

**NORTH ARLINGTON BOARD OF EDUCATION
NORTH ARLINGTON, NEW JERSEY**

SPECIAL PUBLIC MEETING

January 9, 2018

**IMMEDIATELY
FOLLOWING REORGANIZATION MEETING**

Board of Education Office

- I. **CALL TO ORDER**
- II. **ROLL CALL**
- III. **SALUTE TO THE FLAG**
- IV. **STATEMENT OF PUBLIC MEETING NOTICE**

This Special Public Meeting of January 9, 2018, of the Board of Education of the Borough of North Arlington, in the County of Bergen, State of New Jersey, is called to immediately follow the Annual Reorganization Meeting on January 9, 2018. The Board will open to the public for the purpose of immediately adjourning into Executive Session. This meeting will be held in the Board of Education Office as per notice given to the Clerk of the Borough of North Arlington and to the Librarian of the Free Public Library of North Arlington for posting therein as election notices are posted and of notice given to the Editors of the following newspaper: Bergen RECORD of Hackensack and the Newark STAR LEDGER.

- V. **SUPERINTENDENT'S STATEMENT**

This meeting is open to the public for the purpose of addressing any subject matter that is pertinent to and/or directly related to the operation of the North Arlington Public School District. Residents wishing to speak on such items are required to state their names, addresses and subject matter. Pursuant to Board Bylaw 0167, Public Participation in Board Meetings, comments are limited to 5 minutes duration.

The Board may (or may not) respond to issues raised by members of the public at the time they are raised, but will provide a response if and when appropriate. However, the Board cannot directly respond to the issues regarding personnel, in order to protect the privacy rights of the individual.

Please be advised that there is no privilege or qualified privilege with regard to any statements that you make before the Board. What this means is that while you are certainly free to exercise your right to comment on issues before the Board, such comments are considered public statements, and may be responded to or acted upon by any individuals affected by them. The Board will, of course, consider your comments as they relate to its obligations to effectively govern the North Arlington School District, but cannot offer protection from any action that a third-party may elect to pursue as a result of any statements offered during public session.

VI. HEARING OF THE PUBLIC

On Motion by _____, second by _____.
Discussion: _____ Roll Call:

Mr. Dorsett	_____
Mr. Smith	_____
Mrs. Gilgallon	_____
Mrs. Higgins	_____
Mr. McDermott	_____

VII. CLOSED SESSION

VIII. SUNSHINE RESOLUTION

WHEREAS this meeting is duly and properly called for a regular session meeting of this Body and adequate notice has been given as provided for by the “Open Public Meetings Act”; and

WHEREAS it is now necessary that the Board of Education consider the following matter:

Student privacy issues, HIB reports, Personnel, and legal contract matters

which fall(s) within the exceptions as set forth in the “Open Public Meetings Act” and therefore are matters which this Body determines should be discussed at a closed meeting. It is anticipated that this closed session will last approximately _____ minutes.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the North Arlington Board of Education as follows:

That this body shall at this time recess this meeting and conduct a closed meeting concerning the above referenced matter(s), which involve exceptions this body hereby determines are of such a nature that they cannot be discussed at an open meeting and this body is at this time unable to determine when the matter(s) under discussion can be disclosed to the public. However, this body will make such a disclosure when circumstances permit.

On Motion by _____, second by _____.
Discussion: _____ Roll Call:

Mr. Dorsett _____
Mr. Smith _____
Mrs. Gilgallon _____
Mrs. Higgins _____
Mr. McDermott _____

Motion to return to open session to vote on the matters discussed in executive.

On Motion by _____, second by _____.
Discussion: _____ Roll Call:

Mr. Dorsett _____
Mr. Smith _____
Mrs. Gilgallon _____
Mrs. Higgins _____
Mr. McDermott _____

XI. **ADJOURNMENT**

On Motion by _____, second by _____.
Discussion: _____ Roll Call:

Mr. Dorsett _____
Mr. Smith _____
Mrs. Gilgallon _____
Mrs. Higgins _____
Mr. McDermott _____

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