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1-11-17 C1

RESOLVED: Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools that this Board does hereby approve the tenure appointment of #3196 in the tenure area of Home Economics - General effective February 1, 2017.

5.2

1-11-17 C2

RESOLVED: Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools that this Board does hereby approve the tenure appointment of #3053 in the tenure area of School Counseling and Guidance effective February 1, 2017.

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1-11-17 C3

RESOLVED: Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools that this Board does hereby approve the following Instructional Substitute for 2016-17 school year:

NAME	DEGREE	CERTIFICATION
#9915	BS	Childhood Education Gr. 1-6; Early Childhood Education B-Gr.2 Pending
#9916	BS	Elementary Education B-Gr. 6 Pending

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1-11-17-G1

RESOLVED: Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools that this Board does hereby accept the donation of a 55” 4K Smart TV for the entrance of the school, to provide information and updates for upcoming events, etc. from the Chester Academy PTSA with our thanks.

5.5

1-11-17 G2

RESOLVED: Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools that this Board does hereby accept Financial Reports WN-17A dated November 30, 2016 and WN-18-A, WN-21A, WN-8C, WN-9C, WN-11H and WN-12H dated December 31, 2016.

5.6

1-11-17 G3

RESOLVED: Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools that this Board does hereby approve that #2576 assume the role of Administrative Intern for the Chester Union Free School District from January 3 to August 31, 2017.

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1-11-17 G4

WHEREAS, Chapter 253 of the Laws of 2016 amended Section 458-b of the Real Property Tax Law (“RPTL”) to provide school districts with the option to provide a partial tax exemption to

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eligible Cold War Veterans (those in active duty in the U.S. armed forces during the period from September 2, 1945 to December 26, 1991); and

WHEREAS, the Cold War Veterans partial tax exemption is in lieu of the Alternative Veterans' partial tax exemption pursuant to Section 459-a of the RPTL for eligible Cold War Veterans; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Education wishes to adopt the provisions of Section 458-b of the RPTL which would grant a partial exemption from taxation for school district purposes of certain real property situated in the School District and owned and used as the primary residence by eligible Cold War Veterans or the spouse or unremarried spouse of someone who served during the Cold War period;

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of Education hereby adopts the Cold War Veterans' Exemption pursuant to Section 458-b of the RPTL for assessment rolls prepared on the basis of the taxable status date occurring on or after January 1, 2017, at the following basic maximum levels:

1. Basic Exemption - Tax exemption of 15% of the assessed value of the property, not to exceed \$12,000 or the product of \$12,000 multiplied by the latest state equalization rate for the assessing unit, whichever is less.
2. Disabled Veterans - In addition to the above exemption, where the veteran received a compensation rating from the Veterans' Administration or Department of Defense based upon a service related disability, the qualifying residential property will be exempt to the extent of the product of the assessed value multiplied by 50% of the veteran's disability rating, not to exceed \$40,000 or the product of \$40,000 multiplied by the latest state equalization rate, whichever is less; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Board directs the District Clerk to provide a certified copy of this resolution to Orange County and the assessors for the other taxing jurisdictions located within this School District.

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1-11-17 G5

RESOLVED: Upon the recommendation of the Committee for Special Education that this Board does hereby approve the CSE and CPSE recommendations for the 2016-17 school year.