AGENDA

I. Call to Order: 9:45 AM

II. Actions
   A. Approval of Personnel

III. Adjournment
NORWALK PUBLIC SCHOOLS
PERSONNEL ACTIONS FOR BOARD APPROVAL
July 27, 2019

APPOINTMENT RECOMMENDATIONS

Name: Chesse Dore  Effective date: August 20, 2019
Posting: #4678, Elementary Classroom Teacher, Kendall, Step 5, Salary: $64,355
Education: University of Connecticut, BS, Law & Society
University of Bridgeport, MA Education
Fairfield University, Bilingual & TESOL Education
Experience: 5 years

Name: Daniel Sullivan  Effective date: July 1, 2019
Posting: #4652, Assistant Principal, NHS, Step 1, Salary: $165,702
Education: Oneonta State University, BS Economics
Long Island University, MA Counseling
Southern Connecticut State University, 6th year Educational Leadership
University of Bridgeport, Ed. D. Educational Leadership
Experience: 22 years School Guidance

Name: Eva Caputo,  Effective date: August 20, 2019
Posting: #4796, School Psychologist, Districtwide Specialized Services, Step 9,
Salary: $75,814
Education: Pace University, BS Psychology
College of New Rochelle, MS School Psychology
Experience: 8 years

Name: Andrea Escobar  Effective date: August 20, 2019
Posting: #4626, Spanish Teacher, NHS, Step 1, Salary: $50,948
Education: Boricua College, Columbia. BA Human Services
ARC, Spanish Certification, pending
Experience: New teacher
II.A

Name: Rose Jefferson
Posting: # 4720, World Language teacher .6 & Instructional Specialist .4
Salary: $41,944.80 (.6) / $52,843.60 (.4)
Education: Sacred Heart University, BA Spanish & Political Science
Sacred Heart University, MA Education
Sacred Heart University, 092 Intermediate Administration Certification
Experience: 7 years

Name: Eva Di Palma
Posting: # 4583, Spanish/Italian Teacher, BMHS, Step 8, Salary: $66,405
Education: Hunter College, BA Italian Language & Civilization
Experience: 7 years

Name: Anna McCormick
Posting: #4647, Gifted & Talented Teacher, Silvermine, Step 1, Salary: $56,279
Education: University of Connecticut, BS Elementary Education
University of Connecticut, MA Curriculum & Instruction
Experience: New Teacher

Name: Daniel Kreiness
Posting: #4648, ELA Literacy Coach, Ponus Ridge, Step 10, Salary: $92,932
Education: University of Connecticut, BA Journalism
Mercy College, MS Adolescent Education
American College of Education, MS Educational Leadership
American College of Education, Ed.D
Experience: 14 years

Name: Brendy Franco
Posting: #4584, Bilingual School Social Worker, NHS, Step 1, Salary: $56,279
Education: University of Connecticut, BA Human Development/Family Studies
Fordham University Graduate School of Social Service, MA Social Work
Experience: New School Social Worker
Name: Laurette Shrage  Effective date: August 20, 2019
Posting: #3900, .6 Special Education Literacy Teacher Coordinator, Districtwide, Step 10, Salary: (.6 Teacher) / $50,424.60 (.6 Stipend) $4,855.80
Education: Adelphi University BA Special Education
College of New Rochelle, MS Education & Reading
Long Island University, Bilingual Extension
College of Saint Rose, EDA Administration & Supervision
Experience: 26 years

Name: Jeffrey Forzani  Effective date: July 1, 2019
Posting: #4694, Assistant Principal, Jefferson, Step 1, Salary: $157,041
Education: College of New Rochelle, BA Liberal Arts
Mercy College, MS Bilingual Education
Sacred Heart University, 6th yr Educational Leadership
Experience: 21 years (4 years CISD Kendall/Brookside)

Name: Anne Lapera  Effective date: August 20, 2019
Posting: #4633, Earth/General Science Teacher, NHS, Step 4, Salary: $68,646
Education: Ursinus College, BA Environmental Science
University of Connecticut, MS Education
Bard College, MA Environmental Policy
Experience: 3 years

Name: Amanda Bomann  Effective date: August 20, 2019
Posting: #4660, Social Studies Teacher, NHS, Step 9, Salary: $81,366
Education: Connecticut College, BA History
Columbia University, MS Social Work
Lehman College, MA Social Studies
Experience: 8 years
Name: Jennifer Sweeters  Effective date: July 1, 2019
Posting: #4652, Assistant Principal, NHS, Salary: $165,702
Education: Western Connecticut State University, BA English & Spanish
University of Bridgeport, MS Elementary Education
University of Bridgeport, 6th & 7th Year Equivalency
Sacred Heart University, 092 Administrative Certification
Experience: 12 years

Name: Nancy Caron  Effective date: August 20, 2019
Posting: #4659, Curriculum & Instruction Site Director, Rowayton, Step 1, Salary: $132,109
Education: Western Connecticut State University, BS Mathematics
Western Connecticut State University, MS Literacy Education
Sacred Heart University, Educational Leadership (092)
Experience: 3 years

Name: Lauren Lukasz  Effective date: August 20, 2019
Posting: #4490, Special Education PPT Designee, Districtwide Specialized Services, Step 6, Salary: $73,340
Education: Southern Connecticut State University, BS Special Education & Elementary Education
Southern Connecticut State University, MS Special Education, Autism Spectrum Development Disorders
Sacred Heart University, 6th year Educational Leadership (092)
Experience: 5 years

Name: Cheryl Kerison  Effective date: August 20, 2019
Posting: #4464, Mathematics Coach, Roton, Step 10, Salary: $92,932
Education: University of Puget Sound, BA Elementary Education
Gonzago University, MS Administration & Curriculum
Quinnipiac University, 6th year Educational Leadership
University of Connecticut, PhD Educational Psychology
Experience: 21 years
Name: Evan Byron  
Posting: #4655, Assistant Principal, Ponus Ridge, Step 1, Salary: $163,401  
Education: University of Connecticut, BS Molecular & Cell Biology  
University of Connecticut, MA Curriculum & Instruction  
Southern Connecticut State University, 6th year Educational Leadership  
Experience: 6 years

Name: Francoise Deristel-Leger  
Posting: #4512, Montessori Teacher, Brookside, Step 10, Salary: $84,041  
Education: University of Connecticut, BA Sociology  
University of Hartford, MS Elementary Education  
Montessori Training Center of New England, Montessori Primary Level Certification  
Experience: 9 years

Name: Laura Arduino  
Posting: #4115, Physical Therapist, Districtwide Specialized Services, Step 10, Salary: $70,861  
Education: Quinnipiac College, BS Physical Therapy  
Experience: 28 years

Name: Kevin Staton  
Posting: #4471, Library Media Specialist, West Rocks, Step 12, Salary: $90,401  
Education: Howard University, BA Business Administration  
University of New Haven, MS Education  
ARC, Library Media Specialist  
Experience: 20 years

Name: Jonathan Kinne  
Posting: #4654, .5 Band Teacher, Ponus Ridge, Step 10, Salary: $39,471.50  
Education: Montclair State University, BA Music Education  
Ramapo College of NJ, MA Educational Leadership  
Experience: 11 years
Name: Heather Lee  Effective date: August 20, 2019
Posting: #4582, Social Studies Teacher, BMHS, Step 1, Salary: $67,870
Education: University of Cal, Berkeley, BA Political Science,
           University of Cal, School of Law, Juris Doctorate
           Sacred Heart University, MA Teaching
Experience: New Teacher

Name: Alfonso Morales  Effective date: August 20, 2019
Posting: # 4551, Physics Teacher, BMHS, Step 1, Salary: $56,279
Education: Boston University, BA Biochemistry
           Yale University, MS Molecular Biophysics & Biochemistry
Experience: New Teacher

Name: David Hayes  Effective date: August 20, 2019
Posting: #4195, Special Education Teacher, NHS, Step 10, Salary: $84,041
Education: University of Connecticut, BA Political Science
           Eastern Connecticut State University, MS Secondary Education/History & Social
           Sciences
           Southern Connecticut State University, 6th Yr Educational Leadership
Experience: 9 years

Name: Izabella Przybysz  Effective date: August 20, 2019
Posting: #4679 Elementary Classroom teacher, Kendall, Step 3, Salary: $60,317
Education: University of Connecticut, BA Business Administration
           John Hopkins University, MA Elementary Education
Experience: 2 years

Name: Christine Guerra  Effective date: July 29, 2019
Posting: #4736 Middle School Assistant Principal, Nathan Hale, Step 1, Salary: $163,401
Education: Central Connecticut State University, BS Tourism & Hospitality
           University of Bridgeport, MS Elementary Education
           University of Connecticut, 6th Yr in Educational Leadership
Experience: 3 years CISD/AP & 6 years teaching
Name: Christopher Siciliano  Effective date: August 20, 2019
Posting: # 4795, Elementary Classroom Teacher, Kendall, Step 5, Salary: $64,335
Education: University of Massachusetts, BA Kinesiology
           Concordia University, MA Curriculum & Instruction
Experience: 4 years

Name: Briana Turner  Effective date: August 20, 2019
Posting: # 4799, Speech & Language Pathologist, Kendall, Step 2, Salary: $58,298
Education: West Chester University, BA Communication Science Disorders
           Iona College, MA Communications Science Disorders
Experience: 1 year

Name: David Fine  Effective date: August 20, 2019
Posting: #4670 Mathematics Teacher, BMHS, Step 10, Salary: $84,041
Education: University of Miami, BA Mathematics & Religion
           University of Bridgeport, MA Education
           Fairfield University MA Mathematics/Statistics
Experience: 15 years

Name: Ali Radle  Effective date: August 20, 2019
Posting: # 4767, Therapeutic Special Education Teacher, Tracey, Step 4, Salary: $62,336
Education: Manhattanville College, BA Psychology
           Fairfield University, MA Special Education
Experience: 3 years

Name: Kathleen Stewart  Effective date: August 20, 2019
Posting: #3900, Special Education Literacy Coordinator .4, Step 10
         Salary: (.4 Teacher) $33,616.40 (.4 Stipend) $3,237.00
Education: University of Notre Dame, BA English
           SUNY, Binghamton, MA Teaching
           SUNY, Binghamton, MA English
Experience: 15 years
Name: Cynthia Adams  
Effective date: August 20, 2019  
Posting: #4663, English Language Arts Teacher, Roton, Step 10, Salary: $84,041  
Education: Colorado College, BA English  
Mills College, MA Educational Leadership  
American Conservatory MA Fine Arts  
Experience: 13 years

Name: Allison Fecteau  
Effective date: August 20, 2019  
Posting: #4578, 2nd Grade Teacher, Tracey, Step 10, Salary: $84,041  
Education: University of Bridgeport, BS Education  
University of Bridgeport, MS Education  
University of Bridgeport, 6th yr & 092  
Experience: 11 years

Name: Bret LeBlanc  
Effective date: August 20, 2019  
Posting: #4482, Therapeutic School Psychologist, Step 3, Salary: $66,627  
Education: Southern Connecticut State University, BA Psychology, Mental Health  
Southern Connecticut State University, MS Psychology  
Southern Connecticut State University, 6th yr School Psychology  
Experience: 2 years

Name: Jennifer Katona  
Effective date: August 12, 2019  
Posting: #4783, Visual & Performing Arts Sr. Manager, Curriculum, $145,000  
Education: Fairfield University, BA Theatre & English Composition/Literature  
New York University, MA Educational Theatre  
CUNY, Graduate Center, Ph.D. Urban Education Policy  
Experience: 20 years

Name: Jessica Radecki  
Effective date: August 20, 2019  
Posting: #4777, English Language Arts, Roton, Step 6, Salary: $67,132  
Education: Albertus Magnus College, BA English  
Albertus Magnus College, MS Education  
Experience: 5 years
Name: Nicole Schmidt  Effective date: August 20, 2019
Posting: # 4752, Elementary Teacher, Grade 1, Naramake, Step 1, Salary: $56,279
Education: Elon University, BA Elementary Education
           Sacred Heart University, MA Education
Experience: New Teacher

Name: Christina Cormier  Effective date: August 20, 2019
Posting: #4764, STEAM Teacher, Columbus, Step 1, Salary: $56,279
Education: Charter Oak State College, BS General Studies
           University of Bridgeport, MS Elementary Education
Experience: New Teacher

Name: Gina Baldeo     Effective date: August 20, 2019
Posting: #4661, Special Education Teacher, Kendall, Step 10, Salary: $78,943
Education: Fordham University BS Psychology
           Mercy College, MS Elementary / Special Education
Experience: 14 years

Name: Matthew Darling  Effective date: August 20, 2019
Posting: #4807, .5 Science/.5 Social Studies, Ponus Ridge, Step 4, Salary: $62,336
Education: University of Connecticut, BA Political Science
           Sacred Heart University, MA Teaching
Experience: 3 years

Name: Harry Geary, Jr Effect: August 20, 2019
Posting: #4522, Mathematics Teacher, BMHS, Step 10, Salary: $84,041
Education: University of Connecticut, BS Business Administration
           University of Connecticut, MA Secondary Education
           University of Bridgeport, 6th year Secondary Education
Experience: 22 years
Name: Michaela Venditti  Effective date: August 20, 2019
Posting: # 4698, Mathematics Teacher, West Rocks, Step 1, Salary: $56,279
Education: Fairfield University BA Education/Mathematics
Fairfield University MA Secondary Education/Mathematics
Experience: New teacher

Name: Nicole Busch  Effective date: August 20, 2019
Posting: #4804 Elementary Teacher, Brookside, Step 8, Salary: $72,684
Education: Sacred Heart University, BA Finance
Sacred Heart University, MA Elementary Education
Experience: 7 years

Name: Andrea Servan  Effective date: August 20, 2019
Posting: #4550, Social Emotional Learning Specialist, Silvermine, Step 2, Salary: $58,298
Education: University of Bridgeport, BA Psychology/Criminal Justice
University of Connecticut, BA Psychology Research
Fordham University, MS Social Work
Experience: 1 year

Name: Carrie Wolak  Effective date: August 20, 2019
Posting: #4640, Science Teacher, West Rocks, Step 10, $84,041
Education: University of Connecticut, BS Education
University of Connecticut, MA Education
University of Connecticut, 6th year
Experience: 15 years

Name: Shannon O’Malley  Effective date: August 20, 2019
Posting: # 4523, Elementary Physical Education, Silvermine, Step 2, Salary: $58,298
Education: Southern Connecticut State University, BA Exercise Science
Southern Connecticut State University, MS Sports Entertainment & Management
Experience: 1 year
Name: Ricquel Pratt  
Posting: #4629, School Counselor, Roton, Step 10, Salary: $84,041  
Education: Winston-Salem State University, BS Elementary Education  
North Carolina AT&T State University, MS School Counseling  
North Carolina State University, 6th year  
Experience: 11 years

Name: Jeffrey Bradbury  
Posting: #4632, Technology Teacher, West Rocks, Step 10, Salary: $78,943  
Education: West Chester University, BS Music Education  
West Chester University, MS Music Performance/Orchestral Conducting  
Experience: 11 years

Name: Yajuan Zhang  
Posting: #4535, .5 Chinese Teacher, Roton, Step 10, Salary: $39,471.50  
Education: Shanghai Normal University, BA English  
Ningxia University, MS Education, Curriculum  
SIT Graduate Institute, VT MS TESOL  
Experience: 13 years

Name: Daniel McElroy  
Posting: #4339, Science Teacher, Ponus Ridge, Step 10, Salary: $78,943  
Education: New York State University, BA Environmental Science  
Manhattanville College, MA Teaching  
Experience: 12 years

Name: Kason Whitten  
Posting: #4826, Business Education Teacher, P-Tech, Step 8, Salary: $72,684  
Education: Jackson State University, BS English  
Belhaven College, MS Management  
Experience: 7 years
Name: Marisol Rivera        Effective date: August 20, 2019
Posting: #4717, 5th Grade Spanish, Silvermine, Step 1, Salary: $50,948
Education: Southern Connecticut State University, BA Spanish
Southern Connecticut State University, BS Elementary Education
Experience: New teacher

Name: Rebecca Corbin        Effective date: August 20, 2019
Posting: #4759, Music Teacher, Wolpit, Step 2, Salary: $58,298
Education: University of Bridgeport, BA Music
University of Bridgeport, MS Secondary Education/Music
Experience: 1 year

Name: Rishi Verma           Effective date: August 20, 2019
Posting: #4294, Mathematics Teacher, West Rocks, Step 1, Salary: $50,948
Education: Cornell University, BS Operations Research & Information Engineering,
Experience: New Teacher, Teach for America

Name: April Ross            Effective date: August 20, 2019
Posting: #4831, Elementary Teacher, Kendall, Step 1, Salary: $50,948
Education: State University of NY at Albany, BA Linguistics & Communication
Experience: New Teacher, Teach for America

Name: Pahola Almonte        Effective date: August 20, 2019
Posting: #4829, Elementary Teacher, Kendall, Step 1, Salary: $50,948
Education: University of Connecticut, BA History, Human Rights
Experience: New Teacher, Teach for America
Name: Julie Castaneda    Effective date: August 20, 2019
Posting: # 4299, Occupational Therapist, Districtwide Specialized Services,
Step 10, Salary: $69,845
Education: Stephens F Austin State University, BS Speech & Language
Texas Women’s University, MS Occupational Therapy
Experience: 12 years

Name: Susannah Tom    Effective date: August 20, 2019
Posting: # 4753, Mathematics Teacher, Nathan Hale, Step 10, Salary: $78,943
Education: Miami University, BA Education
Sacred Heart University, MA Teaching
Experience: 20 years

Name: Andrea Mendez    Effective date: August 20, 2019
Posting: # 4743, World Language Teacher, West Rocks, Step 10, Salary: $84,041
Education: Southern Connecticut State University, BS Spanish Education
Quinnipiac University, MS Teacher Leadership
Quinnipiac University, 6th year Educational Leadership
Experience: 11 years

Name: Terri Kurczewski    Effective date: August 20, 2019
Posting: #4708, Instructional Coach, Kendall, Step 10, Salary: $84,041
Education: California State University, BA Sociology
California State University, MS Educational Leadership/Administration
Experience: 11 years
Name: Yvonne-Nicole De St Croix          Effective date: August 20, 2019
Posting:    #4610, Gifted & Talented Teacher, Kendall, Step 12, Salary: $102,017
Education:  University of South Carolina, BA English & BA Science
            University of South Carolina, MA Secondary Language Arts Education
            Concordia University, Ed.D. Transformational Educational Leadership
Experience: 17 years

Name: Alison Huntington          Effective date: August 20, 2019
Posting:    #4703, Literacy Specialist/Coach, Jefferson, Step 12, Salary: $96,484
Education:  Southern Connecticut State University, BS Early Childhood Education
            Sacred Heart University, MA Teaching
            Sacred Heart University, 6th year Literacy Specialist
            Sacred Heart University, 7th Year, Educational Leadership

Name: Madeleine Grossman          Effective date: August 20, 2019
Posting:    #4832, Elementary Classroom Teacher, Kendall, Step 4, Salary: $62,336
Education:  Marist College, BA Psychology/Special Education
            University of Bridgeport, MS Education
Experience: 3 years

RESIGNATION FOR PERSONAL REASONS          Effective date
Amanda Morgillo, Spec. Educ. Teacher, Roton       June 19, 2019
Debra (Manzi) Riley, Spec. Educ. Teacher, Kendall  June 30, 2019
Pamela Augustine-Jefferson, CISD, Wolfpit          June 30, 2019
Ashley Kirk, Music Teacher, Tracey                 July 8, 2019
Anthony Daniello, PE Teacher, Kendall              July 23, 2019
Janine Dubois, Teacher, Jefferson                  August 15, 2019
Sharita Simmons, ELA/SS, Ponus Ridge               August 5, 2019
Marlene Leon, ESL Teacher, Roton                   August 21, 2019
Lindsie McLean, Speech Therapist, NHS              August 21, 2019
Devan Yoder, Nurse, Jefferson                       August 15, 2019
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