CURRICULUM, INSTRUCTION, PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT, ASSESSMENT & ACCOUNTABILITY – OCTOBER 16 2017 RECOMMENDATIONS

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B. <u>Proposal for Beat the Streets Philadelphia (BTSP)/Trenton Youth Wrestling at Hedgepeth/Williams MS</u>

BE IT RESOLVED: that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, approves the Beat the Streets Philadelphia (BTSP)/Trenton Youth Wrestling program to foster the holistic development of the students by teaching the sport of wrestling and encouraging the inherently required self-discipline demanded of the sport and to encourage academic achievement. Hedgepeth/Williams MS, grades $6^{th}-8^{th}$. November 1, 2017 through March 31, 2018. No cost to the Board.

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E. Proposal for Beat the Streets Philadelphia (BTSP)/Trenton Youth Wrestling at Parker ES

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F. <u>A Proposal for DREAM CATCHERS-INSPIRING STUDENTS TO REACH THEIR FULL ACADEMIC POTENTIAL at Rivera MS</u>

BE IT RESOLVED: that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools approves Jubilee Children's Entertainment/Dreamcatchers at Rivera Middle School to provide workshops and assemblies to empower students with behavioral support while inspiring, developing, and motivating pre-teen, teens, and educators. The program addresses social and emotional health, conflict prevention, and stress management. November 1, 2017 through March 31, 2018. At a cost not to exceed \$4,350. GAAP Code: 15-190-100-320-0000-00-15

G. A Proposal for Poetry Inspiration with Poet Laureate at Dunn MS

BE IT RESOLVED: that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools approves Poetry Inspiration with Poet Laureate – Tracy K. Smith at Dunn Middle School to provide students the experience of reading and writing various types of poetry and explore the power of words and discuss their connections to the poems. In the NJ Student Learning Standards students are required to analyze poetry as a form of reading literature. Grade 7th. October 25th through November 1st, 2017 (3 days - TBD). No cost to the Board.

H. A Proposal for Mercer Management and Development, Inc. at Dunn MS

BE IT RESOLVED: that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools approves Mercer Management and Development, Inc. to create an environment in the courtyard that inspires students and gives them a sense of pride. PBSIS would like to add to our reward system the opportunity for our students to have lunch or enjoy reading in the courtyard. (2 days - TBD). No cost to the Board.

I. A Proposal for Chasing My Dreams Film Group at Hedgepeth/Williams MSA

BE IT RESOLVED: that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools approves Chasing My Dreams Film Group – Mr. Alcee Walker at Hedgepeth/Williams Middle School to provide a twenty minute documentary film that will follow the emotional stress young girls go through during their middle school years. Following the film, students will have an opportunity to reflect and discuss the film with the director Mr. Alcee Walker in addition to some of the young actresses who led roles in the film. Grades 6th through 8th. October 18th through 20th 2017. At a cost not to exceed \$500. GAAP Code: 15-190-100-320-0000-00-08

J. A Proposal for Literacy Club at Hedgepeth/Williams MSA

BE IT RESOLVED: that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools approves a Literacy Club for Hedgepeth/Williams Middle School to equip students with the fundamentals of writing through performing arts, inspire students through the arts and transform lives by promoting critical thinking, problem solving, artistic expression, goal setting and action planning. Grades 6th through 8th. (Fall 2017 through June 2018). At a cost not to exceed \$840. GAAP Code: 15-401-100-110-0009-00-08

K. <u>A Proposal for DREAM CATCHERS- INSPIRING STUDENTS TO REACH THEIR FULL ACADEMIC POTENTIAL at Hedgepeth/Williams MS</u>

BE IT RESOLVED: that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools approves Jubilee Children's Entertainment/Dreamcatchers at Hedgepeth/Williams Middle School to provide workshops and assemblies to empower students with behavioral support while inspiring, developing, and motivating pre-teen, teens, and educators. The program addresses social and emotional health, conflict prevention, and stress management at a cost not to exceed \$4,350. GAAP Code: 15-190-100-320-0000-00-08

L. A Proposal for Hedgepeth/Williams Middle School of the Arts Club-Fitness Club

BE IT RESOLVED: that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools approves the Hedgepeth/Williams Middle School of the Arts Club-Fitness Club to enhance the knowledge of physical activity and foster a sense increased levels of personal fitness. Grades 6th through 8th. (Fall 2017 through June 2018). At a cost not to exceed \$3024. GAAP Code: 20-033-100-101-0000-18-08

M. <u>A Proposal for Hedgepeth/Williams Middle School of the Arts Club-Instrumental Music</u> Club

BE IT RESOLVED: that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools approves the Hedgepeth/Williams Middle School of the Arts Club-Instrumental Music Club to develop an atmosphere of learning and positive social behavior interactions by decreasing negative social behaviors and improving peer relationships. Grades 6th through 8th. (January 2018 through June 2018). At a cost not to exceed \$840. GAAP Code: 15-401-100-110-0009-00-08

N. A Proposal for Hedgepeth/Williams Middle School of the Arts Club-Green Team

BE IT RESOLVED: that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools approves the Hedgepeth/Williams Middle School of the Arts Club-Green Team to enhance the knowledge and usage of the sciences that are associated with a Green Team, learn how to work the land to create short term and long term effects and to learn through practice, how to care for the land around the school and in the community. Grades 6th through 8th. (January 2018 through June 2018). At a cost not to exceed \$420. GAAP Code: 15-401-100-110-0009-00-08

O. A Proposal for Hedgepeth/Williams Middle School of the Arts Club-Robotics

BE IT RESOLVED: that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools approves the Hedgepeth/Williams Middle School of the Arts Club-Robotics Team design , build and program robots using engineering concepts, and LEGO MINDSTORM® technology, apply real-world math and science concepts, learn critical thinking and team building skills and attend LEGO tournament(s) and celebration(s). Grades 6th through 8th. (October 17, 2018 through June 2018). At a cost not to exceed \$840. GAAP Code: 15-401-100-110-0009-00-08

P. <u>A Proposal for a Partnership Between Hedgepeth/Williams Middle School and Metropolitan Opera Guild</u>

BE IT RESOLVED: that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, approves a Partnership between Hedgepeth/Williams Middle School and Metropolitan Opera Guild

to implement Arts Integration lessons for the 2017-18 school year. To ensure proper training and practices for consistent execution, equip students with the fundamentals of visual and performing arts and prepare students for high school, higher education and professional careers. At a cost not to exceed \$5,999.00. GAAP Code: 15-401-100-110-0009-00-08

Q. <u>A Proposal for Professional Learning (Instructional Design) at Kilmer Middle School</u> (Admin Approval 8/11/17)

Be it resolved; that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, approves the Proposal for Professional Learning (Instructional Design) at Kilmer Middle School. Staff Members will attend 4 one hour sessions with their content area colleagues to review curriculum units and tweak CAR units to meet the needs of all students and embed best practices in order to improve academic achievement. November 2017 through May 2017. At a cost not to exceed \$6,768.00. Account Code: 15-130-100-101-0009-00-24. (AMENDMENT)

R. A Proposal for Minding Our Business (MOB) at Kilmer MS

BE IT RESOLVED: that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent

of Schools , approves Minding Our Business (MOB) at Kilmer Middle School to advance the personal and vocational development of its students through entrepreneurship education and mentoring with the purpose of improving team and communication skills, academic involvement, self-confidence and self-efficacy, and interest in attending college pursuing careers in business from October 2017 through June 2018; cost not to exceed \$3,000. GAAP Code: 15-190-100-320-0000-00-24

S. <u>A Proposal for DREAM CATCHERS-INSPIRING STUDENTS TO REACH THEIR FULL</u> ACADEMIC POTENTIAL at Kilmer MS

BE IT RESOLVED: that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools approves Jubilee Children's Entertainment/Dreamcatchers at Kilmer Middle School to provide workshops and assemblies to empower students with behavioral support while inspiring, developing, and motivating pre-teen, teens, and educators. The program addresses social and emotional health, conflict prevention, and stress management at a cost not to exceed \$4,350. GAAP Code: 15-190-100-320-0000-00-15

T. A Proposal for Camp Fire NJ

BE IT RESOLVED: that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, approves Camp Fire NJ to assist with helping children develop social and emotional learning skills and knowledge of strategies when they encounter bullying, peer pressure, substance use and abuse. Dates TBD. No cost to the Board.

U. A Proposal for Instructional Technology PLC for Computer Teachers

BE IT RESOLVED: that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, approves Instructional Technology PLC for Computer Teachers to increase technology skills in our our Instructional Staff, increase awareness of the new features of the districts web based curriculum content and provide turnkey opportunities for staff and students to increase their knowledge of technology standards. November 2017 through June 2018; cost not to exceed \$13,124. GAAP Code: 20-275-200-101-0009-18-82

V. A Proposal for Rivera Community School After School Tutorial

BE IT RESOLVED: that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, approves Rivera Community School After School Tutorial program to ensure all rising 6,7,8 graders are prepared with the necessary prerequisite skills needed to be successful in their academic classes. November 1, 2017 through May 1, 2018; cost not to exceed \$13,230. GAAP Code: 15-130-100-101-0009-00-15

W. A Proposal for Campaign Connect at Rivera Middle School

BE IT RESOLVED: that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, approves Campaign Connect to provide easy to use resources and forums for dialogue and collaboration to support school climate and culture work. (Dates TBD) cost not to exceed \$3,500.

X. <u>A Proposal for Professional Development Collaboration</u>, Dr. Anne Peel, TCNJ & Rivera Community Middle School

BE IT RESOLVED: that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, approves Professional Development Collaboration, Dr. Anne Peel, TCNJ & Rivera Community Middle School to increase faculty knowledge of inquiry-based instruction and curriculum design through classroom modeling and provide support and resources to faculty through voluntary professional learning community. October 20, 2017 through May 1, 2018; No cost to the Board.

Y. <u>A Proposal for Washington Elementary School Technology Integration Professional Learning for Google for Education</u>

BE IT RESOLVED: that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, approves Washington Elementary School Technology Integration Professional Learning for Google for Education to create online documents, spreadsheets, presentations and distribute and exchange documents digitally. Learn to create online assignments that include not only Google Docs attachments, but web links and video. Collect homework literally in no time even if they complete their work on paper. Learning community. October 17, 2017 through April 2018; cost not to exceed \$9134. GAAP code: 15-120-100-101-0009-00-30, 15-190-100-320-0000-00-30

Z. <u>A Proposal for Daylight/Twilight's Health & Physical Education Outdoor Activities at Edgewood Avenue Park</u>

BE IT RESOLVED: that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools approves Daylight/Twilight's Health & Physical Education Outdoor Activities at Edgewood Avenue Park. The fields and courts will be utilized during normal school hours from October 2017 through June 2018 at no cost to the board.

- **AA.** BE IT RESOLVED: that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, approves to accept equipment for Athletic Training from the Costa Family of Princeton New Jersey. The equipment includes multipurpose machines, dip machines multi leg extension and leg press machines. The equipment will be used to support the high school athletic teams. No cost to the Board.
- **BB.** BE IT RESOLVED: that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, approves TPS Media Specialists' monthly meetings to held on December 5, 2017, January 25, 2018, February 2, 2018, March 21, 2018, April 26, 2018, May 24, 2018 and June 7, 2018 from 1:00PM to 3:00PM. No cost to the Board. ADDENDUM TO MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 25, 2017
- **CC.**BE IT RESOLVED: that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, approves the Partnership between Zeta Phi Beta Adopt A School Program and Joyce Kilmer Middle School for services and programs for students at risk. No cost to the Board.
- **DD.** BE IT RESOLVED: that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, approves the Service Agreement with Garden State Office Systems and Equipment for filing cabinets (Lektrievers) in the Special Education file room. Cost not to exceed: \$9,023.37. GAAP Code: 11-000-219-610-0000-00-84.
- **EE.**BE IT RESOLVED: that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, approves to accept a \$15,000.00 Play Unified grant for 2017-18 school year. These funds have been made possible through the U.S. Department of Education, New Jersey State Department of Education and the PSEG Foundation.
- **FF.** BE IT RESOLVED: that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, approves SMART Board Training October 9, 2017, Consultant NJ Center for Teaching and Learning; at a cost not to exceed \$2,000. GAAP Code:20-275-200-300-0000-18-82 (AMENDMENT FROM SEPTEMBER 25, 2017 BOARD AGENDA)

GG. Student Study Trips

BE IT RESOLVED: that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools approves the following field trips:

Agenda	Applicant	School	Destination	Purpose	No. of Students	Date	Funds	Cost	GAAP Code

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Oct.	Doris McRae Valerie Hedgepeth	TCHS-West	MCCC Trenton, NJ	Students will take placement exam for registration	60	1/26, 2/9, 3/2, 3/9/2018		\$0	provide transportation
Oct.	Amanda Short Franko Rivera	Mott	Jenkinson's Aquarium Pleasant Beach, NJ	Students will identify the different living things in varying environments	70	4/13/2018	Board	\$540	15-000-270- 512-0000- 00-26
Oct.	Rasheeda Robinson Kennedy Miragliuolo	Mott	Howell Living Farm Lambertville, NJ	Students will engage in center based learning about sheep shearing	61	4/17/2018	Board	\$545	15-000-270- 512-0000- 00-26
Oct.	Rasheeda Robinson Kennedy Miragliuolo	Mott	Jenkinson's Aquarium Pleasant Beach, NJ	Students will identify the different living things in varying environments	75	5/18/2018	Board	\$540	15-000-270- 512-0000- 00-26
Oct.	Rebecca Weir Lisa Pulliam	Columbus	Philadelphia Zoo Philadelphia, PA	Students will recognize and differentiate habitats	80	11/3/2017		\$0	Student council fundraising
Oct.	Mia McRae Curdell Denton Sheryl Hassan Derrell Sapp Babi Harris Patricia Flowers	MLK	Terhune Orchards Princeton, NJ	Students will observe behavioral and structural adaptations that allow plants and animals to survive	70	10/26/2017	Board	\$760	15-000-291- 270-0000- 00-23 15-190-100- 590-0000- 00-23
Oct.	Shanda Scott Chantel Wooten Tom Tocci	Kilmer	Kidsbridge Tolerance Center Ewing, NJ	Students will distinguish among violence, harassment, gang violence and bullying.	30	11/3/2017		\$0	KidsBridge Tolerance providing funding
Oct.	Taras Laszyn Cynthia Cech Lajuana Fogg Sara Longo Maria Rodriguez	Washington	Franklin Institute Philadelphia, Pa.	Students will learn about energy after participating in interactive exhibits	101	11/17/2017	Board	\$2047	15-000-270- 0000-00-30 15-190-100- 590-0000- 00-30
Oct.	Natasha Boyd Diana Swainson Winsome Russell	Washington	Johnson Farms Medford, NJ	Students will learn about living and non-living organisms	75	11/17/2017	Board	\$1176	15-000-270- 0000-00-30 15-190-100- 590-0000- 00-30
Oct.	Valerie Hedgpeth	TCHS-West	Sypek Center Pennington, NJ	Students will explore different programs	30	11/28/2017		\$0	MCTS will pay for transportation
Oct.	Countess Irvin Terry Troup	TCHS/ JROTC	Fort Dix Fort Dix, NJ	Students will learn about the JROTC program	25	10/27 thru 29/2017	Board	\$544 Cost Amend Board Approved on 9/25/17	15-000-270- 512-0000- 00-05
Oct.	Uetunde Ararom	TCHS – 9 th Grade	Grounds for Sculpture Hamilton, NJ	Students will explore and engage in conversation about African American History	15	11/1/2017		\$0	Trent House will pay for transportation
Oct.	Dana Jeter	TCHS- STEM	CBS 3 Philadelphia, PA.	Students will gain knowledge of journalism through behind the scenes at broadcasting station	8	11/15/2017		\$270	15-000-270- 512-0000- 00-05
Oct.	T. Dunkin, J. Melone, A. Rivera, J. Delaney, D. Oliver, Y. Araromi, S. Farrakhan, R.	TCHS West, D/T, 9 th Grade Academy, TCHS Main	TBOE 108 North Clinton Avenue	Listening tour on institutional racism	50	11/1/2017		\$0	

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