

LONG BEACH PUBLIC SCHOOLS
Long Beach, NY

March 11, 2025

Ladies and Gentlemen:

The Long Beach Board of Education is the authorized State agency responsible for setting educational policy in the district. It consists of five trustees, each serving a three-year term. Board members pay school taxes at the regular rate and receive no salary or other financial compensation.

All meetings, except executive sessions, are held before the public. Members of the public may address the Board of Education on any specific agenda item during special time reserved for that purpose prior to Board discussion and action. The public may also address the Board of Education on any matter of concern at a second public session after the Board of Education completes agenda action items. Visitors should not address the Board in public relative to questions or comments regarding specific staff members or specific students. Such concerns should be brought to the attention of appropriate staff or to Board members by telephone, in writing, or by scheduling a personal meeting, as appropriate to the circumstances.

Visitors' comments will be limited to three (3) minutes for each agenda item upon which comment is made. Visitors are precluded from speaking on any agenda item more than once during each meeting.

Sincerely,

Your Board of Education

BOARD OF EDUCATION
LONG BEACH PUBLIC SCHOOLS
Long Beach Middle School Auditorium
Tuesday, March 11, 2025

AGENDA

REGULAR MEETING

7:00 PM

- I. Pledge of Allegiance/Call to Order/Opening Remarks – Board President
- II. Report of the Superintendent of Schools
 - *Student Showcase: Coding K-12*
 - *Presentation: Elementary Program Budget Proposal*
- III. Board of Education Comments
- IV. Student Organization Announcements
- V. Questions and Comments from the Public on Tonight's Agenda Only
- VI. Treasurer's Report for January 2025
- VII. Approval of Minutes for Executive Session and Regular Meeting of February 11, 2025 and Executive Session and Work Session of February 25, 2025
- VIII. Presentations of the Superintendent:
 1. Personnel Matters: Certificated
 2. Personnel Matters: Non-Certificated
 3. Approval of Participation in RIC ONE Risk Operations Center
 4. Approval of Extension of Award of Bid # 1932-2024 to IVS Incorporated
 5. Acceptance of Donation of AED
 6. Acceptance of Recommendations of CPSE/CSE
 7. Payment of Legal Bills: Legal Services
 8. Approval of Use of Schools Applications
- IX. Board of Education – Additional New/Old Business if any
- X. Questions and Comments from the Public
- XI. Announcements:
 1. Long Beach Classroom Teachers' Association
 2. Administrative, Supervisory and PPS Group
 3. LBSEA -Long Beach Schools Employees' Association – Group C
 4. Parent/Teacher Association
- XII. Adjournment

RESOLUTIONS

BE IT RESOLVED THAT, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education approves the following personnel actions.

I. CERTIFICATED PERSONNEL

(a) Resignation for the Purposes of Retirement

Name: Anastasia Pellegrino
Assign./Loc: Part Time Teaching Assistant/Long Beach Middle School
Effective Date: June 28, 2025, close of day

(b) Resignation

Name: Hudson Georges
Assign./Loc: Art Teacher/Long Beach High School
Effective Date: June 30, 2025, close of day

(c) Recission

<u>Name</u>	<u>Position</u>
Jewel Butler	Per Diem Sub
Sheeba Jafri	Per Diem Sub

(d) Leaves of Absence

Name: Jessica Baker
Assign./Loc: Physical Education Teacher/Long Beach High School
Effective Dates: March 14, 2025 – June 2, 2025, on or about at the district's discretion
Reason: FMLA/Maternity

Name: Katherine Wiesner
Assign./Loc: Elementary Teacher/East School
Effective Dates: March 21, 2025 – June 2, 2025, on or about at the district's discretion
Reason: FMLA/Maternity

Name: Lauren Calabrese
Assign./Loc: Reading Teacher/Long Beach High School
Effective Dates: September 1, 2025 – June 30, 2026
Reason: Childcare

I. CERTIFICATED PERSONNEL

(d) Leaves of Absence cont'd

Name: Erin Gabriel
Assign./Loc. PT Teacher Assistant/East School
Effective Dates: March 14, 2025 – June 2, 2025, on or about
Reason: Maternity

Name: Alyssa Schramm
Assign./Loc. Science Teacher/Long Beach High School
Effective Dates: March 3, 2025 – June 30, 2025
Reason: FMLA/Medical -Intermittent

Name: Philip Cabasino
Assign./Loc. Elementary Teacher/Lindell School
Effective Dates: March 24, 2025 – April 4, 2025, on or about
Reason: FMLA/Paternity

Name: Christina Baldeo
Assign./Loc. PT Teacher Assistant /East School
Effective Dates: March 24, 2025 – June 30, 2025, on or about
Reason: Maternity

Name: Brooke Connochie
Assign./Loc. Special Education Teacher/Lindell School
Effective Dates: April 27, 2025 – June 30, 2025, on or about
Reason: Maternity

Name: Lauren Miller
Assign./Loc. Special Education Teacher/West School
Effective Dates: September 1, 2025 – June 30, 2026
Reason: Maternity

Name: Dana Runfola
Assign./Loc. Elementary Teacher/West School
Effective Dates: September 1, 2025 – June 30, 2026
Reason: Maternity

Name: Crysti Cardineau
Assign./Loc. Special Education Teacher/Lido School
Effective Dates: September 1, 2025 – June 30, 2026
Reason: Childcare

Name: Rebecca Wesselhoft
Assign./Loc. Elementary Teacher/East School
Effective Dates: September 1, 2025 – June 30, 2026
Reason: Maternity

I. CERTIFICATED PERSONNEL

(e) Amended Leaves of Absence

Name: Gillian Greenfield
Assign./Loc. Spanish Teacher/Long Beach High School
Effective Date: December 16, 2024 – May 16, 2025
Reason: Maternity

(f) Recommendation for Appointment on Tenure the staff member listed below is eligible for appointment on tenure in the area and on the date indicated. He has been found to be competent, efficient and satisfactory in his total professional performance.

Name	Tenure Area	Date
Christopher Webel	Elementary Assistant Principal	7/1/2025

(g) Appointment: LBHS Academy-Rate of Pay \$80.87 per hour-February 27, 2025 – June 25, 2025, not to exceed 40 hours.

Christianne Vella-Donohue

(h) Appointment: Coaches for Special Olympics/Challenger – 2024/2025 school year, rate of \$60.86 per hour, max 70 hours each.

Sean Miller
Erin Veltre
Gregory Cody
Andrea Hinke
Christine La Marca
Julie Braddish

(i) Appointment: Coach for Volunteer Flag Football – 2024/2025 school year.

Jaclyn Javakian

(j) Appointment: Elementary Club Coaches for the 2024/2025 School Year-rate of pay \$60.86 per hour, max 20 hours.

LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	ENRICHMENTS	SCHOOL
Bauer	Eileen	Colors of the Rainbow (Dance)	East
Sommers	Tamara	Colors of the Rainbow (Dance)	East
Dugay	Katie	Colors of the Rainbow (Dance)	East

I. CERTIFICATED PERSONNEL

- (k) The following Short term per diem Substitute Teacher is recommended for approval for the dates below. \$245.84 per day

<u>Name</u>	<u>Dates</u>
Marissa D'Angelo	March 12, 2025 – June 16, 2025

- (l) The following Per Diem Substitute Teachers is recommended for approval for the 2024-2025 school year. \$150 per day

NAME	CERTIFICATION
Rita Correale	Permanent Nursery, Kindergarten, Pre-K, Grades 1-6
Ava Kirchner	In a program, English
Juliana Kasper	In a program, English

- (m) **WHEREAS**, the Superintendent of Schools has been requested to bring the personnel records staff discussed in Executive session to a meeting of the Board of Education for review in executive session pursuant to Part 84 of the regulations of the Commissioner of Education; it is

RESOLVED, that the Board of Education shall meet in the March 25, 2025 executive session to review the personnel files after which said files shall be returned to the custody of the Superintendent of Schools.

I. NON-CERTIFICATED PERSONNEL

(a) Resignation for the Purpose of Retirement

Name: Louise Cronnoly
Assign./Loc: Part time Building Aide/Long Beach Middle School
Effective Date: June 27, 2025, close of day

(b) Resignation

Name: Auyeung Ching
Assign./Loc: Elementary Teacher's Aide/Lido Elementary School
Effective Date: February 25, 2025, close of day

Name: Yorce Yotagri
Assign./Loc: 30 Hr. Bus Driver /Transportation
Effective Date: February 28, 2025, close of day

(c) Leaves of Absence

Name: Guillermo Martinez
Assign./Loc. Groundskeeper/Buildings & Grounds
Effective Date: January 31 ,2025 – April 30, 2025 or earlier at the district's discretion
Reason: FMLA/Medical

(d) Appointment: Probationary Senior Personnel Clerk

Name: Melissa Frank
Assign./Loc. Probationary Senior Personnel Clerk/Admin
Effective Start Date: March 4, 2025
Probationary Start Date: January 15, 2025
Probationary End Date: July 14, 2025
Comment: Promulgation of Civil Service Eligibility list

(e) Appointment Part Time Teacher Aide 17.5 hours per week for School Year 2024-2025 (or earlier at the district's discretion). Rate according to contract.

Name	Step	Rate	Location	Start Date	Comment
Alfred Ford	1	\$17.84	LBHS	3/12/25	Resigns as Building Aide
Sophia Techera	1	\$17.84	East	3/12/25	To fill a Vacancy
Elissa Michaels	1	\$17.84	Lido	3/12/25	PT AM Emergency Aide

NON-CERTIFICATED PERSONNEL

- (f) The following Per Diem Substitute is recommended for approval for the 2024-2025 school year.

<u>Name</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>Rate</u>	<u>Comment</u>
Lisa Romanelli	Teacher Aide	\$16.50/hr.	Resigns as P/T Teacher Aide effective 3/24/25

- (g) The following Per Diem Substitute is recommended for approval for the 2024-2025 school year.

<u>Name</u>	<u>Position</u>
Barbara Vahey	Clerical

- (h) **Appointment: General Mechanic**

Name: Michael Valerio
 Assign./Loc: General Mechanic/Lido Complex
 Effective Dates: March 17, 2025 – March 16, 2029
 Salary Classification: \$55,882
 Grade/Step: Grade IV/Step 1
 Reason: To Fill a Vacancy

- (i) **Appointment: Transportation 30-Hour Driver Extra Work**

<u>Driver</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>Hours</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Hourly Rate</u>
Linda McCormack	Stand-by-driver	10	Transportation	\$29.93
Katherine McDonagh	Cleaner	10	LBHS	\$31.29
Veronica Dale	Bldg. Aide	10	LBMS	\$25.11
Keasia Dale	Bldg. Aide	7.5	LBMS	\$25.11
Barbara Simon	Cleaner	5	East	\$26.50

- (j) **Completion of Probationary Appointments**

The staff members listed below have completed their probationary appointments and have received a satisfactory evaluation and are hereby recommended for permanent appointment.

Name: Raquel Lopez
 Assign./Loc.: Secretary II – Long Beach Middle School
 Effective Date: March 18, 2025

I. NON-CERTIFICATED PERSONNEL

(j) Completion of Probationary Appointments cont'd

Name: Kathleen McNally
Assign./Loc.: Secretary II -- Long Beach High School
Effective Date: March 18, 2025

Name: Risa Centenni
Assign./Loc.: Secretary II – Finance and Operations
Effective Date: March 18, 2025

Name: Jeanne Radin-Forkin
Assign./Loc.: Secretary II – Transportation
Effective Date: March 18, 2025

Name: Patti Pues
Assign./Loc.: Secretary II – West Elementary School
Effective Date: March 18, 2025

Name: Lisa Tutino
Assign./Loc.: Secretary II – Buildings and Grounds
Effective Date: March 18, 2025

Name: Gail Donenfeld
Assign./Loc.: Secretary II – East Elementary School
Effective Date: March 18, 2025

Name: Charlene Manning
Assign./Loc.: Secretary II – PPS
Effective Date: March 18, 2025

Name: Linda Papetti
Assign./Loc.: Secretary II – Lido Elementary School
Effective Date: March 18, 2025

Name: Cynthia Turnbull
Assign./Loc.: Accounts Payable Clerk – Business Office
Effective Date: March 18, 2025

3. APPROVAL OF PARTICIPATION IN RIC ONE RISK OPERATIONS CENTER

WHEREAS, four (4) BOCES (Onondaga-Cortland-Madison BOCES, Albany-Schoharie-Schenectady-Saratoga BOCES, Madison-Oneida BOCES and Broome-Tioga BOCES) have collaborated and entered into an Article 5 General Municipal Law intermunicipal arrangement for the purpose of improving vendor management and data security and privacy practices for school districts and/or BOCES statewide known as the RIC ONE Risk Operations Center (the "ROC");

WHEREAS, the Board of Education of the Long Beach School District through its affiliation with a locally based Regional Information Center, participates with the ROC and desires, for the 2024-2025 fiscal year, to authorize the ROC to enter into Data Privacy Agreements and related exhibits (DPAs) with vendors and third-party contractors that include the requirements of, and compliance with, New York State Education Law Section 2-d and Part 121 Regulations (collectively, "Ed Law 2d") related to student personally identifiable information (PII) and certain Teacher and Principal APPR data;"

WHEREAS, the ROC also partners with NYSED, the Access4Learning Student Data Privacy Consortium (SDPC) and The Education Cooperative (TEC), to negotiate and approve Ed Law 2-d compliant DPAs;

WHEREAS, the DPAs are presented to school districts and/or BOCES for final execution and do not require the expenditure of funds beyond those budgeted; and

BE IT RESOLVED, Board of Education of the Long Beach School District authorizes the attorneys designated by the ROC to negotiate and approve of DPAs for software and/or technology resources; and,

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, the Long Beach School District Board of Education grants the ROC and its designated attorneys the authority to negotiate the terms and conditions of DPAs and take such actions so as to effectuate the purposes and intent of this resolution.

4. APPROVAL OF EXTENSION AWARD OF BID #1932-2024 – GENERAL PUMP AND MOTOR AND MAINTENANCE 2025-2026 SCHOOL YEAR.

5. ACCEPTANCE OF DONATION OF AED

BE IT RESOLVED, that upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education accepts a donation of three Philips HeartStart OnSite AEDs at a total value of \$3,990 from The Robbie Levine Foundation for the Long Beach School District.

6. ACCEPTANCE OF RECOMMENDATIONS FROM THE COMMITTEE ON PRE-SCHOOL SPECIAL EDUCATION AND COMMITTEE ON SPECIAL EDUCATION

7. PAYMENT OF LEGAL BILLS: LEGAL SERVICES

A) VOLZ & VIGLIOTTA, PLLC

BE IT RESOLVED, that upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education authorizes expenditures in the amount of \$5,000.00 to Volz & Vigliotta for the monthly retainer for general counsel legal services for the period of April 1, 2025 through April 30, 2025; and \$3,583.33 for the monthly retainer for labor counsel legal services for the period April 1, 2025 through April 30, 2025.

8. APPROVAL OF USE OF SCHOOLS APPLICATIONS

BE IT RESOLVED, that upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education approves the use of schools as attached, not to conflict with District events. However, please note that events may have to be modified and/or rescheduled based on building schedule.

APPLICATIONS FOR USE OF SCHOOLS

<u>Organization</u>	<u>Purpose</u>	<u>Facility Requested</u>	<u>Dates Requested</u>
Circulo de la Hispanidad	Sport Friday	Long Beach Middle School Gymnasium	Fridays: March 7, 2025- May 9, 2025 8:00 pm – 9:00 pm
Circulo de la Hispanidad	Sound System Practice – Mother’s Day	Lindell Elementary Auditorium, Auditorium Lobby, Classrooms, Cafeteria A, Faculty Room #142	Thursday May 8, 2025 4:00 pm – 6:00 pm Friday May 9, 2025 4:45 pm – 9:00 pm
Dancing Classrooms Long Island	DCLI Colors of the Rainbow Team Match	Long Beach High School Gymnasium	Thursday, May 8, 2025 4:00 pm – 8:00 pm
Long Beach Theater Guild	Auditions for Annie	Long Beach Middle School Auditorium, Auditorium Lobby	Monday June 9, 2025, Wednesday June 11, 2025 Thursday June 12, 2025 5:30 pm – 9:15 pm
EOC – Long Beach Head Start	Moving Up Ceremony Rehearsal	Long Beach High School Auditorium	Thursday June 26, 2025 10:00 am – 11:30 am
EOC – Long Beach Head Start	Moving Up Ceremony	Long Beach High School Auditorium	Tuesdays July 1, 2025 8:30 am – 12:30 pm

Long Beach Basketball Camp	Camp	Long Beach High School Boys Locker Room, Girls Locker Room, Gym, Outdoor Basketball Courts	Monday – Friday July 21, 2025 – July 25, 2025 8:45 am – 12:15 pm
Stay Fresh Stories	Meet the Artist! Be the Artist! Mini Camp	Lido Elementary Library	Monday – Friday July 21, 2025 – July 25, 2025 9:00 am – 12:30 pm
Flight Cheer / Bulldogs Cheer	Practice	Long Beach High School Cafeteria	Tuesdays and Thursdays August 5, 2025 – November 13, 2025 5:30 pm – 7:30 pm
Island Beach Girl Scouts	Renewal / Bingo	Lido Elementary Cafeteria	Wednesday March 26, 2025 6:00 pm – 9:00 pm
Long Beach Football Club, Inc.	Soccer Practice	Long Beach Middle School Mini Soccer Field	Monday – Friday March 3, 2025-June 27, 2025 6:00 pm – 9:00 pm
Long Beach Football Club, Inc.	Games	Long Beach Middle School Soccer / Lacrosse Fields	Saturdays March 15, 2025 – June 28, 2025 8:00 am – 8:00 pm
Long Beach Football Club, Inc.	Practice and Games	Long Beach High School Alumni Field	Monday – Friday March 3, 2025-June 27, 2025 6:00 pm – 9:00 pm Saturdays March 15, 2025-June 28, 2025 3:00 pm – 9:00 pm Sundays March 16, 2025-June 29, 2025 11:45 am – 9:00 pm
Long Island Swimming LTD	LIAC Practice	Long Beach High School Pool	Various Days Monday – Thursday March 10, 2025-April 30, 2025 6:00 pm – 8:00 pm

Long Beach Recreation Center	Summer Camp	Long Beach Middle School Band Room, Mini Soccer Field, Auditorium, Baseball Fields, Gym, Soccer/Lacrosse Field, Tennis Court	Monday – Friday June 30, 2025 – August 22, 2025 8:15 am – 1:45 pm
Long Beach Youth and Family Services	Day Trippers Camp	East Elementary School North Playground, Gym, Cafeteria, Music Room	Monday – Friday June 30, 2025 – August 22, 2025 7:00 am – 4:00 pm
Long Beach Recreation Center	Summer Camp	Lindell Elementary Auditorium, Cafeteria A&B, Gym, Lacrosse/Soccer Field, North & South Playgrounds	Monday – Friday June 30, 2025 – August 22, 2025 8:15 am – 1:45 pm
Long Beach Wrestling Club	Wrestling Camp	Long Beach Middle School Gym and Wrestling Room	Monday – Thursday July 21, 2025- July 24, 2025 8:00 am – 12:30 pm
Seaside Pickleball	Games	Long Beach High School Tennis Courts	Wednesday May 28, 2025- August 27, 2025 4:45pm – 9:00 pm

Elementary Program

(General Education Kindergarten - 5)

2025-26 Budget Presentation

March 11, 2025

Elementary Program (K-5)

Function Code	Function Description	2025-26 Proposed Budget	2024-25 Actual Budget	\$ Variance	% Variance
A2020	Supervision	\$1,814,489	\$1,713,644	\$100,845	5.89%
A2110	Teaching and Learning	\$16,650,473	\$16,056,665	\$593,809	3.70%
A2610	Library	\$358,069	\$345,913	\$12,157	3.51%
A2810	Guidance	\$108,760	\$106,825	\$1,935	1.81%

Elementary Program (K-5)

- The 2025-26 Elementary Program Proposed Budget includes:
 - Step increases for staff on the new salary schedule
 - An additional AIS reading teacher at East Elementary School
 - An additional AIS math teacher at Lido Elementary School
 - An additional WINGS (What I Need to Grow as a Student) teacher at Lindell Elementary School
 - Reduction of one general education section at East Elementary School (no class size above 24 students)

Elementary Program (K-5)

- The 2025-26 Elementary Program Proposed Budget includes:
 - Adjustments throughout various line items to reflect historical expenditures (e.g.: 5-year averages for sub coverages)
 - Updates to supply line items to reflect the decrease in enrollment
 - Increase in field trip allotment to \$40 per student per year and adjustment to the line item for the decrease in enrollment

Important Upcoming Dates

- March 11th Elementary Program
- March 25th Secondary Program
- April 8th Special Education Program
- April 23rd Budget Adoption
- May 13th Budget Hearing
- May 20th Budget Vote & Trustee Election

Comments / Questions