

HAZEL PARK BOARD OF EDUCATION

**A G E N D A**

Ford School Administration Office

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Hazel Park, Michigan 48030

October 20, 2014

7:30 p.m.

CALL TO ORDER

ROLL CALL

INVOCATION

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA

AUDIT OF THE BILLS

SPECIAL ORDER OF BUSINESS

1. Hazel Park Education Association (HPEA) Features  
Webb Elementary School Teacher, Renée Rathsburg  
Ms. Zitzelberger will comment.
2. Hazel Park High School Presentation  
Mrs. Rogers will comment.
3. Michigan Department of Education Update on Priority Schools  
Mrs. Cunningham-Powell will comment.
4. Hazel Park Youth Assistance Presentation – No Swear November  
Mr. Brodsky and Mr. Morton will comment.
5. Hazel Park Memorial Library Proposed Partnership with Hazel Park School District  
Mrs. Stocker and Mrs. Winters will comment.

CONSENT AGENDA

1. Approval of Minutes – to be approved as written
  - a) September 15, 2014, Regular Meeting

2. Note of Appreciation – to be received and filed
  - a) Charles Hemple - Acknowledged the expression of sympathy from the Board of Education, administration and staff at the time of Ilene Hemple’s death.  
and Sue Hemple  
Board of Education  
Members
  
3. Resignations/Retirements – to be received and filed
  - a) Alexandra Barnett - Informs the Board of Education of her intention to resign effective October 24, 2014.  
Speech-Language  
Pathologist
  
4. Conference Reports – to be received and filed
  - a) **Lisa Bernys**, Teacher at United Oaks Elementary School, attended the “Creating an Innovative Intervention” conference on September 24, 2014, at Hazel Park Schools Administration Building. (Conference report submitted - Title 2, Part A funds)
  - b) **Candice Bissonnette**, Teacher at Hoover Elementary School, attended the “District Grade Level Meeting” on September 19, 2014, at Hoover Elementary School. (Conference report submitted - Title 2, Part A funds)
  - c) **Katherine Byerly**, Social Worker at Edison M.A.X. School, attended the “Trauma Focused CBT” conference on September 11 – 12, 2014, in Troy. (Conference report submitted - Title 2, Part A funds)
  - d) **Gerald Carroll**, Teacher at Webb Elementary School, attended the “Grade Level Meeting” on September 25, 2014, at Hazel Park Schools Administration Building. (Conference report submitted - Title 2, Part A funds)
  - e) **Elizabeth Conlon**, Teacher at Hoover Elementary School, attended the “5<sup>th</sup> Grade Lanuage Arts Roll Out” conference on September 25, 2014, at Hazel Park Schools Administration Building. (Conference report submitted - Title 2, Part A funds)
  - f) **Wisty Cruz**, Teacher at Hazel Park High School, attended the “MCTM Annual Conference” on August 6 – 7, 2014, at Hope College, Holland. (Conference report submitted - Title 2, Part A funds)
  - g) **Wisty Cruz**, Teacher at Hazel Park High School, attended the “Teaching for Excellence (PEAK)” conference on August 18 – 22, 2014, at Lansing Center. (Conference report submitted - Title 2, Part A funds)
  - h) **Debra Dimas**, Teacher at Webb Elementary School, attended the “Comprehensive Study of the Leveled Literacy Intervention K–2” conference on July 28 – 29, 2014, in Atlanta. (Conference report submitted - Title 2, Part A funds)
  - i) **E. Yvonne Emlet**, Teacher at Untied Oaks Elementary School, attended the “New Visual Arts Standards – NAEA” virtual conference on September 27 – 28, 2014. (Conference report submitted - Title 2, Part A funds)

- j) **Ashley Filpula**, Teacher at Hazel Park High School, attended the “PEAK Learning for Excellence” conference on August 18 – 21, 2014, in Lansing. (Conference report submitted - Title 2, Part A funds)
- k) **Elizabeth Flanigan**, Teacher at Hazel Park High School, attended the “PEAK Learning for Excellence” conference on August 19 – 20, 2014, in Lansing. (Conference report submitted - Title 2, Part A funds)
- l) **Kim Forster**, Teacher at United Oaks Elementary School, attended the “EPI – Pen” training on September 9, 2014, at Oakland ISD. (Conference report submitted - Title 2, Part A funds)
- m) **Kim Forster**, Teacher at United Oaks Elementary School, attended the “Google Certification Academy” conference on June 18, July 16 and August 14, 2014, at Oakland ISD. (Conference report submitted - Title 2, Part A funds)
- n) **Darrin Fox, Elizabeth Richardson and Laura Weidman**, SIS staff at Central Office, attended the “Michigan Pupil Accounting and Attendance Association Fall 2014 Conference” on September 15 – 16, 2014, in East Lansing. (Conference report submitted - Title 2, Part A funds)
- o) **Karen King**, Teacher at Webb Elementary School, attended the “Rolling Out the Curriculum – 5<sup>th</sup> Grade” conference on September 25, 2014, at Hazel Park Schools Administration Building. (Conference report submitted - Title 2, Part A funds)
- p) **Carla Kinyon**, Counselor at Hazel Park Junior High School, attended the “EPI – Pen” training on September 9, 2014, at Oakland ISD. (Conference report submitted - Title 2, Part A funds)
- q) **Rhiannon Korto**, Teacher at Advantage, attended the “4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> Grade Level Meeting” on September 25, 2014, at Hazel Park Schools Administration Building. (Conference report submitted - Title 2, Part A funds)
- r) **Rhiannon Korto**, Teacher at Advantage, attended the “2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade Level Meeting” on September 24, 2014, at Hazel Park Schools Administration Building. (Conference report submitted - Title 2, Part A funds)
- s) **Rhiannon Korto**, Teacher at Advantage, attended the “Kindergarten and 1st Grade Level Meeting” on September 19, 2014, at Hazel Park Schools Administration Building. (Conference report submitted - Title 2, Part A funds)
- t) **Patrice Nelson**, Teacher at Advantage, attended the “Kindergarten and 1st Grade Level Meeting” on September 19, 2014, at Hazel Park Schools Administration Building. (Conference report submitted - Title 2, Part A funds)
- u) **Lora Pieper**, Teacher at United Oaks Elementary School, attended the “EPI – Pen” training on September 9, 2014, at Oakland ISD. (Conference report submitted - Title 2, Part A funds)

- v) **Lauren Roach**, Teacher at Hoover Elementary School, attended the “Kindergarten Reading Workshop” on September 19, 2014, at Hazel Park Schools Administration Building. (Conference report submitted - Title 2, Part A funds)
- w) **Nancy Sly**, Teacher at Hazel Park High School, attended the “Contemporary Meta Techniques” conference on July 28, 2014, at Seaholm High School, Birmingham. (Conference report submitted - Title 2, Part A funds)
- x) **Nancy Sly**, Teacher at Hazel Park High School, attended the “Flip, Blend and Remix Art Ed through Technology Integration” conference on August 11, 2014, at Bryon Center High School. (Conference report submitted - Title 2, Part A funds)
- y) **Pamela Sparks**, Teacher at Hazel Park High School, attended the “Outdoor Program” conference on September 12 – 14, 2014, at D-Bar A Scout Ranch. (Conference report submitted - Title 2, Part A funds)
- z) **Heather Thick**, Counselor at Hazel Park High School, attended the “Promoting the Publics” conference on September 12, 2014, at Michigan State University. (Conference report submitted - Title 2, Part A funds)
- aa) **Katy Yager**, Teacher at Hoover Elementary School, attended the “Rolling Out the Curriculum” conference on September 25, 2014, at Hazel Park Schools Administration Building. (Conference report submitted - Title 2, Part A funds)

4. Monthly Budgetary and Financial Report – To Be Received and Filed

PUBLIC DISCUSSION - (Limited to items listed under “Unfinished Business” and “New Business”)

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UNFINISHED BUSINESS

1.

NEW BUSINESS

1. Enrollment Update

Mr. Meisinger will comment.

2. Promise Zone Update

Ms. Roney will comment.

3. 2012 Bond Project Update

Mr. Nix will comment.

4. H.P.E.A. Personnel Recommendations

The following teacher is recommended for a **first year, non-tenure probationary status** for the 2014/2015 school year.

- a) Sarah Ley - Elementary Teacher, Hoover, Kindergarten

Mr. Meisinger will comment.

5. The American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employee (A.F.S.C.M.E.) Contract 2014 – 2017

Mr. Mayo will comment.

6. Center for Advanced Studies and the Arts (CASA) – Transportation Update

Mr. Gordon will comment.

7. Title Transfer

Mr. Meisinger will comment.

8. Board of Education H.P.E.A. Grievance Subcommittee Reports

- a) Individual  
b) Contract Interpretation

Mr. Hemple will comment.

## RECOGNITION/COMMENDATION

1. Dr. Michelle Krause, Supervisor of Special Education would like to thank **Panasonic Automotive Systems** for their extremely generous donation of \$15,000 to the Edison MAX Program which will be used to purchase additional iPads, software and upgrades. This is the second donation from Panasonic and we are extremely grateful for their generosity. We had the pleasure of meeting **Mr. Tom Gebhardt**, President at Panasonic Automotive Systems Company of America. On October 1, 2014, Mr. Gebhardt was able to meet with our staff, tour the school and see students using the iPads that were purchased from Panasonic's donation last year. Staff spent time talking about how they use technology in the classroom and the benefits of technology as it relates to both teaching and student learning. Mr. Gebhardt was also able to share Panasonic's philosophy of giving back to the community. He was extremely impressed with the district's technology upgrades that took place over the summer and was very impressed with how teachers utilize that technology in the classroom.

## PUBLIC DISCUSSION

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**BOARD MEMBER AND ADMINISTRATION COMMENTS**

1.

**ADJOURNMENT**

**James D. Meisinger  
Superintendent of Schools**