

COXSACKIE-ATHENS CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT  
Regular Board of Education Meeting  
AUGUST 19, 2008

AGENDA SUPPLEMENT

X. Superintendent's Recommendations

C. Personnel Matters

2. Leave of Absence

c. MaryAnn Linders – Teacher Aide

Be it RESOLVED, the Board of Education upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, approve a leave of absence to MaryAnn Linders from her position as teacher aide in the Cossackie-Athens Central School District effective September 1, 2008 through February 28, 2009.

d. Annette DeLuccy – Teaching Assistant

Be it RESOLVED, the Board of Education upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, approve a leave of absence to Annette DeLuccy from her position as teaching assistant in the Cossackie-Athens Central School District effective September 1, 2008 through June 30, 2009.

3. Probationary Appointments

d. Jessica Pray – School Counselor

Be it RESOLVED, the Board of Education upon the recommendation of the Superintendent and pursuant to Education Law, provide a probationary appointment to Jessica Pray who holds provisional New York State certification as a school counselor to the School Counselor tenure area in the Cossackie-Athens Central School District effective September 1, 2008 through August 31, 2011, remunerated in accord with the contract currently in effect between the District and the Cossackie-Athens Teachers' Association.

e. Michelle Moore - Math

Be it RESOLVED, the Board of Education upon the recommendation of the Superintendent and pursuant to Education Law provide a probationary appointment to Michelle Moore who holds permanent New York State certification as a math 7-12 teacher and K-6 elementary teacher to the Math 7-12 tenure area in the Cossackie-Athens Central school District effective September 1, 2008 through August 31, 2010, remunerated in accord with the contract currently in effect between the District and the Cossackie-Athens Teachers Association.

f. Christine LaPlante - Special Education K-12

Be it RESOLVED, the Board of Education upon the recommendation of the Superintendent and pursuant to Education Law, provide a probationary appointment to Christine LaPlante who holds permanent New York State certification as a special education teacher to the Education of Children with Handicapping Condition-General Special Education tenure area in the Cossackie-Athens Central School District effective September 1, 2008 through August 31, 2010, remunerated in accord with the contract currently in effect between the District and the Cossackie-Athens Teachers' Association.

g. Deena Donohue – Teaching Assistant

Be it RESOLVED, the Board of Education upon the recommendation of the Superintendent and pursuant to Education law, provide a probationary appointment to Deena Donohue who holds Level 1 New York State certification as a teaching assistant to the Teaching Assistant tenure area in the Cossackie-Athens Central School District effective September 1, 2008 through August 31, 2011, remunerated in accord with the contract currently in effect between the District and the Cossackie-Athens Teaching Assistants Teacher Aides Association.

h. Kathleen Hanse – Teacher Aide

Be it RESOLVED, the Board of Education upon the recommendation of the Superintendent and pursuant to Civil Service Law, provide a probationary appointment to Kathleen Hanse as a teacher aide in the Cossackie-Athens Central school District effective September 1, 2008 through February 28, 2009, remunerated in accord with the contract currently in effect between

the District and the Coxsackie-Athens Teaching Assistants/Teacher Aides Association.

5, Other Appointments

a. Substitute Personnel

Be it RESOLVED, the Board of Education upon the recommendation of the Superintendent and pursuant to Education Law, approve the following as substitutes for the 2008-2009 school year:

Bridget Auclair – Certified	Teacher/Tchg Asst.
Michele Tarsa – RN	Nurse/Aide
Jancie Myers	Teacher/Tchg Asst.
Amanda Karaszkiwicz	Teacher/Tchg Asst.
Debra Barragan-Suhner	Teacher/Tchg Asst.

b. Annual Appointments Coaches/Advisors

Be it RESOLVED, the Board of Education upon the recommendation of the Superintendent and pursuant to Education law, appoint the following as coaches and advisors for the 2008-2009 school year:

Amy Decker	Foreign Lang. Curriculum Leader
Heather Roberg	Co-Coordinator Professional Partners
Diana McManus	Co-Coordinator Professional Partners
Donna Bryan	SAT Prep Verbal (Fall)
Ray Magee	Modified Field Hockey
Steve Ross	Modified Football (Assistant)
John Frangellica	JV Football ( Assistant)
Mike Hoffman	Varsity Football (Assistant)

D. Business Matters

2. Surplus Textbooks

Be it FURTHER RESOLVED, the Board of Education upon the recommendation of the Superintendent approve the disposal of the following surplus textbooks:

(94) Earth Science ISBN# 0-669-26183-1 – Spaulding & Nomowitz  
(35) Spanish Ven Connmigo ISBN# 0-03-057324-6 Holt

7. Employment Contract – School Lunch Manager

Be it RESOLVED, the Board of Education upon the recommendation of the Superintendent approve Employment Contract with Christopher Bateman, School Lunch Manager.

8. Employment Contract – Director of Facilities

Be it RESOLVED, the Board of Education upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, approve the Employment Contract with Eric Besenfelder, Director of Facilities.

9. Worker’s Compensation Reserve Fund

WHEREAS the Coxsackie-Athens Central School District is a self-insurer under the provisions of §50 subd.(4) of the Workers’ Compensation Law; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to General Municipal Law §6-j, the Board of Education may establish a Workers’ Compensation Reserve Fund; and

WHEREAS the Board of Education has determined that it would be in the best interest of the School District to establish such a Fund from available budgetary surplus funds,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Board of Education of the Coxsackie-Athens Central School District does hereby establish the Workers’ Compensation Reserve Fund of the Coxsackie-Athens Central School District effective June 30, 2008, and directs the payment into such Fund, from available budgetary surplus funds, of the sum of Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$50,000), to be deposited and secured in accordance with the requirements of General Municipal Law §6-j, and to be expended only in accordance with the provisions of that Section of Law.

9. Unemployment Insurance Reserve Fund

WHEREAS the Coxsackie-Athens Central School District has in the past elected to become liable for payments in lieu of contributions under Article 18 of the Labor Law, the Unemployment Insurance Law; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to General Municipal Law §6-m, the Board of Education may establish an Unemployment Insurance Payment Reserve Fund; and

WHEREAS the Board of Education has determined that it would be in the best interest of the School District to establish such a Fund from available budgetary surplus funds,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Board of Education of the Coxsackie-Athens Central School District does hereby establish the Unemployment Insurance Reserve Fund of the Coxsackie-Athens Central School District effective June 30, 2008, and directs the payment into such Fund, from available budgetary surplus funds, of the sum of Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$50,000), to be deposited and secured in accordance with the requirements of General Municipal Law §6-m, and to be expended only in accordance with the provisions of that Section of Law.

10. Transportation Contracts

Be it RESOLVED, the Board of Education approve the transportation contracts for the 2008-2009 school year (attached).