

May 18, 2026

**The Board reserves the right to enter into closed session at any time during the meeting to discuss matters permitted by NJSA 10:4-12

**SUGGESTED MOTIONS FOR MEETING
NORTH WILDWOOD BOARD OF EDUCATION
REGULAR MEETING**

**MONDAY, MAY 18, 2026
6:00 P.M.**

AGENDA

1. **CALL TO ORDER - Board President - Haroula Rontondi**
2. **FLAG SALUTE - Board President - Haroula Rontondi**
3. **OPENING STATEMENT - Interim School Business Administrator - Robert Delengowski**

The New Jersey Open Public Meetings Law was enacted to ensure the right of the Public to have advance notice of, and to attend, the meetings of public bodies at which any business affecting their interest is discussed or acted upon. In accordance with the provisions of this Act, the North Wildwood Board of Education has caused notice of this meeting to be published by having the date, time and place thereof posted with the City Clerk, the Atlantic City Press and the district website.

4. **ROLL CALL - Interim School Business Administrator - Robert Delengowski**

James Burke	_____
Robert Causey	_____
James Farrell	_____
Gerald Flanagan	_____
Ronald Golden	_____
Michele Devine-Hartnett	_____
April Howard	_____
Scott McCracken	_____
Haroula Rotondi	_____
Laura Stefankiewicz	_____

ATTENDANCE

Jonathan Price, Superintendent	_____
Robert Delengowski, Interim Board Secretary/SBA	_____
Patricia Donlan, Vice-Principal	_____
Carolyn Morey, Supervisor of Pupil Personnel	_____

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Robert Belasco, Solicitor

5. BOARD PRESENTATION - Board President - Haroula Rontondi

Falcon of the Month

6. EXECUTIVE SESSION - Board President - Haroula Rontondi

Authorization of Executive Session: to discuss a current and an ongoing matter as per N.J.S.A. 10:4-12b (1) Any matter which, by express provision of Federal Law or State statute, or rule of court shall be rendered confidential or excluded from the provisions of subsection a. of this section.

Motion: _____
Vote: _____

Second: _____
Carried: _____

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RESUME PUBLIC SESSION, MOTION TO RESUME

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7. PUBLIC COMMENT - AGENDA ITEMS ONLY - Board President - Haroula Rontondi

The Board values and welcomes comments and opinions from residents. This meeting will now be open to public comments on [agenda items only]. Public Comment will be held for a total of 15 minutes. If your questions pertain to litigation, student or personnel items, please contact the Superintendent directly, after the meeting, as the Board does not discuss these matters in public. If there are items the Superintendent would like to address, he may wish to do so after all public comment has been heard.

8. APPROVAL OF MINUTES - Board President - Haroula Rontondi

MOTION FOR APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Motion: _____ Second: _____
Vote: _____ Carried: _____

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James Farrell _____
Gerald Flanagan _____
Ronald Golden _____
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April Howard _____
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Haroula Rotondi _____
Laura Stefankiewicz _____

9. BOE MEMBER REPORTS - Board President - Haroula Rontondi

A. Committee Reports, WHS Reports

10. GOVERNANCE/OPERATIONS - Board President - Haroula Rontondi

- A. On the recommendation of the Superintendent, to approve the Shared School Resource Officer Agreement with the City of North Wildwood.
- B. On the recommendation of the Superintendent, to approve the ReBranding Proposal of North Wildwood School District.
- C. On the recommendation of the Superintendent, to approve MMS Open House Monday June 1, 2026.
- D. On the recommendation of the Superintendent and School Business Administrator, to approve the Open Public Records Act Request (OPRA) Form to be placed on our website.

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- E. On the recommendation of the Superintendent and School Business Administrator, to participate in the Community Eligibility Provision (CEP) with the USDA National School Lunch Program and School Breakfast providing free breakfast and lunch at no cost to all students beginning 2026-2027 School Year for the next four years.
- F. On the recommendation of the Superintendent and School Business Administrator, to participate in the Seamless Summer Option (SSO) with the NJ Department of Agriculture for the 2026 summer. SSO requires North Wildwood School District to provide one meal for one day during the summer months.
- G. Report of Drills – Fire 04/30/2026 MERT Drill 04/28/2026.
- H. On the recommendation of the Superintendent, to approve the following field trips:

GRADE / GROUP	PLACE / SPEAKER	DATES
All Grades	NWBP Water Safety Presentation	June 2, 2026
Grades 3-8	Boardwalk trip following Testing	May 2026
Band	Instrumental Recital	June 12, 2026
Grades 5 and 6	NWPD Canine Presentation/LEAD Program	May 21, 2026

- I. On the recommendation of the Superintendent, to approve the following Professional Development/Related Expenses:

NAME	PLACE	SUBJECT	DATES	COSTS
Corinne Clarke	CMC Tech	Life Space Crisis Intervention	Summer 2026	\$300 for Grad Credits
Janet Neill	Ocean Resort, Atlantic City	Annual NJASBO Convention	June 3 and 4, 2026	\$500 + mileage reimbursement
Robert Delengowski	Ocean Resort, Atlantic City	Annual NJASBO Convention	June 2 - 6, 2026	N/A

MOTION FOR GOVERNANCE/OPERATIONS

Motion: _____ Second: _____
 Vote: _____ Carried: _____

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 April Howard _____

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Haroula Rotondi	_____
Laura Stefankiewicz	_____

11. CURRICULUM/INSTRUCTION - Board President - Haroula Rontondi

A. None.

MOTION FOR CURRICULUM/INSTRUCTION

Motion: _____	Second: _____
Vote: _____	Carried: _____

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12. POLICIES - Board President - Haroula Rontondi

- A. On the recommendation of the Superintendent, to approve the first reading of policy 1230 Superintendent’s Duties.
- B. On the recommendation of the Superintendent, to approve the first reading of policy 2200 Curriculum.
- C. On the recommendation of the Superintendent, to approve the first reading of policy 2411 Career Education and Academic Counseling.
- D. On the recommendation of the Superintendent, to approve the abolishment of regulation 2200 Curriculum Content.
- E. On the recommendation of the Superintendent, to approve the abolishment of regulation 2411 Guidance Counseling.

MOTION FOR POLICIES

Motion: _____	Second: _____
Vote: _____	Carried: _____

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13. FINANCE - Board President - Haroula Rontondi

A. APPROVAL OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS as of February 28, 2026, and certification of non-over expenditure of funds (roll call); acknowledgement receipt of investment report.

SECRETARY AND TREASURER'S REPORT OF February 28, 2026, On a motion made by _____ and seconded by _____, the board unanimously approved the Secretary and Treasurer's Report for February 28, 2026, as per the following:

Pursuant to N.J.A.C. 6A:23-2.11(c)4 the Board of Education certifies that as of February 28, 2026, and after review of the Secretary's monthly financial report (appropriations section) as presented and upon consultation with the appropriate district officials, to the best of the Board's knowledge, no major account or fund has been over-expended in violation of N.J.A.C. 6A:23-2.11(b) and that sufficient funds are available to meet the district's financial obligations for the remainder of the fiscal year.

Haroula Rotondi, President _____

Pursuant to N.J.A.C. 6A:23-2.11(c)4, I certify that as of February 28, 2026, no budgetary line item account has obligations and payments (contractual orders) which in total exceed the amount appropriated by the Board of Education pursuant to N.J.S.A. 18A:22-8.1 and N.J.S.A. 18A:22-8.2, and no budgetary line item account has been over-expended in violation of N.J.A.C. 6A:23-2.11(b). In accordance with N.J.A.C. 6A:23-2.11(c)2, it is certified that there are no changes in anticipated revenue amounts and sources for the month of February 28, 2026.

Robert Delengowski, Secretary _____

- B. Approval of Bill List of May, 2026.
- C. Approval of Transfer List of February, 2026.
- D. On the recommendation of the Superintendent and School Business Administrator, to approve the July 1, 2026 - June 30, 2030 North Wildwood Education Association negotiated contract.
- E. On the recommendation of the Superintendent and School Business Administrator, to approve the agreement with Vision Allison Trust, National Vision Administrators, LLC for NWBOE employees based on the NWEA Agreement. This agreement will be an 80% employer paid plan beginning on July 1, 2026.
- F. On the recommendation of the Superintendent and School Business Administrator, to approve the professional service contract between North Wildwood School District and Garrison Architects as Architect of Record for the 2026-2027 School Year.

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- G. On the recommendation of the Superintendent and School Business Administrator, to approve the contract renewal with Delta Dental at 3.25% increase for the 2026-2027 school year.
- H. On the recommendation of the Superintendent and School Business Administrator, to approve the West Wildwood Tuition Agreement in the amount of \$567,466 for the 2026-2027 school year.
- I. On the recommendation of the Superintendent and School Business Administrator, to approve Ford Scott and Associates LLC as auditor for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2026 annual audit not to exceed \$28,000. Additionally, acknowledge and approve their Peer Review documentation.
- J. On the recommendation of the Superintendent and School Business Administrator, to approve the renewal proposal for four years (2026-2030) with Ricoh for school copiers in the amount of \$1,995.09 monthly.
- K. On the recommendation of the Superintendent and School Business Administrator, to approve authorization to close all inactive Escrow Summer Reserve Accounts and refund balances remaining to participants.
- L. On the recommendation of the Superintendent and School Business Administrator, to approve the 2026-2027 school year tax payment schedule as follows:

Month	Current	Debt Service	Total Monthly Payment
July-2026	\$ 622,736.00	\$ 20,308.00	\$ 643,044.00
August-2026	\$ 622,735.00	\$ 20,308.00	\$ 643,043.00
September-2026	\$ 622,735.00	\$ 20,308.00	\$ 643,043.00
October-2026	\$ 622,735.00	\$ 20,308.00	\$ 643,043.00
November-2026	\$ 622,735.00	\$ 20,307.00	\$ 643,042.00
December-2026	\$ 622,735.00	\$ 20,307.00	\$ 643,042.00
January-2027	\$ 622,736.00	\$ 20,308.00	\$ 643,044.00
February-2027	\$ 622,735.00	\$ 20,308.00	\$ 643,043.00
March-2027	\$ 622,735.00	\$ 20,308.00	\$ 643,043.00
April-2027	\$ 622,735.00	\$ 20,307.00	\$ 643,042.00
May-2027	\$ 622,735.00	\$ 20,307.00	\$ 643,042.00
June-2027	\$ 622,735.00	\$ 20,307.00	\$ 643,042.00
TOTALS	\$ 7,472,822.00	\$ 243,691.00	\$ 7,716,513.00

MOTION FOR FINANCE

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Vote: _____

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Robert Causey _____

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14. PERSONNEL - Board President - Haroula Rontondi

- A. On the recommendation of the Superintendent, to approve Annefrances Connolly as Substitute Custodian for Summer 2026.
- B. On the recommendation of the Superintendent, to approve Letitia Sylvester as Substitute Custodian for Summer 2026.
- C. On the recommendation of the Superintendent, to approve Margaret O'Brien as Summer School Nurse from July 6, 2026 through July 31, 2026 for \$50/hour, 4.5 hours per day.
- D. On the recommendation of the Superintendent, to approve a salary of \$5,085 for Todd Burkey as Treasurer of School Monies for the 2026-2027 school year.
- E. On the recommendation of the School Business Administrator, to approve the Resolution certifying Quantitative Merit Bonus Criteria that is listed in the current Superintendent's contract for 2026-2027, 2027-2028 and 2028-2029 school years.
- F. On the recommendation of the Superintendent, to correct the appointment of Anti-Bullying Coordinator from Carolyn Morey to Michelle Shaw for the 2026-2027 School Year.
- G. On the recommendation of the Superintendent to approve a salary of \$100,000 for Janet Neill as School Business Administrator starting June 15, 2026 through June 30, 2027.
- H. On the recommendation of the Superintendent to approve Janet Neill as Qualified Purchasing Agent to award contracts up to the bid threshold, and set quotes at 15% of bid threshold amount (18A:18A-3/current Bid Threshold is \$53,000 and 15% quote is \$7,950) effective June 15, 2026 through January 4, 2027.
- I. On the recommendation of the Superintendent to approve Robert Delengowski to provide Board Office support for a per diem rate of \$550.00 for the period of June 15, 2026 through December 31, 2026.
- J. On the recommendation of the Superintendent, to approve Jennifer Fisher as the Custodian of Public Records (OPRA) effective May 19, 2026 through January 4, 2027.
- K. On the recommendation of the Superintendent, to approve Janet Neill as the Public Agency Compliance Officer effective June 15, 2026 through January 4, 2027.
- L. On the recommendation of the Superintendent, to accept the resignation of Kyle Ward as Custodian dated May 1, 2026.

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- M. On the recommendation of the Superintendent, to approve Holly Lovell as Literacy Coach for the school year 2026-2027 for the salary of \$91,400.
- N. On the recommendation of the Superintendent, to approve an intermittent FMLA for Employee #02425 commencing May 5, 2026 through December 31, 2026 to run concurrent with days used.
- O. On the recommendation of the Superintendent, to approve Meghan Steere as School Nurse for the 2026-2027 school year based on the approved Step 1 BA Salary Guide of the 2026-2030 NWEA Agreement.

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- 16. **BOARD COMMENTS - Board President - Haroula Rontondi**
- 17. **ADMINISTRATION COMMENTS - Board President - Haroula Rontondi**
- 18. **REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT - Superintendent - Jonathan Price**
- 19. **CLOSE SESSION - Superintendent - Jonathan Price**
- 20. **HARASSMENT, INTIMIDATION, BULLYING REPORTS - Superintendent - Jonathan Price**
 - A. No reports at this time.

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21. **ADJOURNMENT - Board President - Haroula Rontondi**

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22. **BOARD INFORMATION**

- A. Ward Resignation Letter
- B. Shared School Resource Officer Agreement
- C. School Business Administrator Approval Letter
- D. OPRA Request Form
- E. Superintendent Merit Criteria
- F. District ReBranding Proposal
- G. USDA CEP info

21. **NEXT MEETING**

June 22, 2026 Regular meeting at 6:00 PM

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