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**BOARD OF EDUCATION
WOODLAND PARK
NEW JERSEY
NOTICE OF
REGULAR MEETING**

**In accordance with the
Open Public Meetings Act
P.L. 1975, c. 231, this is to
Advise that the Woodland Park
Board of Education will hold a**

**Regular Meeting
January 14, 2019**

**The meeting will be held in
Memorial School
15 Memorial Dr.
Woodland Park, NJ
at 7:00 PM**

Formal action may be taken

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REGULAR MEETING
JANUARY 14, 2019

**MONDAY, 7:00 P.M. MEMORIAL SCHOOL
15 MEMORIAL DR.
WOODLAND PARK, NJ 07424**

- Agenda:**
- 1. Opening of Meeting**
 - 2. Pledge of Allegiance**
 - 3. Roll Call**
 - 4. Public Hearing**
 - 5. Approval of Minutes**
 - 6. Superintendent's Report**
 - 7. Board Attorney's Report**
 - 8. Committee Reports**
 - 9. Old Business**
 - 10. New Business**
 - 11. Public Hearing**
 - 12. Executive Session**
 - 13. Adjournment**

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CALL TO ORDER

N.J. OPEN PUBLIC MEETINGS LAW

The New Jersey Open Public Meetings Law was enacted to ensure the right of the public to have advance notice of and to attend the meeting of public bodies at which any business affecting their interests is discussed or acted upon. In accordance with the provisions of this act the Woodland Park Board of Education has caused notice of this meeting to be published by having the date, time and place thereof posted on the door of the Woodland Park Board of Education Administration Building and was provided to the North Jersey Herald News

FLAG SALUTE

ROLL CALL

Members Present -

Members Absent -

Also Present -

PUBLIC HEARING-AGENDA ITEMS ONLY

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219-136 - APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Motion by _____ Seconded by _____

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE WOODLAND PARK BOARD OF EDUCATION, to approve the minutes of the December 10, 2018 workshop meeting and the December 17, 2018 regular meeting.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED BY THE WOODLAND PARK BOARD OF EDUCATION, to approve the Executive Session minutes of the December 10, 2018 workshop and the December 17, 2018 regular meetings.

Roll Call:

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

BOARD ATTORNEY'S REPORT

CONSENT AGENDA ITEMS

The following items have been deemed to be non-controversial in a matter of routine business and will be voted on by one motion.

Motion by _____ Seconded by _____ to accept the recommendation of the Superintendent to approve the following consent agenda numbers 219-137 through 219-.

Roll Call:

219-137-APPROVAL OF REGISTER REPORT

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE WOODLAND PARK BOARD OF EDUCATION, to approve the December 2018 Register Report.

219-138 - APPROVAL OF BILL LIST

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE WOODLAND PARK BOARD OF EDUCATION, to approve the attached list of bills in the amount of \$209,643.26, approved by finance committee chairperson, Jairo Rodriguez.

<u>Bill List No.</u>	<u>Amount</u>
#67	\$172,599.90
L30	\$ 37,043.36

219-139 - ACCEPTANCE OF RESIGNATION – D. PRICE

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE WOODLAND PARK BOARD OF EDUCATION, to accept the resignation of Daniella Price, part time aide at Memorial School, effective January 18, 2019.

219-140 - ACCEPTANCE OF RESIGNATION – M. HEATH

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE WOODLAND PARK BOARD OF EDUCATION, to accept the resignation of Melissa Heath, lunch aide at Memorial School, effective immediately.

REGULAR AGENDA ITEMS

The following items will be voted on by separate motion for each item.

Personnel:

219-141 - APPOINTMENT OF HIRE – LUNCH AIDE - A. CAPALBO

Motion by _____ Seconded by _____

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE WOODLAND PARK BOARD OF EDUCATION, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, to approve the hire of Anna Capalbo, as a lunch aide at Memorial, \$16.07/hr., 1¼ hrs. per day.

Roll Call:

Education:

219-142 - WORKSHOP/TRAVEL REIMBURSEMENT

Motion by _____ Seconded by _____

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE WOODLAND PARK BOARD OF EDUCATION, to approve the following travel reimbursements for the 2018-2019 school year:

Name	Activity	Date	Fee	Travel
Michele Pillari	AASA, NJASA, NJPSA Women's Leadership Conference	3/14-3/15 2019	None	

Finance:

219-143 - AWARD OF CONTRACT – ELECTRICITY SUPPLY

Motion by _____, Seconded by _____

WHEREAS, the NJ Department of Community Affairs, Division of Local Government Services, permits public schools to purchase energy supplies through online bidding/reverse auction programs approved by the Division.

WHEREAS, Transparent EnergyAuction.com is an approved program.

WHEREAS, an online reverse auction conducted by TransparentEnergyAuction.com was held on January 14, 2019, to provide electricity supply for a two year term to three schools and the administration building, owned and operated by the Woodland Park Board of Education.

WHEREAS, the following bids were received:

Bidder	Amount

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, the Woodland Park Board of Education awards contract to, XXXX, the lowest responsible bidder.

Roll Call:

Policy:**219-144 - APPROVAL OF EXISTING POLICIES & REGULATIONS REVISIONS**

Motion by _____ Seconded by _____

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE WOODLAND PARK BOARD OF EDUCATION, to approve the 2nd reading and adoption of the revision of the following existing policies & regulations:

POLICY/REGULATION #	POLICY/REGULATION	MANDATED/RECOMMENDED
5511	Dress and Grooming	Board Recommended

Roll Call:

COMMITTEE REPORTS**OLD BUSINESS****NEW BUSINESS****PUBLIC HEARING**

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EXECUTIVE SESSION**MOTION TO GO INTO CLOSED SESSION**

The Open Public Meeting Act, authorizes a public body to meet in Executive or Private Session under limited circumstances and WHEREAS said law requires the Board to adopt a resolution at a public meeting before it can meet in such Executive or Private Session. NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE BOROUGH OF WOODLAND PARK THAT:

- 1) It does hereby determine that it is necessary to meet in Executive Session to discuss a personnel and/or litigation matter or contract matter.
- 2) The matter(s) discussed will be made public when confidentiality is no longer required.
- 3) Meeting will be resumed at conclusion of Executive Session.
- 4) The board does/does not expect to take action after Executive Session.

Motion to go into Executive Session at _____ p.m. by _____, seconded by _____
Voice Vote:

Motion to return to Regular Session at _____ p.m. by _____, seconded by _____
Voice Vote:

ADJOURNMENT

Motion to adjourn at ____ p.m. by _____, Seconded by _____
Voice Vote:

WOODLAND PARK BOARD OF EDUCATION
EXECUTIVE SESSION

ITEMS DISCUSSED:

**Woodland Park
Board of Education**

Section: Students
5511. DRESS AND GROOMING
Date Created: April, 2003
Date Edited:

5511- DRESS AND GROOMING

The Board of Education believes that a pupil's dress reflects the attitude with which the pupil approaches his/her attendance and performance at school. Appropriate dress is one indication that a pupil has come to school prepared to learn accordingly. Researchers have found that dress codes that include uniforms benefit student behavior and safety, student achievement, school pride and an atmosphere of unity, student self-esteem, and cost benefits. Pursuant to N.J.S.A. 18A:11-7 and N.J.S.A. 18A:11-8, the Board of Education hereby adopts a dress code requiring school uniforms.

All pupils attending Woodland Park Public Schools will adhere to the following Uniform Policy:

Shirts

Polo collared shirt – long or short sleeve – not form-fitting - no logo with brand names
Color options – **solid color only** - navy, maroon

Sweaters or Sweatshirts

Color options – **solid color only** – navy or maroon – plain, solid color – no logo with brand names or hoods
*Outerwear, including winter coat, team jacket, or fleece coat are not permitted to be worn indoors.

Pants

Color options – **solid color only** – khaki or navy
Same style as chinos or dress pants **and** worn at the waist.
*Cargo pants, jeans, sweatpants, jeggings, spandex, leggings or pants that are form-fitted are not permitted.

Shorts, Uniform Skirts, or Dresses

Color options – **solid color only** – khaki or navy shorts in the same style as chinos
Uniform skirts, and jumpers must be solid color and must be no more than two inches above the knee and at the waist. All uniform skirts and jumpers must be worn with shorts underneath.
*No athletic shorts

Shoes

Flat shoes with soles or heels no thicker than 1 inch
Must be closed toe **and** closed heel back shoes or sneakers.
Socks or tights must be worn with shoes.

Tie shoes must be tied properly at all times.

Snow or rain boots can be worn and must be properly tied at all times.

Accessories

Jewelry is acceptable; however it must not present a hazard to the wearer or be a distraction to other students.

Non-prescription sunglasses, bandannas and hats are not permitted.

The uniform is intended to be comfortable, casual and neat. Untidy, torn, damaged and/or soiled clothing is not permitted.

Students are required to be in uniform at all times while in school, unless otherwise noted in an IEP.

Physical Education

Solid color only – navy – for K-4 students only

Sweatpants or athletic shorts and tee shirt. Shirts must cover the abdomen and back at all times. Shorts and sweatpants must be appropriately fitting and must be no more than two inches above the knee and at the waist.

School Spiritwear can be worn for physical education class.

Grades K-4 students will wear physical education attire to school on gym days.

Grades 5-8 students **must change into physical education attire on gym days.**

Exceptions to the above include pupils who participate in nationally and/or locally recognized youth organizations, such as Boys Scouts, Girl Scouts or certain local Groups, that are approved and/or recognized by the board of education from wearing organization uniforms to school on days the organization has a scheduled meeting or for a scheduled and specific purpose for wearing such organization uniform approved in advance by the Building Principal.

Parents/legal guardians may request a religious exemption from their child wearing the designated clothing by completing an Exemption application. The Exemption application requires the applicant to indicate the objection with specificity and to provide the alternate dress the pupil will wear to school that is consistent with the bona fide objection and still be reasonably consistent with the uniform policy.

Each Principal has the authority to make exceptions on a case-by-case basis and on days for special events, such as Halloween, Field Day or approved spirit days.

Enforcement of the Uniform

Enforcement of this Policy starts with each parents/legal guardians and pupil's exercising responsibility and good judgment. All staff members have an obligation to report uniform violations to the appropriate administrator. Parents/legal guardians will be notified of violations and continued violation will result in disciplinary action. If a pupil violates this Policy, a parent/legal guardian will be contacted and an immediate change of clothing will be necessary. The Board of Education will evaluate the effectiveness of this Policy on a regular basis.