

August 8, 2011  
Date

6:30 PM  
Time

Regular Mtg.  
Type of Mtg.

Central Office Board of  
Education Meeting Room  
Where Held

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Mr. Semione  
Presiding

Members Present:

Ms. Brown  
Mr. Carangelo  
Mr. Carlson  
Mr. Curtis  
Mrs. LaPorta  
Mrs. Peck  
Mr. Semione

Member Absent:

Mr. Andrews

Administrators Present:

Robert DeLilli, Superintendent of Schools  
Frank Pickus, Assistant Superintendent for Curriculum and Instruction  
Steve Schloicka, Business Manager  
Colleen Ulrich, Director of Student Support Services  
Mark Batty, Assistant Principal, Gloversville High School  
Michael DeMagistris, Director of Health, Physical Education and Athletics

Others Present

Liz Gundersen, *WFNY*; Paul Amman, *WENT*; Amanda Whistle, *The Leader Herald*; Tammy McCue; Robert Fisher; Liz Fliegel

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**CALL TO ORDER**

At 6:33 PM, Mr. Semione called the meeting to order.

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At 6:34 PM, Mr. Semione asked that a motion be made to adjourn to Executive Session. A motion was made by Mrs. LaPorta and seconded by Ms. Brown to adjourn to Executive Session.

Motion carried:           Ayes: 7           Nays: 0

Discussion ensued.

**EXECUTIVE SESSION FOR THE PURPOSE OF DISCUSSING A PARTICULAR PERSON OR PERSONNEL, STUDENT MATTERS AND COLLECTIVE NEGOTIATIONS, IF APPLICABLE.**

At 6:43 PM Mr. Semione asked that a motion be made to adjourn the Executive Session. A motion was made by Mrs. Peck and seconded by Mr. Curtis to adjourn the Executive Session.

Motion carried:           Ayes: 7           Nays: 0

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**CALL TO ORDER**

Motion to adjourn to Executive Session

**EXECUTIVE SESSION**

Motion to adjourn the Executive Session

Tammy McCue gave a power point presentation including hand out information which gave an overview of the NYC Employment Project that is implemented in the Business Departments curriculum.

**PRESENTATION – NEW YORK CITY EMPLOYMENT PROJECT – TAMMY MCCUE**

**PRESENTATION**

Robert Fisher, head Cross Country Coach made a plea to the board to reinstate an assistant coach. The Cross Country numbers are raising and for safety reasons alone, an assistant is much needed.

**PUBLIC COMMENT**

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**Gloversville Enlarged School District Policy No. 3220 – Public Expression at Meetings**

During the Community Comment portion of the agenda, speakers will be allowed three minutes to ask questions or make comments regarding school related matters. Speakers will introduce themselves first by giving their name and address. "Members of the public" include only those people who are residents of the school district. Non-residents may not speak during the Community Comment portion of the agenda unless two thirds of the Board votes to allow that person to speak.

Mr. Semione asked if there were questions or concerns regarding the items under Board of Education. A brief discussion ensued.

Mr. Semione asked that a motion be made to approve the items under Board of Education. A motion was made by Ms. Brown and seconded by Mr. Carlson to approve the items under Board of Education.

Motion to approve items under Board of Education

Motion carried:           Ayes: 7                   Nays: 0

**BOARD OF EDUCATION**

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**A   APPROVAL OF BOARD OF EDUCATION MINUTES**

APPROVAL OF BOARD OF EDUCATION MINUTES

Organizational Meeting   July 5, 2011   (enclosure)  
Regular Meeting           July 5, 2011   (enclosure)

**B   APPROVAL OF GLOVERSVILLE ENLARGED SCHOOL DISTRICT AFFILIATIONS (Tabled item from Organizational Meeting)**

APPROVAL OF GLOVERSVILLE SCHOOL DISTRICT AFFILIATIONS

It is recommended that the Board of Education of the Gloversville Enlarged School District approve authorization to continue membership in the following affiliations:

- New York State School Boards Association (NYSSBA)
- NYS Association of Small City School Districts (NYSASCSD)
- Capital Area School Development Association (CASDA)
- Foundation of Fulton-Montgomery Community College
- Fulton County Regional Chamber of Commerce

C APPROVAL OF COMBINED GLOVERSVILLE/MAYFIELD INTERSCHOLASTIC BOYS GOLF PROGRAM

APPROVAL OF COMBINED GLOVERSVILLE/MAYFIELD BOYS GOLF PROGRAM

It is recommended that the Board of Education approve submission of an Application for Cooperative Sponsorship of an Activity in Section II for a combined Gloversville/Mayfield Interscholastic Boys Golf Program for the 2011/2012 school year.

Mr. Semione asked if there were questions or concerns regarding the item under Programs/Pupil Services. There were none.

Mr. Semione asked that a motion be made to approve the item under Programs/Pupil Services. A motion was made by Mrs. LaPorta and seconded by Mr. Curtis to approve the item under Programs/Pupil Services.

Motion to approve the item under Programs/Pupil Services

Motion carried: Ayes: 7 Nays: 0

**PROGRAMS/PUPIL SERVICES**

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A DISTRICT COMMITTEE ON SPECIAL EDUCATION

It is recommended that the Board of Education approve the recommendations by the District Committee on Preschool Special Education for the month of July 2011. (enclosure)

Mr. Semione asked if there were questions or concerns regarding the items under Finance. A brief discussion ensued.

Mr. Semione asked that a motion be made to approve the items under Finance. A motion was made by Mr. Carlson and seconded by Mr. Carangelo to approve the items under Finance.

Motion to approve items under Finance

Motion carried: Ayes: 7 Nays: 0

**FINANCE**

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A APPROVAL OF WARRANTS

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RESOLVED, that the bills herewith listed and presented in the sum \$3,636,312.42 be approved as follows:

General Audit.....	\$	2,072,874.06
Federal Audit.....	\$	45,054.35
School Lunch Audit.....	\$	11,096.72
Capital Project I Audit.....	\$	-
Capital Project II Audit .....	\$	225,369.16
Energy Performance Project.....	\$	1,281,918.13

GRAND TOTAL OF COMBINED AUDITS \$3,636,312.42 and the same are directed to be paid by the Board of Education. (enclosures)

B CHANGE IN CONTRACT- MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT CLOVERPATCH INTEGRATED PRESCHOOL PROGRAM

CHANGE IN CONTRACT-MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT-CLOVERPATCH

It is recommended that the Board of Education approve the change in the Memorandum of Agreement between the Gloversville Enlarged School District and the Cloverpatch Integrated Preschool Program to lease an additional classroom at Mecos School for the 2011/2012 school year under the terms and conditions set forth in the enclosed Memorandum of Agreement. (enclosure)

C HAMILTON-FULTON-MONTGOMERY BOCES - LEASE AGREEMENT FOR EXTENDED SCHOOL YEAR PROGRAM

HFM-BOCES LEASE AGREEMENT- EXTENDED SCHOOL YEAR

It is recommended that the Board of Education approve the lease agreement for the extended school year program with the Hamilton Fulton Montgomery BOCES for classrooms at Boulevard School for use between July 5, 2011 through August 12, 2011. (enclosure)

D APPROVAL OF EXTRACURRICULAR CLASSROOM ACTIVITIES FINANCIAL STATEMENT

APPROVAL OF EXTRACURRICULAR CLASSROOM ACTIVITIES FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Gloversville High School

It is recommended that the Board of Education approve the Gloversville High School Extracurricular Classroom Activities Financial Statement for the period of April 1, 2011 through June 30, 2011. (enclosure)

GHS

Gloversville Middle School

It is recommended that the Board of Education approve the Gloversville Middle School Extracurricular Classroom Activities Financial Statement for the period of April 1, 2011 through June 30, 2011. (enclosure)

GMS

E TAX RATES – 2011-2012

TAX RATES

WHEREAS, the Gloversville Enlarged School District budget for the 2011-2012 fiscal year which was approved on May 17, 2011 in the amount of \$52,693,000.00; and

NOW BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED that the 2011-2012 tax levy, excluding the library tax, be set at \$13,213,428.00 and the following tax rates shall be applied to the assessment rolls:

City of Gloversville	\$ 20.7140/\$1,000 in assessed value
Town of Johnstown	\$ 26.2203/\$1,000 in assessed value
Town of Bleecker	\$ 20.7140/\$1,000 in assessed value
Town of Caroga	\$ 47.0773/\$1,000 in assessed value
Town of Mayfield	\$ 29.1746/\$1,000 in assessed value

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Mr. Semione asked if there were questions or concerns regarding the items under Facilities. There were none.

Mr. Semione asked that a motion be made to approve the items under Facilities. A motion was made by Ms. Brown and seconded by Mr. Curtis to approve the items under Facilities.

Motion to approve items under Facilities

Motion carried:           Ayes: 7           Nays: 0

**FACILITIES**

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REQUESTS FOR USE OF FACILITIES

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It is recommended that the Board of Education accept the following Requests for Use of Facilities: (enclosure)

<u>Organization</u>	<u>Dates</u>	<u>Facility</u>
GHS Field Hockey	7/13/11-8/22/11 5:00-7:00 PM Wednesdays	GMS Field/Gym
Donn Truax	8/5/11, 8/6/11 8:00-1:00 PM	Darling Field
Juvenile Diabetes Foundation	10/2/11 10:00-3:00 PM	Blvd. School
GESD Volleyball	11/10/11 12:00-8:00 PM	GHS Gym

Mr. Semione asked if there were questions or concerns regarding items under Staff Personnel. There were none.

Mr. Semione asked that a motion be made to approve the items under Staff Personnel. A motion was made by Mrs. LaPorta and seconded by Mrs. Peck to approve the items under Staff Personnel.

Motion to approve items under Staff Personnel

Motion carried:           Ayes: 7           Nays: 0

**STAFF PERSONNEL**

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A ADMINISTRATIVE RESIGNATION

ADMINISTRATIVE RESIGNATION

	<u>Reason and Effective Date</u>
Robert DeLilli 126 Kingsboro Ave. Gloversville, NY Superintendent of Schools	Personal Effective: 8/16/11

Robert DeLilli

**B INSTRUCTIONAL LEAVES OF ABSENCE**

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Amy VanNostrand 65 Woodward Ave. Gloversville, NY 12078 3 <sup>rd</sup> Grade @ Blvd.	<u>Reason and Effective Date</u> FMLA (paid) Effective: 9/6/11- 12/2/11
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Amy VanNostrand

Carrie Watrobski 112A Trevet Rd. Galway, NY 12074 Kindergarten @ Blvd.	<u>Reason and Effective Date</u> FMLA (paid) Effective: 6/24/11-12/2/11 Child Rearing (unpaid) 12/5/11-1/2/12
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Carrie Watrobski

**C INSTRUCTIONAL APPOINTMENTS**

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**1 Three Year Permanent Probationary Appointments**

**Three Year Permanent Probationary Appointments**

a. Deanna Alex 413 Glen Avenue Scotia, New York 12302 Education: BS Elementary/Sp. Ed.-SUNY Plattsburgh MS Education – University of Phoenix Tenure area: Special Education Certification: Initial- Students with Disabilities 1-6 Experience: Amsterdam School District, Classroom Teacher Assignment: 8:1:1 Classroom @ GMS Salary: Step 3 =\$40,622.00 plus 30 graduate credits =\$42,122.00 Effective: 9/1/11-8/31/14 Justification: Replacing Kate Kukan who resigned	Deanne Alex
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b. Carrie Palombo 12 So. Chase Street Johnstown, New York 12095 Education: BS Early Childhood Ed.-College of St. Rose MS Literacy Education – College of St. Rose Tenure area: N-6 Certification: Initial- Childhood Education Grades N-6 Initial-Literacy-B-6 Experience: Substitute Teaching Assignment: Kindergarten @ Park Terrace Salary: Step 1 =\$37,533.00 plus 30 graduate credits = \$39,033.00 Effective: 9/1/11-8/31/14 Justification: To fill new section of Kindergarten	Carrie Palombo
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2 Two Year Permanent Probationary Appointment

Two Year Permanent Probationary  
Appointment

a. Salvina Michel  
134 First Ave.

Salvina Michel

Gloversville, New York 12078

Education: BA Political Science – Manhattan College  
MS Special Education – City College of New York

Tenure area: Special Education

Certification: Permanent – Special Education

Experience: Classroom Teacher-Goshen School District

Assignment: Special Education at Gloversville High School

Salary: Step 6 = \$45,411.00 plus 30 graduate  
credits = \$46,911.00

Effective: 9/1/11-8/31/13

Justification: Replacing Christine Schoonmaker who retired

3 Special Education Itinerant Teacher

Special Education Itinerant Teacher

a. Terri Bolebruch  
206 Hillview Rd.

Terri Bolebruch

Gloversville, New York 12078

Education: BA Sociology-Empire State College  
MS Special Education-Grand Canyon University

Tenure area: NA

Certification: Initial- Students with Disabilities

Experience: Teaching Assistant @ Kingsborough

Assignment: In home instruction

Salary: \$32.00/hour

Effective: 7/25/11-6/30/12

Justification: To provide Special Education Services to  
homebound students according to the IEP's

4 Approval of Home Tutors – 2011/2012 School Year - \$32.00/hr.

Approval of Home Tutors

Stanley Bojarski	Trisha Bobowski	Deborah Deming
Jamie DiGrazia	Margie Fagel	William Fliegel
Jessica Fielding	Eric Garippa	Jeffrey Gardiner
Toni Giblin	Maria Hernandez	Theo Horesco
Pricilla Horesco	Patricia Hoye	Colleen Izzo
Kellie LaCoppola	Tammy McCue	Andrea McLaughlin
Concetta Montana	Deborah Nass	Karen O'Donnell
Matthew Richardson	Deborah Seward	Carol Shapiro
Martha Smith	Jeanne Smith	Melissa Vacula
Cheryl Wagner	Vanessa Warner	David Wilder



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- c Paul Blowers From: FMLA (paid) Paul Blowers  
599 Barlow Rd. 4/8/11-6/30/11  
Gloversville, NY To: FMLA (paid)  
Cleaner Districtwide 4/8/11-7/5/11  
Medical (paid)  
7/6/11-8/1/11
- E NONINSTRUCTIONAL APPOINTMENTS NONINSTRUCTIONAL APPOINTMENTS
- 1 Food Service-Change in Classification-Permanent Probationary Appointments Food Service-Change in Classification
- a Debra Schaner From: Sr. Food Service Worker Debra Schaner  
5308 St. Hwy. 29 To: Cook Manager @ GHS  
St. Johnsville, NY Rate: \$14,843.00  
@ GHS Effective: 9/1/11-2/29/12
- b Barbara Graham From: Food Service Worker Barbara Graham  
6748 St. Hwy. 29 To: Sr. Food Service Worker  
St. Johnsville, NY Rate: 12,560.00  
@ GHS Effective: 9/1/11-2/29/12
- 2 Food Service-Increase in Hours Food Service-Increase in Hours
- a Jennifer Young From: 5.75 hours/day Jennifer Young  
2 Woodward Ave. To: 6 hours/day  
Gloversville, NY Rate: \$9.27/hr.  
@ GHS Effective: 9/1/11
- 3 Teacher Aides-Permanent Probationary Appointments Teacher Aides-Permanent Probationary Appointments
- a Darlene Bills Assignment: 1:1 Aide @ GHS Darlene Bills  
748 Ridge Road Rate: \$11,014.58\*  
Broadalbin, NY Effective: 9/1/11-2/29/12
- b Valerie Person Assignment: Aide @ Kingsborough Valerie Person  
498 No. Main Street Rate: \$11,014.58\*  
Gloversville, NY 12078 Effective: 9/1/11-2/29/12
- \*Pending negotiations
- 4 Office Personnel Association - Part-time Typist – Permanent Probationary Appointment Office Personnel Association-Part-time Typist
- Danielle Graham Assignment: CSE Office (Part time) Danielle Graham  
53 Wooster Street Rate: \$10.67/hr. (18.5 hrs./wk.)  
Gloversville, NY Effective: 8/9/11-2/8/12
- F EXTRACURRICULAR EXTRACURRICULAR
- 1 Head Coaches-Salary Correction Head Coaches-Salary Correction
- Mike Hallenbeck Soccer From: \$5076.00 To: \$4653.00  
Jacquie Davis Field Hockey From: \$4653.00 To: \$5076.00

2	<u>Coaches-Fall 2011</u>			Coaches-Fall
a	<u>Head Coach</u>			Head Coach
	Brienna Jo Malagisi	Cheerleading	\$2820.00	
b	<u>Assistant Coaches</u>			Assistant Coaches
	Krista Jensen	Field Hockey	\$3384.00	
	Chris Atty	Football	Unpaid	
	Jim Bongo	Football	Unpaid	
	Anthony Yacobucci	Football	Unpaid	

**ASSISTANT SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT**

Mr. Pickus referred to a booklet of information that the Board members received in their packets reviewing a report of the National Early Literacy Panel concerning the Development of Early Literacy. He urged them to read the information and to pay particular attention to the five early literacy skills. He informed that Board the Gloversville School District included all of them in their curriculum.

**SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT**

Before he gave his report, Mr. DeLilli thanked the Board of Education and all the Administrators for the cooperation and guidance that he received during his four years at Gloversville. He gained much knowledge and wished the Gloversville School District continued success.

Mr. DeLilli reported on the following:

--The finishing touches are continuing on the Gym. As soon as they are complete, a possible open house could be arranged.

--There is new Bullying Legislature that will be in place by 2012. A committee needs to be formed at our district. Mrs. Peck has volunteered to head the committee.

Mr. Semione thanked Mr. DeLilli for his years of service to the district and wished him well in his new endeavor.

Mr. Semione asked if there were questions or concerns regarding the addition to the agenda. There were none.

Mr. Semione asked that a motion be made to approve the addition to the agenda. A motion was made by Mrs. LaPorta and seconded by Mr. Curtis to approve the addition to the agenda.

**ASSISTANT SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT**

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Motion to approve the addition to the agenda

Motion carried:           Ayes: 7                   Nays: 0

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At 7:35 PM, Mr. Semione asked that motion be made to adjourn to Executive Session. A motion was made by Mr. Curtis and seconded by Mrs. Peck to adjourn to Executive Session.

Motion to adjourn to Executive Session

Motion carried:           Ayes: 7                   Nays: 0

Discussion ensued.

**EXECUTIVE SESSION FOR THE PURPOSE OF DISCUSSING A PARTICULAR PERSON OR PERSONNEL, STUDENT MATTERS AND COLLECTIVE NEGOTIATIONS, IF APPLICABLE.**

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At 8:43 PM, Mr. Semione asked that a motion be made to adjourn the Executive Session. A motion was made by Mrs. LaPorta and seconded by Ms. Brown to adjourn the Executive Session.

Motion to adjourn the Executive Session

Motion carried:           Ayes: 7                   Nays: 0

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At 8:44 PM, Mr. Semione asked that a motion be made to adjourn the meeting. A motion was made by Mrs. Peck and seconded by Ms. Brown to adjourn the meeting.

Motion to adjourn the meeting

**ADJOURNMENT**

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**ENCLOSURES**

- Board of Education Meeting Minutes
- Committee on Special Education Information
- Warrant Information
- Memorandum of Agreement-Cloverpatch
- BOCES Lease Agreement-Summer Session
- Extra Curricular Reports
- Use of Facilities
- Draft Memorandum of Agreement-Aides & Monitors
- Executive Summary

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Robert DeLilli, District Clerk