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BERGENFIELD PUBLIC SCHOOLS
BERGENFIELD, NEW JERSEY 07621
OFFICE OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

November 28, 2022

To: Bergenfield Board of Education

From: Christopher Tully

RE: Personnel Recommendations for the Board of Education Meeting Monday, November 28, 2022

Retirements/Resignations:

Nick Casasanta, Security Officer at Bergenfield High School has resigned effective November 22, 2022.

Eric Zalis, Spanish Teacher at Bergenfield High School has resigned effective January 6, 2023.

Ashley Schisani, Paraprofessional at Jefferson School has resigned effective December 16, 2022.

Family/Medical Leaves:

Appointments:

Matthew McGrath, Interim Director of Alternative School from January 2, 2023 through June 30, 2023 at a rate of \$475.00 per day.

Beata Lucin, Elementary ESL Teacher effective on or after December 1, 2022 at a prorated salary of \$62,258.00 (MA step1) pending receipt of fingerprint clearance, P.L. 2018, c.5, transcripts, and certification.

The following programs for the 2022-2023 school year:

Michael Papapetrou	Alt. High School	Chess Club Advisor	\$1,386.00 Payable through Title IA funds
Mairaj Ahmed	Alt. High School	Drone Club Advisor	\$40.00 per hour not to exceed \$1,300.00 payable through Title IA funds
Danesa Salcedo	BHS	Translator for ELL Parent Meetings	\$31.49 per hour Up to 6 hours payable through Title III funds
John Reddy Kayla Parks Barbara Plikaitis	Hoover School	Preschool Education Expansion Extended Day	\$40.00 per hour each 1 hour per day each

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Mary Kathryn Osborne, Drama Teacher at BHS is completing her Masters in Curriculum and Instruction at Caldwell University. As part of her thesis, she will be conducting a research study exploring the Social-Emotional Learning in a Theater Classroom and how empathy can be investigated and incorporated into playwriting and performance. Students who volunteer will participate. This proposal has been approved by the Caldwell University IRB.

Salary Changes (Salaries to be prorated to effective date):

Substitutes (pending the completion of all paperwork including Criminal History):