

**MONTGOMERY TOWNSHIP BOARD OF EDUCATION  
Skillman, New Jersey 08558**

**Meeting, Wednesday, August 31, 2022**

**4:30 p.m. Public Session – Board of Education Candidate Interviews  
Executive Session Immediately Following Interviews to Evaluate Candidates  
Open Session to Appoint New Board Member**

**Lower Middle School Cafeteria**

**SPECIAL MEETING AGENDA**

2022-2023 District Goals

Goal 1: Equity

Increase *cultural competency* among administration, staff, and students in order to create a work and learning environment that supports diversity, equity, and inclusion.

Goal 2: SEL

Increase staff training and implementation of research-based, trauma-informed strategies that will decrease stress, promote wellness, build resilience and create a supportive learning environment for all students, administration, and staff.

Goal 3: Academic

Increase the understanding and implementation of *Universal Design for Learning*, a framework that guides the design of learning experiences to proactively meet the needs of all types of learners, in order to improve student success across all classroom settings.

Goal 4: Communication

Improve all methods of communication to deliver clear and transparent district messaging to all district stakeholders by leveraging social media platforms, the website, and email blasts to increase engagement with the community.

OPENING OF THE MEETING

Call to Order – Board President

Statement of Open Meeting and Public Participation - In accordance with the State's Sunshine Law, adequate notice of this meeting was provided by mailing notice of meeting on August 26, 2022. Notice was provided to Board of Education Members, Montgomery Township Clerk, Rocky Hill Borough Clerk, Public Library, Township Posting, School Posting, PTSA Officers, Courier News, Montgomery News, Princeton Packet, Trenton Times, and The Star Ledger.

The Board reserves the right to enter into Executive Session during all meetings of the Board of Education.

ROLL CALL

## SALUTE THE FLAG

## INTERVIEW BOARD CANDIDATES

## EXECUTIVE SESSION

It is recommended that the Board convene in Executive Session for the purpose of evaluating the candidates to fill the Board vacancy.

## NEW BUSINESS FROM BOARD/PUBLIC

The Board of Education welcomes and encourages input from the public. Members of the public are allotted one opportunity to bring any new business to the Board for up to a maximum of three (3) minutes per speaker. All comments or questions must be directed to the board president.

Before you make your comment, please state your name and address and write both in the notebook provided. Being mindful of privacy rights regarding students and board employees and to avoid any potential liability on the part of the speaker, the board discourages references to specific individuals. While directing your comments or questions to the board president, please understand that the public comment portions of the meeting are not structured as question and answer sessions but rather are offered as opportunities for you to share your thoughts with the board. The board president may need to refer an issue to the superintendent if the particular issue has not been handled through the appropriate chain of command with the school district. However, responses may be provided at the end of this session. There are times when comments and questions will require additional fact gathering before a response is provided.

### **1.0 ADMINISTRATIVE**

The Superintendent recommends that the Board of Education approve the administrative item as follows:

- 1.1 Appointment of Board Member – appoint \_\_\_\_\_ as a board member to be sworn in at the September 27, 2022 board meeting pending successful criminal history report.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS BY THE PRESIDENT

## ADJOURNMENT