



CONSOLIDATED SCHOOL DISTRICT OF NEW BRITAIN

New Britain Board of Education | Special Curriculum and Finance Committees Meeting

September 28, 2020 – 6:15 PM | New Britain High School

1. Call to Order and Opening

- A. Meeting Called to Order

2. New Business

- A. EdAdvance Presentation

Presentation by Mr. Jonathan Costa, EdAdvance Asst. Executive Director

- B. Academics: Approve Purchase Order for Curriculum Renewal and Professional Learning Project by EdAdvance for 2020-2021 (\$1,716,524.00)

Submitted by Ms. Lara Bohlke | Funding Source: Commissioner's Network Funds for Smalley (\$499,579.00), Pulaski (\$406,022.00), Slade (\$535,923.00) and NBHS (\$275,000.00). Commissioner's Network: Professional Services: Line 300 Commissioner's Network for NBHS, Smalley, Pulaski and Slade, Line 300: NBHS – 2345 061 10001 53320 Smalley - 2346 012 10001 53320 Pulaski - 2347 053 10001 53320 Slade – 2348 052 10001 53320 | Page 6

- C. Digital Arts 1 Curriculum Presentation / Approval

Presentation by Ms. Leona Clerkin, Ms. Karen Soccodato, and Mr. Michael Tino | Page 8

- D. Review and Approve Minutes from Curriculum Committee Meeting on June 15, 2020

Submitted by Ms. Kristin Salerni | Page 28

- E. Finance: Approve Bid Waiver for Sound Absorbing Mats and Freestanding Panels for DiLoreto and Jefferson Schools (\$10,700.00)

Submitted by Ms. Donna Clark | Funding Source: IDEA Grant 611 202096912002-56110 | Page 31

- F. Finance: Approve Purchase Order, Bid Waiver, and Contract Between New Britain School District and Alive Schools, LLC for Socioemotional Services to Students at DiLoreto Elementary School (\$27,256.81)

Submitted by Mr. Alejandro Ortiz | Funding Source: School Improvement Grant (SIG) 300 | Page 40

- G. Finance: Approve Purchase Order, Bid Waiver, and Contract Between Consolidated School District of New Britain and Global Education & Beyond, LLC for Services/Professional Development in Culturally Responsive Teaching Practices for DiLoreto Elementary & Middle School Educators and Staff (\$24,000.00)

Submitted by Mr. Alejandro Ortiz | Funding Source: School Improvement Grant (SIG) 300 | Page 43

- H. Academics: Approve Purchase Order, Bid Waiver, and Contract Between Consolidated School District of New Britain and Global Education & Beyond, LLC for Services/Professional Development in Culturally Responsive Teaching Practices for Smalley, Northend and Chamberlain Elementary Educators and Staff and Participating Administrators (\$57,000.00)

Submitted by Ms. Andrea Foligno | Funding Source: Smalley SIG Grant 204801210001-53320 | Page 46

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- I. Academics: Approve Purchase Order and Bid Waiver for Services Rendered by School Climate Consultants, LLC for Faculty, Staff, and Students at Smalley Elementary School (\$65,000.00)
Submitted by Ms. Andrea Foligno | Funding Source: Smalley Commissioners Network Grant 234601210001-53320 | Page 50
- J. Partnerships: Approve Purchase Order, Bid Waiver, and Contract Between Consolidated School District of New Britain and The Ana Grace Project for Services Rendered to Chamberlain, DiLoreto, Gaffney, Holmes, Jefferson, Lincoln, Northend, Smalley, Smith, Vance and NBTC (\$90,000.00)
Submitted by Ms. Ryan Langer | Funding Source: Title IV Grant Unknown | Page 62

3. Closing and Adjournment

- A. Other Business as Permitted by Law
- B. Adjournment

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