

North Shore Schools  
Board of Education  
Regular Meeting  
Minutes  
November 20, 2025

The meeting was called to order by Vice-president Lisa Colacioppo at 6:30 p.m. in the Middle School Cafeteria. Present were Trustees Cashman, Dillon, Hanley, Mosca and Svendsen. President Macari was absent. Also present were Superintendent Dr. Christopher Zublionis and Assistant Superintendents Dr. Carol Smyth and Mr. James Pappas.

At 6:30 p.m. on motion of Trustee Hanley and seconded by Trustee Cashman and all in favor, the Board convened an executive session in the library to consider matters leading to the appointment or employment of a particular person or persons and proposed, pending or current litigation, and collective negotiations pursuant to Article 14 of the Civil Service Law (the Taylor Law).

At 7:50 p.m. on motion of Trustee Mosca and seconded by Trustee Svendsen and all in favor, the Board came out of executive session and resumed the regular meeting in the cafeteria. There were approximately 7 people in the audience.

**Pledge of Allegiance**

Vice-president Colacioppo led the public in the pledge of allegiance. ASL students signed the pledge.

**Approval of Minutes**

The reading of the draft minutes of the meeting of November 6, 2025 being prepared and disseminated to all members in advance of the meeting, were dispensed. There being no corrections to the minutes, it was declared by Vice-president Colacioppo that the minutes of the meeting of November 6, 2025 were approved.

On motion of Trustee Cashman and seconded by Trustee Mosca and all in favor, it was:

**Approval of Treasurer's Report**

BE IT RESOLVED, That the Board of Education of the North Shore Central School District hereby approves the Treasurer's Report for the period August 1, 2025 through August 31, 2025 and September 1, 2025 through September 30, 2025 were approved.

Prior to voting Trustee Mosca noted the Claims Audit report once again had zero exceptions. Vice-president Colacioppo added there were 426 checks processed and totaling \$6.5 million with not one error.

On motion of Trustee Dillon and seconded by Trustee Cashman and all in favor, it was:

**Approval of Claims Audit Report**

BE IT RESOLVED, That the Board of Education of the North Shore Central School District hereby approves the claims audit report for the period October, 2025 as reviewed and submitted by Claims Auditor, Denise Longboardi

**Report from the Ex-Officio Student Board Members**

Student Board Member Genevieve Hudin reported on events, activities, student interests and concerns at the high school, Luna Espinoza DeRozas was absent due to her commitment to the school play.

The North Shore Blood Drive (hosted by the Key Club) is taking place on Monday, November 24th and there has been a lot of interest around it. Key clubbers have worked really hard the first few weeks getting students interested by presenting the blood drive in classes and advertising it at a table in the cafeteria. They are hoping to get 50 donors which would exceed last year. The Key Club students would like to thank Ms. Salat, Key Club Advisor, and Ms. McCaffrey, the blood drive coordinator, for helping the students raise awareness for this cause right before the holiday season.

Ms. Hudin gave an update on the Winter Dance: Dr. Kurrus spoke at Super Commons about logistics and rules regarding the dance, and the SGO is currently planning the decorations and activities for the dance. Tickets will be sold next week and through the two days after the Thanksgiving break. The students from the high school would once again like to thank the Board of Education for giving them so much momentum behind the winter dance.

Next, she gave an update on the air conditioning situation. She reminded the Board this concern was brought up at the October 23rd meeting, and she was pleased to report that the AC seems to be much more regulated and there haven't been any more concerns regarding the matter. Students hope that temperatures continue to be regular as we approach the winter months.

Ms. Hudin also updated the Board on an issue previously brought up at a meeting about how fruit is being wasted because students are forced to take 2 pieces with lunch. She reported that there is now a bowl on the hot lunch side of the cafeteria where students can leave the fruit they don't want so other students can take a fruit for free. She believes this is a really great short term way of easing the issue; however, they feel some sort of compost bin would be beneficial. Ms. Hudin has spoken to the president of the Environmental Club about this and they hope to pursue more environmentally friendly policies.

Regarding the phone ban policy, Ms. Hudin sent a report to Dr. Smyth on the phone ban that was discussed in the Wellness Committee meeting. She highlighted the area of the law which include exceptions with "authorization by a teacher, principal, or the school district, charter school, or BOCES for a specific education purpose." Ms. Hudin said she believes in certain classes, especially Art and Sciences, the phones are a really useful tool and a necessity for taking photos. She went on to say the law states that as long as the use of the phone is authorized, it is permitted and she thinks this can really alleviate some of the negative effects of the phone ban regarding schoolwork. She feels this part of the law should be widely recognized by the school district. She is continuing to gather more information from a larger portion of the school population and plans to update the report on the phone ban as more information is collected through the months.

Ms. Hudin reported that she and Ms. De Roza have received an overwhelming number of concerns regarding the new Wi-Fi network the high school students are utilizing. She emailed Mr. Kaye some clarifying questions regarding the privacy aspect of the Wi-Fi network. She expressed concern that there is no privacy in the Wi-Fi network. She is anxious to get clarification about how the Wi-Fi network works.

Finally, Ms. Hudin spoke about the morning traffic issue on Glen Cove Avenue. The students would like to see the Todd Drive gate opened to alleviate traffic. She also suggested a 3-way stop sign at the corner of Kissam Lane and Glen Cove Avenue. She explained that currently at that cross section there is a stop sign on the edge of Kissam Lane for those coming up from Kissam, but she believes 2 more stop signs need to be put in place for those coming both up and down Glen Cove Avenue. This 3-way stop sign system would allow those turning left from Kissam onto Glen Cove Avenue to be safer and not at the mercy of cars stopping for them.

Dr. Zublionis explained that installing stop signs and walkways on Glen Cove Avenue has been an ongoing discussion. However, Glen Cove Avenue is a County Road and therefore falls under the jurisdiction of Nassau County. He agrees they need to figure out a solution. He further explained that opening the gate at Todd Drive is a problem for the neighbors in that area which creates another issue. Regarding the Wi-Fi issue and privacy, he wants to understand more how privacy is

being defined and the specific issue. He further explained that everything they do is under the purview of Ed Law 2D which protects student data and privacy. The Board did make a decision to create the phone ban policy with the exception. They decided to allow personal laptops and devices and to create a network for personal devices different from school devices. He understands that may have had unintended consequences. At the December 11 Board meeting they will focus on a Student Forum. Ms. Hudin and Ms. De Roza will lead the discussion for the Board to discuss some of these issues. Dr. Zublionis will attend the meeting with Ms. Hudin and Ms. De Roza they have scheduled with Mr. Contreras where they will discuss many of these issues.

### **Report of the Superintendent**

Dr. Zublionis reported on a Veteran's Day event at Glen Head School. He explained it was a student led event which included a breakfast with veterans and a ceremony where students mentioned every veteran in attendance. He thanked the students for a very special day. On December 1 he will host the first Student Cabinet Meeting to talk about the North Shore Journey with students from different grades so they can make their concerns and preferences heard in person.

Dr. Zublionis reported that they are working on a sign-off and family ID for parents who transport their student athletes home from a game. He reported that Sea Cliff School held an Entrepreneurship Week, which is also global event. 2 Sea Cliff residents, Kristen and Katelyn McClellan, visited Sea Cliff School to present their product, a stand-up sunscreen and touchless sanitizer machine, and talk about their business and process. Sea Cliff students have been creating their own pitches for their own innovation and businesses, which they will present to Kristen and Katelyn.

He reported that the high school play, *The Laramie Project* will be produced Friday and Saturday and after Thanksgiving the concert season will begin.

Dr. Zublionis reported that the Board of Education will be holding a work session on December 1 to discuss their capital projects plan and where they are in the process. It is a public meeting, and it will be live-streamed, but there will be no public participation.

The administration has been doing a lot of work around AI. They have a great Technology Committee with parents who work in tech. They are setting up professional development with faculty on Monday. There will be a lot of professional learning on the topic, and they are finding the right balance in a responsible way. He thanked the committee members for their great work.

Finally, Dr. Zublionis asked that everyone please support the Viking Foundation through "Champions for Charity". Register to shop at the Americana Shopping Center and shop December 4-5 at the stores. A percentage will go directly to the Viking Foundation. He also asked everyone to shop locally during the holiday season.

### **Our Business Program – 8:11 p.m.**

Mr. Seth Gordon, Director of K-12 Social Studies, Business and FACS, gave an overview of the Business Program 9-12. He explained how the program has grown over the last 5 years in both course requests and student enrollment leading to the increase of an additional teacher. Currently, there are 9 courses available for students, 3 of those upper level and IB. He further explained that business electives offer students a chance to apply knowledge in a real-world, contemporary way, applicable to real life. Courses help students understand money, marketing and management, skills that students see as necessary. Business teachers Mr. Chiarvalloti and Ms. Sandback gave more specific details on how courses are designed, the skills students gain and how this helps students in the future. Students Tyler Harding and John Varkaris presented their virtual product "The Road Volt" a portable emergency charging pack for electric vehicles and how they market it, create a logo and plan to raise funding to manufacture it. Student Maddie Frisella, president of the

North Shore DECA Chapter, gave a brief overview of DECA, a student run organization that integrates real-world experiences through competitive events, leadership opportunities and community service projects. She explained that North Shore's DECA Chapter has tripled their competitions in just one year. Mr. Gordon explained that a requirement for instruction in financial literacy has come out of the Blue Ribbon Commission and this becomes effective in the 2026-27 school year. To meet this new requirement, it is their recommendation to add financial literacy to all students through choice in the elective program by adapting course offerings by adding personal finance. Another recommendation is to add a North Shore Business Seal (Honor & Distinction). Finally, with the increase in the new requirements, new courses and increased enrollment, Mr. Gordon suggested consideration for a possible third business teacher.

The Board discussed the report. All Trustees thanked Mr. Gordon, the teachers and students for their presentation and comprehensive report. Some questions and comments raised were: will the new financial literacy requirement only be offered through business elective classes; has the state given guidance on the curriculum for financial literacy; are we currently offering internships and work experiences or is this a goal; are students able to earn a real estate license through the College Real Estate class; it is important to have multiple on ramps for students; is the demand for classes equal in other subject areas; can they see the business plan from the student perspective; how can the district respond to the growing demand with the bigger picture; need to think about financially supporting families of students who travel for competition. Ms. Hudin noted that adding electives due to the demand does not mean they will run. She used the example of AP Euro where there was a lot of student interest, however that course did not run. She did agree that students are very excited about the business courses and a career path. Vice-president Colacioppo added that it is exciting that these courses are offered, but they must also look at it from a budgeting perspective. She suggested as the world changes, there may be classes that can possibly be exchanged for more updated ones.

Mr. Gordon and Dr. Zublionis addressed some of the questions and comments. Mr. Gordon noted the financial literacy requirement is in the early stages so they are not sure how it will be implemented. Mr. Gordon further explained it will not be required of high school seniors; it will be a requirement of the current seventh graders. Dr. Zublionis added it would be similar to the art/music requirement. He also explained that the Nassau County Superintendent's group is lobbying for more details from the state. Mr. Gordon explained that they are trying to get more businesses involved in the internship and mentorship program. Currently, there are more students working than doing an internship program. Dr. Zublionis added that they are structuring the internship program, which must be unpaid. They are hoping to have a vendor fair. Mr. Gordon explained that students are eligible to take the real estate license exam upon graduation and their 18<sup>th</sup> birthday. He further explained that we partnered with LIU Post to create the curriculum and to prepare for the exam. Mr. Chiarvalloti added that two former students are taking the license exam.

#### **Policy Review – 9:12 pm**

The Board discussed policy #5152-Non-Resident Students. Dr. Zublionis explained that although this policy is entitled "non-resident students" it does include the practice of siblings who move with special education students to non-zoned schools due to special programs. The Board discussed this part of the policy and questions were raised as to whether it should be a stand alone policy. The policy committee will revisit the policy to incorporate the suggestions made by Trustees.

#### **Comments from the Public**

There were no comments made.

The Board decided to vote simultaneously on action items 10 (a-h), 11, and 12  
Prior to voting, Trustees thanked the Glenwood Landing SCA for the generous donations.  
Dr. Zublionis thanked custodian Fred Lange for his 40 years of service to the district and wished him well on his retirement.

On motion of Trustee Mosca and seconded by Trustee Cashman and all in favor, it was:

Personnel

Resignation - Administration

BE IT RESOLVED, That the Board of Education of the North Shore Central School District hereby accepts the resignation of Amy McKee, Assistant Director of Special Education, effective January 31, 2026

Bonding Leave of Absence

BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED that the Board of Education of the North Shore Central School District approves a leave with full salary without charge to leave credits for the purpose of bonding with a child for not more than 20 work days for employee, John Savage, Teacher, that includes the period December 1, 2025 through January 7, 2026

BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED that the Board of Education of the North Shore Central School District approves a leave with full salary without charge to leave credits for the purpose of bonding with a child for not more than 20 work days for employee, David Schultz, Teacher, that includes the period December 8, 2025 through January 14, 2026

Regular Substitute (Leave Replacement) Appointment - Certified

BE IT RESOLVED, That the Board of Education of the North Shore Central School District hereby approves a regular substitute (leave replacement) appointment for Ruth Peets-Butcher, Elementary, on Step 4 of the MA salary schedule, effective December 5, 2025 through January 30, 2026

Resignation for Retirement Purposes - Non-Certified

BE IT RESOLVED, That the Board of Education of the North Shore Central School District hereby accepts the resignation for retirement purposes of Frederick J. Lange, Custodian, effective December 23, 2025

Resignation - Non-Certified

BE IT RESOLVED, That the Board of Education of the North Shore Central School District hereby accepts the resignation of Danielle Granelli, Sr. Typist Clerk, effective November 7, 2025

BE IT RESOLVED, That the Board of Education of the North Shore Central School District hereby accepts the resignation of Humberto Diaz, Part-time Cleaner, effective November 14, 2025

BE IT RESOLVED, That the Board of Education of the North Shore Central School District hereby accepts the resignation of Andrea Long, Part-time School Monitor at North Shore Middle School, effective November 12, 2025

Appointments - Non-Certified

BE IT RESOLVED, That the Board of Education of the North Shore Central School District hereby approves the appointment of Isabella Andrea, Part-time Teacher Aide at Glen Head Elementary School, effective November 21, 2025

BE IT RESOLVED, That the Board of Education of the North Shore Central School District hereby approves the appointment of Janet Brosky, Part-time Teacher Aide at Sea Cliff Elementary School, effective November 21, 2025

Per Diem Substitutes

BE IT RESOLVED, That the Board of Education of the North Shore Central School District hereby approves the addition of the following names to the per diem substitute list:

Name	Substitute Type
Kathryn Bryan	Registered School Nurse Substitute
Stephanie Falciano Colesanti	Teacher Substitute

Extra-Curricular Activity Advisor

BE IT RESOLVED, That the Board of Education of the North Shore Central School District hereby approves the following extra-curricular activity advisor:

Elementary	Advisor	Step
<i>Organizations (Music)</i>		
Glee Club (GWL)	Julianna Curran	Step 1

Acceptance of Donations from the Glenwood Landing SCA to the Glenwood Landing Teachers/Programs

BE IT RESOLVED, That the Board of Education of the North Shore Central School District hereby accepts the grants/donations from the Glenwood Landing SCA to the following Glenwood Landing Teachers and Programs:

<b>GWL SCA Teacher Grant Requests 2025-2026</b>			
Teacher/Dept	Grade Levels	Item/Link	Cost
Gila Stanisic/ENL	All grades	Whiteboard	\$22.21
Renee Curiale/ Jackie Stevens	1st gr class	PlayDoh, Foam Balls, Chair Socks, Lamps	\$77.92
Caitlyn Rapelje	4th gr class	Wobble Cushions	\$52.99
Deborah Novick	5th gr class	Whiteboards with erasers	\$35.87
Jenny Kelly/ Resource Rm	All grades (K)	Reading Manipulatives	\$111.03
		Word Building Kit - qty 5	\$125.00
		Sensational Sand - qty 2	\$20.00
		Customizable Whiteboards - qty 5	\$40.00
		OG Teacher Bag Kit	\$100.00
Christine Purpura	All grades	Decodable Chapter Books	\$265.79
		3 Shelf Bookshelves - qty 2	\$56.00
Lisa Ledden/Nurse	All grades	Clothing and Undergarments	\$150.00
Rebecca Edelstein	1st gr class	Art Supplies & Cases	\$78.08
Colleen Hasselmann/ ENL	K-2 grades	Back Jack Chairs	\$362.94
Ariel Morgan	5th gr ICT	Mini Smart Board	\$2,000.00



Stephanie Donnelly/ Nicole Esposito	PE All Grades	Field Day Costumes	\$159.16
Office	All Grades	Holiday sing a long Costumes	\$121.96
Audra Marcantonio/ SWES	All Grades	Indoor Recess Items	\$929.03
SWES	All Grades	Stools for Creativity Cave	\$124.99
SWES/Calm Corner	All Grades	Calming Corner Items	\$164.17
SWES/Outdoor Class	All Grades	Storage Unit & Binoculars	\$1,337.90
SWES/1st gr team	1st Grade	Scientific/Anatomy Items	\$356.61
SWES	All Grades	STEM and Centers Items for Learning	\$251.44
Jill Cano	K	Privacy Folders	\$39.59
		Double sided Write & Wipe Boards	\$137.98
Total for all SCA Teacher Grant/Donations			<b>\$7,120.66</b>
Outdoor Classroom	All Grades	Hip Roof Shade Structure	<b>\$12,448.00</b>
Total with Outdoor Classroom Donation			<b>\$19,568.66</b>

Approval to Dispose of Inventory

BE IT RESOLVED, That the Board of Education of the North Shore Central School District hereby approves of the disposal of the following inventory items:

Quantity	Description	School
1	Spindle Sander	High School
1	Drum Sander	High School
1	20" Planner	High School
110	Chromebooks	High School
17	Chromebooks	Middle School
16	Projectors	Middle School
14	Smartboards	Middle School
1	Computer	Middle School

The Board decided to act simultaneously on action items 13, 14 (a-b), 15, 16 (a-o), and 17 Prior to voting, Trustee Hanley expressed his support for the zero emission study, and he thanked Mr. Pappas for his work on it. He noted that New York State has not dropped the electric bus initiative and NYSERDA is picking up 75% of the cost of these services. Trustee Colacioppo asked if the study will indicate what our electric costs will be. Mr. Pappas explained that it will give us information on how much infrastructure will be needed and the cost, as well as the electrical cost. On motion of Trustee Cashman and seconded by Trustee Dillon and all in favor, it was:

Acceptance of a Proposal for a Zero Emission Vehicle Transition Plan Study

WHERE AS, the New York State Energy Research and Development Authority (NYSERDA), as part of the Flexible Technical Assistance (FlexTech) Program has agreed to provide energy engineering services and funding to public and private commercial building owners to assist in evaluating clean energy technologies that can reduce annual energy, operation, and maintenance costs; and WHERE AS, the FlexTech study provides facilities with a Zero Emission Vehicle Transition Plan that

evaluates and recommends upgrades that the owner can use to make informed design and implementation decisions regarding zero emission vehicles; and WHERE AS, the NYSERDA program, allows the district to contract directly with Wendel Energy Services, LLC for 25% of the energy efficiency study costs, and NYSERDA provides a 75% cost-shared grant through Wendel's existing term contract with NYSERDA; BE IT RESOLVED, That the Board of Education of the North Shore Central School District hereby accepts the proposal from Wendel Energy Services, LLC, to provide a Zero Emissions Vehicle Transition Plan and approves an agreement for the same as per the terms and conditions set forth in the attached agreement at a cost of \$12,427.50; and BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Board of Education authorizes the President of the Board of Education to execute the necessary documents to effectuate said agreement on behalf of the Board of Education.

Approval of an Agreement between the North Shore Central School District and Richard Black Studio

BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Education of the North Shore Central School District hereby approves an agreement between the School District and Richard Black Studio to provide live streaming of the North Shore High School graduation ceremony as specified per the terms and conditions set forth in the attached agreement for a total cost of \$3,150, effective June 1, 2026 through June 30, 2026; and BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Board of Education hereby authorizes the President of the Board of Education to execute the necessary documents to effectuate said Agreement on behalf of the Board of Education.

Approval of an Agreement between the North Shore CSD and Pennylane Productions

BE IT RESOLVED, That the Board of Education of the North Shore Central School District hereby approves an Agreement between the School District and Pennylane Productions Studios, Inc., to produce a documentary-style video, the "North Shore Journey", showcasing North Shore School District's innovative educational approach; as per the terms and conditions set forth in the attached agreement; and BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Board of Education hereby authorizes the President of the Board of Education to execute the necessary documents to effectuate said agreement on behalf of the Board of Education

Approval of an Amendment to the Agreement between the North Shore CSD and Natalie Todd Behavioral Consulting LLC

BE IT RESOLVED, That the Board of Education of the North Shore Central School District hereby approves an Amendment to an Agreement between the School District and Natalie Todd Behavioral Consulting, LLC which modifies the June 3, 2025 agreement approved by the Board of Education on June 12, 2025 for the period July 1, 2025 through June 30, 2026, to add the provision for behavioral support services home component-non BCBA as per the terms and conditions set forth in the amended agreement; and BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Board of Education hereby authorizes the President of the Board of Education to execute the necessary documents to effectuate said Agreement on behalf of the Board of Education



Approval of an Agreement between the North Shore Central School District and Freeport Public Schools (DOR-DOL)

BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Education of the North Shore Central School District hereby approves the Agreement between the School District and the Freeport Public Schools for Special Education Services for parentally-placed students with disabilities attending non-public schools located within the North Shore CSD and residing within the Freeport Public Schools during the 2025-2026 school year; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Board of Education hereby authorizes the President of the Board of Education to execute the necessary documents to effectuate said Agreement on behalf of the Board of Education.

Approval of an Agreement between the North Shore Central School District and Garden City Public Schools (DOR-DOL)

BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Education of the North Shore Central School District hereby approves the Agreement between the School District and the Garden City Public Schools for Special Education Services for parentally-placed students with disabilities attending non-public schools located within the North Shore CSD and residing within the Garden City Public Schools during the 2025-2026 school year; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Board of Education hereby authorizes the President of the Board of Education to execute the necessary documents to effectuate said Agreement on behalf of the Board of Education.

Approval of an Agreement between the North Shore Central School District and Half Hollow Hills CSD (DOR-DOL)

BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Education of the North Shore Central School District hereby approves the Agreement between the School District and the Half Hollow Hills CSD for Special Education Services for parentally-placed students with disabilities attending non-public schools located within the North Shore CSD and residing within the Half Hollow Hills CSD during the 2025-2026 school year; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Board of Education hereby authorizes the President of the Board of Education to execute the necessary documents to effectuate said Agreement on behalf of the Board of Education.

Approval of an Agreement between the North Shore Central School District and Hicksville Public Schools (DOR-DOL)

BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Education of the North Shore Central School District hereby approves the Agreement between the School District and the Hicksville Public Schools for Special Education Services for parentally-placed students with disabilities attending non-public schools located within the North Shore CSD and residing within the Hicksville Public Schools during the 2025-2026 school year; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Board of Education hereby authorizes the President of the Board of Education to execute the necessary documents to effectuate said Agreement on behalf of the Board of Education.

Approval of an Agreement between the North Shore Central School District and Huntington UFSD (DOR-DOL)

BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Education of the North Shore Central School District hereby approves the Agreement between the School District and the Huntington UFSD for Special Education Services for parentally-placed students with disabilities attending non-public schools

located within the North Shore CSD and residing within the Huntington UFSD during the 2025-2026 school year; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Board of Education hereby authorizes the President of the Board of Education to execute the necessary documents to effectuate said Agreement on behalf of the Board of Education.

Approval of an Agreement between the North Shore Central School District and Jericho UFSD (DOR-DOL)

BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Education of the North Shore Central School District hereby approves the Agreement between the School District and the Jericho UFSD for Special Education Services for parentally-placed students with disabilities attending non-public schools located within the North Shore CSD and residing within the Jericho UFSD during the 2025-2026 school year; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Board of Education hereby authorizes the President of the Board of Education to execute the necessary documents to effectuate said Agreement on behalf of the Board of Education.

Approval of an Agreement between the North Shore Central School District and Locust Valley CSD (DOR-DOL)

BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Education of the North Shore Central School District hereby approves the Agreement between the School District and the Locust Valley CSD for Special Education Services for parentally-placed students with disabilities attending non-public schools located within the North Shore CSD and residing within the Locust Valley CSD during the 2025-2026 school year; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Board of Education hereby authorizes the President of the Board of Education to execute the necessary documents to effectuate said Agreement on behalf of the Board of Education.

Approval of an Agreement between the North Shore Central School District and Manhasset Public Schools (DOR-DOL)

BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Education of the North Shore Central School District hereby approves the Agreement between the School District and the Manhasset Public Schools for Special Education Services for parentally-placed students with disabilities attending non-public schools located within the North Shore CSD and residing within the Manhasset Public Schools during the 2025-2026 school year; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Board of Education hereby authorizes the President of the Board of Education to execute the necessary documents to effectuate said Agreement on behalf of the Board of Education.

Approval of an Agreement between the North Shore Central School District and Mineola UFSD (DOR-DOL)

BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Education of the North Shore Central School District hereby approves the Agreement between the School District and the Mineola UFSD for Special Education Services for parentally-placed students with disabilities attending non-public schools located within the North Shore CSD and residing within the Mineola UFSD during the 2025-2026 school year; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Board of Education hereby authorizes the President of the Board of Education to execute the necessary documents to effectuate said Agreement on behalf of the Board of Education.

Approval of an Agreement between the North Shore Central School District and Oyster Bay-East Norwich School District (DOR-DOL)

BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Education of the North Shore Central School District hereby approves the Agreement between the School District and the Oyster Bay-East Norwich School District for Special Education Services for parentally-placed students with disabilities attending non-public schools located within the North Shore CSD and residing within the Oyster Bay-East Norwich School District during the 2025-2026 school year; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Board of Education hereby authorizes the President of the Board of Education to execute the necessary documents to effectuate said Agreement on behalf of the Board of Education.

Approval of an Agreement between the North Shore Central School District and Port Washington UFSD (DOR-DOL)

BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Education of the North Shore Central School District hereby approves the Agreement between the School District and the Port Washington UFSD for Special Education Services for parentally-placed students with disabilities attending non-public schools located within the North Shore CSD and residing within the Port Washington UFSD during the 2025-2026 school year; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Board of Education hereby authorizes the President of the Board of Education to execute the necessary documents to effectuate said Agreement on behalf of the Board of Education.

Approval of an Agreement between the North Shore Central School District and Roosevelt UFSD (DOR-DOL)

BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Education of the North Shore Central School District hereby approves the Agreement between the School District and the Roosevelt UFSD for Special Education Services for parentally-placed students with disabilities attending non-public schools located within the North Shore CSD and residing within the Roosevelt UFSD during the 2025-2026 school year; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Board of Education hereby authorizes the President of the Board of Education to execute the necessary documents to effectuate said Agreement on behalf of the Board of Education.

Approval of an Agreement between the North Shore Central School District and Roslyn UFSD (DOR-DOL)

BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Education of the North Shore Central School District hereby approves the Agreement between the School District and the Roslyn UFSD for Special Education Services for parentally-placed students with disabilities attending non-public schools located within the North Shore CSD and residing within the Roslyn UFSD during the 2025-2026 school year; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Board of Education hereby authorizes the President of the Board of Education to execute the necessary documents to effectuate said Agreement on behalf of the Board of Education.

Approval of an Agreement between the North Shore Central School District and Syosset CSD (DOR-DOL)

BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Education of the North Shore Central School District hereby approves the Agreement between the School District and the Syosset CSD for Special Education Services for parentally-placed students with disabilities attending non-public schools located

within the North Shore CSD and residing within the Syosset CSD during the 2025-2026 school year; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Board of Education hereby authorizes the President of the Board of Education to execute the necessary documents to effectuate said Agreement on behalf of the Board of Education.

Approval of an Agreement between the North Shore Central School District and Oyster Bay-East Norwich School District (DOL-DOR)

BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Education of the North Shore Central School District hereby approves the Agreement between the School District and the Oyster Bay-East Norwich School District for Special Education Services for parentally-placed students with disabilities attending non-public schools located within the Oyster-Bay-East Norwich School District and residing within the North Shore CSD during the 2025-2026 school year; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Board of Education hereby authorizes the President of the Board of Education to execute the necessary documents to effectuate said Agreement on behalf of the Board of Education.

Approval of Special Education Services (IEP)

BE IT RESOLVED, That the Board of Education of the North Shore Central School District hereby approves special education services (IEPs) as per the recommendations of the Committee on Special Education (CSE)

**Board Committee Reports – 9:35 p.m.**

Trustee Mosca reported on meetings of the Legislative Action Committee (LAC). They discussed all of the priorities set by the Board. Committee members have been assigned to sub committees. Trustee Dillon and committee member Gina Siple are coordinating the Legislative Breakfast which has been scheduled for December 12; agenda items are being formulated and will be forwarded to Dr. Zublionis. The committee discussed lobby day. This year the committee suggested a new approach by assigning each committee member, or members, to a legislator/office to make contact on a regular basis and report back to the committee. Other sub-committees include monitoring the IDA website, environmental, water authority and others. Dr. Zublionis added that he has invited student members, Luna Espinosa De Roza and Genevieve Hudin to the Legislative Breakfast. They are both interested in the law and government.

Trustee Svendsen reported on a meeting of the Athletic Advisory Committee. They discussed the many successes on the athletic fields. The middle school has big numbers which they are thinking about how to accommodate. The committee has been invited to the December 1 work session. They broke out into groups: Instruction, Athletic Advisory; Resources; Policy. They are looking at inventory and the inventory process.

Trustee Cashman reported on a meeting of the Construction Steering Committee. She reported that Mr. Backes is running excellent meetings. Ms. Cindy Ayres attended the meeting as a liaison from the Athletic Advisory Committee. She reported that the new community members are a great addition to the committee, including a new architect and everyone is engaged and committed. They spent most of their time discussing the capital projects. They also discussed electric buses, the demolition of the press box in the spring, and the progress at Central Office which everyone is thrilled has been going along to schedule. They discussed a new work order system to be centralized throughout the district. Vice-president Colacioppo added that one of the new community members is an MTA supervisor and works with electric buses. She said it is beneficial to have community members on the committee who are able to give professional input.

Vice-president Colacioppo reported on a meeting of the Wellness Committee. There were several students in attendance. They spoke about a presentation given by Steven Hill at the middle school and high school, on drug prevention. His presentation was specific to the different age groups he spoke to. At the high school he spoke about knowing the law and saving a life, such as the social hosting law, DUI and the Good Samaritan Law. The middle school had a different focus. Middle school students asked if there is a plan to show them how to use AI responsibly. They discussed putting emergency information on the back of student ID cards, the impact of technology on students, they received information from Glenwood Landing students, discussed Unity Day, Red Ribbon Week, and Middle School Shore Way Day (formally E3 Day) a day when all students are able to participate in different ways to give back to the community.

#### **Unfinished Business – 9:45 p.m.**

Dr. Zublionis noted that emergency information for student ID cards has already been printed and sent to the high school for placing on the back of the ID cards.

Trustee Mosca asked if the apprenticeship policy introduced by James Versocki, Chairman of LAC last year, can be reviewed by the policy committee, while they wait for the full policy review by NYSSBA. Dr. Zublionis will share the draft policy in his next update.

#### **New Business**

Trustee Cashman congratulated Ana Aguiar Mady for receiving the ENL Supervisor of the Year Award. It was suggested that she be recognized at the December Board meeting. Dr. Smyth added that the teachers in the World Languages Department nominated her for this award.

Trustee Cashman wondered if the events such as the Veteran's Day event at the Glen Head Elementary School, or the Sea Cliff School Entrepreneurial Day, can become a shared experience throughout the schools so all of the students can benefit.

Vice-president Colacioppo confirmed that the students who were in the virtual contest, presented at NYSAFLT Conference, were recognized. Dr. Smyth confirmed the students were recognized last spring.

#### **Adjournment**

At 9:52 p.m. the meeting was adjourned.

Elizabeth Ciampi  
District Clerk