RESOLVED, that the Rochelle Park Board of Education accepts the Annual Comprehensive Financial Report, the Audit Synopsis, and the Annual Management Report, for the fiscal year 2016-2017 as audited and prepared by Nisivoccia LLP of Mt. Arlington New Jersey, in compliance with code requirements; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED: that the Board approves the 2016-2017 Audit and CAFR as presented, and directs the Business Administrator/Board Secretary to send a certified copy of this resolution to the Bergen County Superintendent of Schools.

Motion by Mrs. Abraham, second by Mrs. Lauerman,
Roll Call
Motion Carried

F8. RESOLVED: that the Board approves/accepts the 2016-2017 the School Audit Corrective Action Plan – There are no recommendations.

Motion by Mrs. Abraham, second by Mrs. Lauerman,
Roll Call
Motion Carried

POLICY# 7510 Use of Facilities

F9. RESOLVED, that the Rochelle Park Board of Education approves the application for use of school facilities made by the following groups/organizations listed below. The Board reserves the right to schedule school activities as well as construction at any time.

Group/Organization	Use/Purpose/Room	Dates	Rental Fee
Girl Scout Troop #5938	Room 105	Wednesday’s 3-4	None
Township of Rochelle Park- Youth Basketball	Multi-Purpose Room	April 2April 30, 2017 M/F 6:15-10:PM	None
Midland School PTO	Various	See Attached changes to the calendar of events	None

Motion by Mrs. Abraham, second by Mrs. Lauerman,
Roll Call
Motion Carried

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Motion by Mrs. Lauerman, seconded by Mrs. Abraham, to open public comment at 9:04 P.M.

Roll Call 7-0

Motion Carried

Mr. Scully Oldis St. – He was in there spot just a year ago, he thanked the outgoing BOE members, they are amazing. He asked that they don't go away, stay active. He thanked Mrs. Leakas for her time as President. He encouraged the incoming BOE members to work with this BOE and Administration in continuing a forward momentum.

The outgoing Board members each read a speech about their time on the board, ending with words of wisdom for the new incoming Board members with regard to integrity, transparency, and moving from good to great.

Motion by Mrs. Abraham, seconded by Mrs. Lauerman, to close public comment at 9:12 P.M.

Roll Call 7-0

Motion Carried

IXV. Announcements

The Reorganization Meeting will be held on Thursday, January 4, 2018 at 7:00 P.M. in the Media Center, after a brief recess, the January Regular meeting will follow.

XV. Adjournment

Motion by Mrs. Lauerman, seconded by Mr. Allos, to adjourn meeting at 9:13 PM

Roll Call 7-0

Motion Carried