

**AGENDA
SPECIAL MEETING OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION
FRANKLIN TOWNSHIP PUBLIC SCHOOLS
MIDDLEBUSH CONFERENCE ROOM
AUGUST 9, 2011 – 6:30 PM**

Mr. Richard E. Arline
Mrs. Teletha A. Brown, President
Mr. Delvin Burton
Mrs. Nancy LaCorte
Mr. Thomas J. Lewis

Mrs. Eva M. Nagy
Mrs. Julia Presley, Vice President
Mr. Richard Seamon
Ms. Keisha Smith-Carrington

Mr. Edward Q. Seto, Superintendent of Schools
Mr. John Calavano, Assistant Superintendent for Business/Board Secretary
Ms. Eveny Pagán, Assistant Superintendent for Curriculum & Instruction
Mr. Brian Bonanno, Interim Director of Personnel Services
Mr. Henry Sherren, Director of Pupil Personnel Services
Mr. Orvyl Wilson, Director of School Management and Student Advocacy

___ Members of the Public

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

MOMENT OF SILENCE

OPEN PUBLIC MEETINGS ACT STATEMENT

In accordance with the "Open Public Meetings Act" P.L. 1975, c. 231 (Sunshine Law), the schedule and notification of this meeting have been provided for on August 3, 2011. Copies of this notice were faxed to the **Courier News**, the **Home News Tribune**, **The Star-Ledger**, **The Times of Trenton**, Franklin Township Clerk/Manager, WCTC Radio, District Schools, Offices and Associations, PTO Presidents, and posted on the Central Administration Building notice board.

MISSION STATEMENT OF THE FRANKLIN TOWNSHIP PUBLIC SCHOOLS

The Mission of the Franklin Township Public Schools is to provide excellent educational opportunities that meet or exceed New Jersey Core Curriculum Content Standards for every student; maintain an environment that engenders an appreciation of the value of every student; develop every student to his/her highest potential; and instill the attitudes, skills, and knowledge necessary to become independent, contributing members of a democratic, multi-cultural society.

DISTRICT GOALS

STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT: *Design, implement and assess high quality learning activities and opportunities that improve teaching and the academic achievement of all students, as measured by district and state assessments.*

PUBLIC RELATIONS/COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT: *Design, implement and assess strategies that strengthen community relations and instill confidence in the school district through increased accountability, transparency and awareness of district activities.*

SCHOOL SAFETY AND SECURITY: *Design, implement and assess programs and system improvements that promote safety and security in all district facilities, functions and wherever district students are the responsibility of the Board of Education.*

FACILITIES: *Design and implement strategies that provide efficient, effective maintenance and management of all current and future facilities to create environments that promote student learning and minimize energy consumption.*

PURPOSE: Board Retreat - Finalize Board and Superintendent's Goals

COMMENTS FROM THE PUBLIC

ADJOURNMENT

Moved:

Seconded:

Action to adjourn.

Arline Burton LaCorte Lewis Nagy Presley Seamon Smith-Carrington Brown