



**BERKELEY HEIGHTS BOARD OF EDUCATION
REGULAR MEETING
ADDENDUM TO THE JUNE 25, 2026 AGENDA**

FINANCE ADDENDUM

Resolutions 1-32 and 36: All Board members. Resolutions 33-35 and 37-38: Berkeley Heights Only

19. APPROVE ENROLLMENT OF NONRESIDENT SPECIAL EDUCATION STUDENTS IN GOVERNOR LIVINGSTON HIGH SCHOOL FOR THE 2026-2027 REGULAR SCHOOL YEAR

RESOLVED that the Berkeley Heights Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, approves the enrollment of nonresident Special Education students in Governor Livingston High School for the 2026-2027 regular school year from September 1, 2026-June 30, 2027, on a tuition basis, as recommended by Kevin Morra, Director of Special Services, and pending completion of the registration process in the amounts not to exceed as listed below:

Student ID #	Grade	Sending District	Prog.	Tuition	Para	Other Services	Total
9495040173 <i>(Corrected)</i>	10	Madison Public Schools	LLD	\$95,554	\$57,034	\$2,263	\$154,851
4054110971	11	Montville Public Schools	LLD	\$95,554	\$54,249	\$3,569	\$153,172
4495835059	12	South Bound Brook	D/H H	\$112,113	NA	NA	\$112,113

Removed student from Warren Township Sending District and placed in resolution #37 (Berkeley Heights Only) as this is a Columbia Middle School student.

36. RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING DISPOSAL OF SURPLUS PROPERTY VIA GOVDEALS

WHEREAS, the Berkeley Heights Board of Education owns certain property, including equipment, furnishings, and other personal property, that is no longer needed for public school purposes, is obsolete, unused, in disrepair, or otherwise surplus to the needs of the District; and

WHEREAS, N.J.S.A. 18A:18A-45 and N.J.S.A. 40A:11-36 authorize Boards of Education to sell or otherwise dispose of such property in accordance with law; and

WHEREAS, the Board seeks to dispose of surplus property in an open and transparent manner and to obtain the best possible return, and GovDeals.com provides an online auction service consistent with applicable laws and regulations;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Education of Berkeley Heights, in the County of Union, State of New Jersey, that the Board is authorized to sell or otherwise dispose of surplus personal property through GovDeals.com or other lawful means.

The following items are hereby declared surplus property and authorized for sale on GovDeals.com:

Equipment	Quantity
Chromebook Charging Cart/Station	15

- The Surplus Property will be sold in its 'as is, where is' condition, without express or implied warranties.
- The Business Administrator is authorized to oversee the sale process, to execute the necessary agreements with GovDeals, and to report the results back to the Board.
- All proceeds from the sale shall be deposited into the General Fund of the Berkeley Heights School District

37. APPROVE ENROLLMENT OF NONRESIDENT SPECIAL EDUCATION STUDENTS IN GOVERNOR LIVINGSTON HIGH SCHOOL FOR THE 2026-2027 REGULAR SCHOOL YEAR

RESOLVED that the Berkeley Heights Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, approves the enrollment of nonresident Special Education students in Columbia Middle School for the 2026-2027 regular school year from September 1, 2026-June 30, 2027, on a tuition basis, as recommended by Kevin Morra, Director of Special Services, and pending completion of the registration process in the amounts not to exceed as listed below:

Student ID #	Grade	Sending District	Prog.	Tuition	Para	Other Services	Total
9623171219	7	Warren Township Public Schools	ABA	\$79,061	\$31,758	\$7,272	\$118,091

New resolution to extract Warren Township student from #19.

38. APPROVAL OF RELATED SERVICES FOR RECEIVING STUDENT

BE IT RESOLVED, that the Berkeley Heights Board of Education approves the provision of Occupational Therapy and Physical Therapy services for a receiving student (Student # 9623171219) during the 2026-2027 extended school year, at a cost not to exceed \$560.00, with such costs to be billed to the Warren Township Board of Education in accordance with applicable tuition and service agreements.

PERSONNEL ADDENDUM

Resolutions 1-14 and 24: All Board members. Resolutions 15-23 and 25-26: Berkeley Heights only.

2. APPROVE HIRING CERTIFICATED STAFF

RESOLVED that the Berkeley Heights Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, approves the hiring of the following certificated staff for the 2026-2027 school year, pending employment authorization (#):

*1-Replacement of a resignation/retirement vacancy 2-New approved position 3-Staff Transfer/reassignment
Note: The Guide Step and Salary figures reference the 2025-2026 salary guide. The 2026-2027 Guide Step and Salary figures will be approved upon the successful ratification of a new agreement between the Board of Education and the Berkeley Heights Education Association.*

Name	Assignment	Location	FTE	Effective Date	Degree	Step	Annual Salary	Certification
Jennifer Esposito ¹	Learning Disabilities Teacher Consultant	GL	1.0	8/27/26 - 6/30/27 #	MA+30	16	\$90,778.00	Standard
Amelia Ortman ¹	Student Assistance Counselor	GL/CMS	1.0	8/27/26 - 6/30/27 #	MA	9	\$71,538.00	Standard/CEAS

Modified staff certificated list

24. APPROVE RESIGNATION OF STAFF

RESOLVED that the Berkeley Heights Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, approves, with regret, the resignation of staff, as follows:

Name	Assignment	Location	Effective Date
Kelly Curtiss	Director of STEAM	District	10/31/26

New Resolution

25. APPROVE WILSON CERTIFIED INSTRUCTOR JOB DESCRIPTION

RESOLVED that the Berkeley Heights Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, approves the Wilson Certified Instructor Job Description for Berkeley Heights Public Schools for the 2026-2027 fiscal year, a copy of which is on file with the Superintendent of Schools.

New Resolution

26. AMEND APPOINTMENT OF COLUMBIA MIDDLE SCHOOL PRINCIPAL

RESOLVED that the Berkeley Heights Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, amends the appointment of Laura Muller as Principal of Columbia Middle School effective ~~August 12, 2026, or sooner,~~ July 20, 2026, through June 30, 2027, at a salary of \$147,000.00 prorated.

New Resolution