

LONG BEACH PUBLIC SCHOOLS
Long Beach, NY

January 27, 2026

Ladies and Gentlemen:

The Long Beach Board of Education is the authorized State agency responsible for setting educational policy in the district. It consists of five trustees, each serving a three-year term. Board members pay school taxes at the regular rate and receive no salary or other financial compensation.

All meetings, except executive sessions, are held before the public. Members of the public may address the Board of Education on any specific agenda item during special time reserved for that purpose prior to Board discussion and action. The public may also address the Board of Education on any matter of concern at a second public session after the Board of Education completes agenda action items. Visitors should not address the Board in public relative to questions or comments regarding specific staff members or specific students. Such concerns should be brought to the attention of appropriate staff or to Board members by telephone, in writing, or by scheduling a personal meeting, as appropriate to the circumstances.

Visitors' comments will be limited to three (3) minutes for each agenda item upon which comment is made. Visitors are precluded from speaking on any agenda item more than once during each meeting. If any person wants to address the Board of Education on any topic for discussion, please complete the appropriate form on the information table and hand it to the District Clerk.

Sincerely,

Your Board of Education

BOARD OF EDUCATION
LONG BEACH PUBLIC SCHOOLS
Long Beach Middle School Auditorium
Tuesday, January 27, 2026

AGENDA

REGULAR MEETING

7:00 PM

- I. Pledge of Allegiance/Call to Order/Opening Remarks – Board President
- II. Report of the Superintendent of Schools
 - *Student Showcase: Middle School MYP*
 - *Budget Proposal Central Support*
- III. Board of Education Comments
- IV. Student Organization Announcements
- V. Questions and Comments from the Public on Tonight's Agenda Only
- VI. Approval of Minutes for Executive Session and Regular Meetings of January 13, 2026.
- VII. Presentations of the Superintendent:
 1. Personnel Matters: Certificated
 2. Personnel Matters: Non-Certificated
 3. Second Reading Policy #5681 School Safety Plans
 4. Adoption of Revised Policy #7550 Dignity for All Students Act
 5. Adoption of Revised Code of Conduct
 6. Approval of STEPS Teacher Evaluation Plan (3012-e)
 7. Approval of Bid Awards – 2024/2025 Capital Improvement Projects
 8. Award of Bid #409-2026– Graduation Outdoor Tent and Supply Rental
 9. Payment of Legal Bills: Legal Services
 10. Approval of Use of Schools Applications
- VIII. Board of Education – Additional New/Old Business if any
- IX. Questions and Comments from the Public
- X. Announcements:
 1. Long Beach Classroom Teachers' Association
 2. Administrative, Supervisory and PPS Group
 3. LBSEA -Long Beach Schools Employees' Association – Group C
 4. Parent/Teacher Association
- XI. Adjournment

RESOLUTIONS

BE IT RESOLVED THAT, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education approves the following personnel actions

I. CERTIFICATED PERSONNEL

(a) Resignation for the Purposes of Retirement

Name:	Arkadiy Simonovsky
Assign./Loc:	Math Teacher /LBHS
Effective Date:	June 30, 2026, close of day
Name:	Edith Guzman
Assign./Loc:	Elementary Teacher /Lindell
Effective Date:	June 30, 2026, close of day
Name:	Camila Gamboa
Assign./Loc:	Speech, Hearing & Handicapped Teacher /LBHS
Effective Date:	June 30, 2026, close of day
Name:	Cynthia Ball
Assign./Loc:	Full Time Teacher Assistant /LBHS
Effective Date:	June 30, 2026, close of day
Name:	Cynthia Lazovick
Assign./Loc:	AIS Reading Teacher/East
Effective Date:	June 30, 2026, close of day
Name:	Cristina Bryan
Assign./Loc:	Science Teacher/LBMS
Effective Date:	January 3, 2027, close of day

(b) Leave of Absence

Name:	Michelle Frank
Assign./Loc.	English Teacher/LBMS
Effective Dates:	February 13, 2026- March 30, 2026, on or about
Reason:	FMLA/Medical
Name:	Jean Kushel
Assign./Loc.	Elementary Teacher/Lido
Effective Dates:	January 21, 2026- February 4, 2026, on or about
Reason:	FMLA/Family Illness
Name:	Douglas MacConnell
Assign./Loc.	Elementary Teacher/East
Effective Dates:	January 16, 2026- April 16, 2026, on or about
Reason:	FMLA/Medical

I. CERTIFICATED PERSONNEL

(c) Rescissions

Interscholastic Coaches for the Spring 2025/2026

Spring Sport	Position	Coach	Stipend
Lacrosse Girls	7 th Grade	Hayley Kosiner	\$5,664 Appoint: Marisa D'Angelo

(d) Appointment: Interscholastic Coaches for the Spring 2025/2026

Spring Sport	Position	Coach	Stipend
Flag Football Coach	7 th /8 th Grade	Jaclyn Javakian	\$5,664
Softball Coach	7 th Grade	Thomas Morris	\$5,307

(e) Appointment : The following Per Diem Substitute Teachers are recommended for approval for the 2025/2026 school year at the rate of \$150 per day

NAME	CERTIFICATION
Gianna Edwards	Childhood Education (Gr 1-6) Initial, Early Childhood Education (B-Gr 2), Initial
Charles Strecker	Music, Initial

(f) Appointment: Elementary Clubs for January 13, 2026 – March 26, 2026
Rate of pay \$61.93 per hour-per class-10 weeks

Caitlyn Glynn	Dance Club	Tuesday	Lindell
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(g) BE IT RESOLVED, the Board of Education of the Long Beach City School District hereby approves an increase in the per diem substitute rates (for the positions below).

<u>Position</u>	<u>Current Rate</u>	<u>New Rate</u>
Teaching Assistant	\$17.00	\$19.00

I. NON-CERTIFICATED PERSONNEL

(a) Resignation for the Purposes of Retirement

Name: Charlene Manning
Assign./Loc: Secretary II /Lido-PPS
Effective Date: June 30, 2026, close of day

(b) Termination

Name: Linda Yakita
Assign./Loc: Lunch Aide/East
Effective Date: January 22, 2026, close of day

**(c) The following Per Diem Substitutes are recommended for approval for the
the 2025-2026 school year.**

James Buckley - Cleaner

(d) BE IT RESOLVED, the Board of Education of the Long Beach City School District hereby approves an increase in the per diem substitute rates (for the positions below).

<u>Position</u>	<u>Current Rate</u>	<u>New Rate</u>
Teacher Aide	\$17.00	\$18.00

3. **SECOND READING OF POLICY # 5681 SCHOOL SAFETY PLANS**
4. **ADOPTION OF REVISED POLICY #7550 DIGNITY FOR ALL STUDENTS ACT**
5. **ADOPTION REVISED CODE OF CONDUCT**
6. **APPROVAL OF STEPS TEACHER EVALUATION PLAN (3012-e) FOR 2025-2026**

RESOLVED that the Board of Education of the Long Beach City School District hereby approves the Standards-based Educator Evaluation and Professional Support system ("STEPS Plan") developed in accordance with Education Law §3012-e dated January 23, 2026, and authorizes the Superintendent to file the plan with the State Education Department.

7. **APPROVAL OF BID AWARDS – 2024/2025 CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS**

A) GENERAL CONSTRUCTION

WHEREAS, the District placed a legal notice advertising a bid for General Construction in the official district papers on December 11, 2025, and provided bid documents to ACL Construction, Crossroads Construction, Irwin Contracting, Capital Renovation, Stalco Construction; and

WHEREAS, the District, in accordance with Article 5-A of the General Municipal Law, invited bids for General Construction which bids were opened publicly on January 8, 2026; and

WHEREAS, ACL Construction was the lowest priced responsible bidder, see below, on the General Construction Bid;

GENERAL CONSTRUCTION BID ~ Opened 1/8/2026 @ 11:00 AM	
Contractor	Bid Amount
ACL Construction 10% -	\$127,000
Crossroads Construction 10% -	\$133,800
Irwin Contracting 10%	\$164,000
Capital Renovation bid bond 10%	\$178,600
Stalco Construction 10%	\$226,000

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education hereby determines that ACL Construction was the lowest priced responsible bidder for General Construction and approves the award of the General Construction contract to ACL Construction and authorizes the Assistant Superintendent for Finance and Operations to execute said agreement on its behalf.

B) ELECTRICAL RECONSTRUCTION

WHEREAS, the District placed a legal notice advertising a bid for Electrical Reconstruction in the official district papers on December 11, 2025, and provided bid documents to JVR Electric, Inc. Haugland Energy, Polaris Electric, Eldor Contracting and Crossroads Construction; and

WHEREAS, the District, in accordance with Article 5-A of the General Municipal Law, invited bids for General Construction which bids were opened publicly on January 8, 2026; and

WHEREAS, JVR Electric, Inc. was the lowest priced responsible bidder, see below, on the Electrical Reconstruction Bid;

Electrical Reconstruction BID ~ Opened 1/8/2025 @ 11:00 AM	
Contractor	Bid Amount
JVR Electric 10%	\$424,999
Haugland Energy 10%	\$447,775
Polaris Electric 10%	\$473,337
Eldor Contracting 10%	\$499,000
Crossroads Construction 10%	\$617,500

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education hereby determines that JVR Electric, Inc. was the lowest priced responsible bidder for Electrical Reconstruction and approves the award of the Electrical Reconstruction contract to JVR Electric, Inc. and authorizes the Assistant Superintendent for Finance and Operations to execute said agreement on its behalf.

8. AWARD OF BID #409-2026 GRADUATION OUTDOOR TENT AND SUPPLY RENTAL

WHEREAS, the District placed legal notice advertising a bid for Graduation Outdoor Tent and Supply Rental in the official district papers on December 11, 2025, and provided bid documents to Ace Party Rental and New York Tent; and

WHEREAS, the District, in accordance with Article 5-A of the General Municipal Law, invited bids on Graduation Outdoor Tent and Supply Rental which bids were opened publicly on January 15, 2026; and

WHEREAS, Ace Party and Tent Rental was the lowest priced responsible bidder on the Graduation Outdoor Tent and Supply Rental bid as follows:

GRADUATION OUTDOOR TENT AND SUPPLY RENTAL OPENED 01/15/2026	
VENDOR	BID
Ace Party and Tent Rental	\$28,721.00
New York Tent	\$29,250.00

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education hereby determines that Ace Party and Tent Rental was the lowest priced responsible bidder on the Graduation Outdoor Tent and Supply Rental bid and approves the award of the Graduation Outdoor Tent and Supply Rental contract to Ace Party and Tent Rental, and authorizes the District Assistant Superintendent for Finance and Operations to execute said agreement on its behalf.

9. PAYMENT OF LEGAL BILLS: LEGAL SERVICES

A) VOLZ & VIGLIOTTA, PLLC

BE IT RESOLVED, that upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education authorizes expenditures in the amount of \$5,083.33 to Volz & Vigliotta for the monthly retainer for general counsel legal services for the period of March 1, 2026, through March 31, 2026; \$3,666.67 for the monthly retainer for labor counsel legal services for the period March 1, 2026, through March 31, 2026 and \$21,043.12 for the General Counsel Services and Expenses for the period of December 1, 2025 through December 31, 2025.

11. APPROVAL OF USE OF SCHOOLS APPLICATIONS

BE IT RESOLVED, that upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education approves the use of schools as attached, not to conflict with District events. However, please note that events may have to be modified and/or rescheduled based on building schedule.

APPLICATIONS FOR USE OF SCHOOLS

Long Beach Lacrosse Club Inc.	LBLC Indoor Sessions	Long Beach Middle School Gymnasium	Thursday March 5, 2026 7:00 pm – 8:00 pm March 12, 2026 7:00 – 8:00 pm
Flight Cheer / Bulldogs Cheer	Long Beach Bulldogs Competition Cheer	Long Beach Middle School Gymnasium	Thursday March 19, 2026 6:45 pm – 8:30 pm
Island Beach Girl Scouts	Girl Scout Spring Fling	Long Beach High School Cafeteria	Friday April 24, 2026 4:00 pm – 9:00 pm
Long Beach Theater Guild	Auditions for Fall Musical	Lindell Elementary School Auditorium and First Floor Faculty Room# 142	Tuesday June 23, 2026 5:15 pm – 9:15 pm
Flight Cheer / Bulldogs Cheer	Long Beach Bulldogs Competition Cheer	East Elementary School Gymnasium	Thursdays Jan. 22, 2026 – Feb. 5, 2026 5:00 pm – 5:55 pm
Long Beach Lacrosse Club	Outdoor Turf practices	Long Beach Middle School Veteran's Field	Monday – Friday March 2, 2026 – July 3, 2026 6:00 pm – 9:00 pm
Long Beach Lacrosse Club	Long Beach Lacrosse Club Indoor Sessions	Long Beach Middle School Gymnasium	Thursday March 5, 2026, and March 12, 2026 7:00 – 9:00 pm

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Long Beach Theater Guild	Auditions for Oliver	Lindell Auditorium and Auditorium Lobby	Thursdays June 18, 2026 and June 25, 2026 5:00 pm – 9:15 pm
Long Beach Theater Guild	Auditions for Oliver	Lindell Auditorium and Faculty Room #142	Tuesday June 23, 2026 5:15pm – 9:15 pm