



Stanhope Board of Education
24 Valley Road, Stanhope, New Jersey
Special Meeting
Gymnasium & Virtual
September 16, 2020

Pledge of Allegiance

The Special Meeting of the Stanhope Board of Education was called to order on September 16, 2020 at 4:00 PM. The meeting was conducted using an “In Person” and “Virtual” platform due to the continued state of emergency declaration by the Governor of New Jersey in accordance with his subsequent issuance of Executive Order 107. The Board of Education Members present included: Mr. Jonathan Clauson, Mrs. Jennifer Herold, Mr. Najib Iftikhar, Mrs. Cynthia Percarpio, Mrs. Mattia Scharfstein, Mr. Frank Shay, and Mr. Gil Moscatello. Also attending the meeting was Mr. Steven Hagemann, Superintendent and Dr. Steven E. McHugh, Sr., Business Administrator/Board Secretary. There was 1 individual present (online) for the meeting.

Sunshine Law Statement – N.J.S.A. 10:4-8d; N.J.S.A. 10:4-10a

This is to advise the general public and to instruct that it be recorded in the minutes that in compliance with Chapter 231 of the Public Laws of 1975, entitled the “Open Public Meetings Act,” Stanhope Board of Education, located at 24 Valley Road, Stanhope, New Jersey, has caused this notice to be posted at the office of the Stanhope Board of Education, mailed to the New Jersey Herald, the Municipal Clerk of the Borough of Stanhope, the Stanhope Post Office, and posted at the Valley Road School and Linden Avenue School, setting forth the time, date, and the location of the meeting.

Mission Statement

The Stanhope School District will provide a diverse and challenging educational environment that encourages individual initiatives, fosters success through teamwork, promotes accountability, demonstrates a passion for educational excellence and ensures student achievement related to the New Jersey Student Learning Standards. The Stanhope School District is committed to the development of our students and staff, so that individual aspirations can be achieved through their lifelong learning.

Board & District Goals and Objectives

New Jersey School Boards Association Field Service Representative Kathy Helewa led the Board on a discussion of:

1. Board Self Evaluation
2. Goals and Objectives Workshop
3. Ethics, Roles & Responsibilities Training

The following District and Board goals were developed.

Stanhope Board of Education District Goals for School Year 2020-21

1. To establish a multi-year framework towards implementation of the Response to Intervention (RTI) model, which includes several components. These components include:
 - a. Standards-based Grading
 - b. PBIS
 - c. Data Analysis
 - d. Review of Interventions and Support
 - e. Development of an RTI Team
 - f. Review of Curriculum to Support Data Findings

2. To investigate and implement progressive and innovative strategies and practices to improve instruction, professional development opportunities and implementation of instructional technology.

Stanhope Board of Education Board Goal for School Year 2020-21

Individual Board members shall increase their Board professional development by attending NJSBA offerings during SY 20-21, and shall present information to the Board.

Adjournment

A motion was presented by Mr. Iftikhar and seconded by Mrs. Percarpio, that the Stanhope Board of Education adjourn the meeting at 6:31 PM:

Voice Vote:

Yes: 7

No: 0

Abstain: 0

Motion Passes

Respectfully Submitted,

Steven E. McHugh, Sr.

Dr. Steven E. McHugh, Sr.

Board Secretary/Business Administrator

Approved: October 14, 2020