

**ORANGE BOARD OF EDUCATION PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT**

**Administration Building  
451 Lincoln Avenue, Orange, New Jersey 07050**

**March 12, 2025**

Roll Call  
6:00 p.m.

Orange Board of Education – Administrative Building  
451 Lincoln Avenue

In conformance with the **Board of Education Policy 0162 and Open Public Meeting Act, Chapter 231**, this is to announce that this Open Public Board Meeting of the Orange Board of Education is being convened with adequate notice. Notice of this meeting has been posted at the Administrative Office, filed with the City Clerk's Office of the City of Orange Township, and delivered to the Essex News Daily and Star Ledger.

The City of Orange Township Board of Education encourages participation and input from members of the public at its board meetings. However, in accordance with Board Policy, verbal attacks against individual staff members or members of the Board are not permitted. Persons are encouraged to address the Board regarding comments relating to agenda items or issues concerning the educational process. Public comments are limited to one (1) per attendee for a maximum duration of three (3) minutes. Please be advised, this meeting is being recorded and live streamed via the internet. The Board of Education thanks you for your cooperation.

**FLAG SALUTE**

**EXECUTIVE SESSION**

Will Recess until 6:45pm but not later than 7:30pm

**Student Representative Report – Daymi Ramos Lopez**

**PRESENTATIONS**

Gerald Fitzhugh, II, Ed.D., Superintendent's Report

**BOARD MINUTES**

February 12, 2025, Public Minutes

February 12, 2025, Closed Minutes

**COMMITTEE REPORTS**

Curriculum Report

Facilities Report

Special Education Report

Public Relations Report

Policy Report

Finance Report

**PUBLIC COMMENTS**

## **NEW BUSINESS**

### **H. Agreements/Bids/Contracts**

- H1. Resolution to Approve an Agreement with Colgate and Rosa Parks Community School
- H2. Resolution to Approve Orange High School to Host it's 2025 Commencement Ceremony at South Mountain Recreation Complex Essex County Codey Arena

### **I. Curriculum**

N/A

### **J. Finance**

- J1. Resolution to Approve the Payment of Bills for March 2025
- J2. Resolution to Approve the Board of Education's Monthly Certification of Budgetary Major Account/Fund Status for January 2025
- J3. Resolution to Accept the Board Secretary's Report for the Month of January 2025
- J4. Resolution to Approve the Treasurer's Report, Trial Balance, and General Ledger for the Month of January 2025
- J5. Resolution to Approve the Transfer of Funds (Fund 11, Fund 15, Fund 20) for the 24-25 SY
- J6. Resolution to Apply – Local Recreation Improvement Grant
- J7. Resolution to Approve the Submission of the Orange Public Schools Preliminary FY 2025-2026 Budget to the New Jersey Department of Education

### **K. Grants**

N/A

### **L. Facility Use Requests**

- L1. Resolution to Approve the Facility Use Request from the City of Orange - Mayor's Circle of Excellence Camp
- L2. Resolution to Approve the Facility Use Request from Girl Scouts of America

### **M. Staff/Students**

- M1. Resolution to Approve Authorization of District Travel
- M2. Resolution to Approve Authorization of District Field Trips

### **N. Other**

- N1. Resolution to Accept Donation of Classroom Furniture from Sabrina Duroseau - Orange Preparatory Academy of Inquiry and Innovation
- N2. Resolution to Accept TV Donation to Scholars Academy

N3. Resolution to Approve First Reading of the Policy No. 234: 3160, 4160, 9181

N4. Resolution to Approve the Second Reading of the Policies - No. 234

**O. HIB Cases/Home Instruction/ Out-of-District Placement for the Month of February 2025**

**HIB Cases:**

School	Genesis Report #	Initial Report Date	Outcome
Orange Preparatory Academy	OMS022725001	02/12/2025	Inconclusive

**Home Instruction:**

Case # 314535 - Administrative

Case # 313404 - Medical

Case # 307305 - Medical

**Out of District Placement**

N/A

## **Human Resources Agenda**

### **District Meetings**

#### **SCHEDULED MEETINGS ARE AS FOLLOWS:**

##### **Public**

- Public Relations Committee Virtual Meeting - Wednesday, April 2, 2025, at 4:00 pm
- Orange Board Education Public Board Meeting – Wednesday, April 9, 2025, at 7:30p.m., held at the Orange Board of Education – Administrative Building, 451 Lincoln Avenue, Orange, NJ, 07050. Will Recess until 6:45pm, but no later than 7:30pm

##### **Closed (Virtual)**

- Curriculum Committee Virtual Meeting Tuesday, March 25, 2025, at 3:30pm
- Facilities Committee Virtual Meeting - Monday, March 31, 2025, at 4:00pm
- Special Education Committee Virtual Meeting - Tuesday, April 1, 2025, 3:30pm
- Policy Committee Virtual Meeting - Thursday, April 3, 2025, at 4:00pm
- Finance Committee Virtual Meeting – Thursday, April 3, 2025, at 5:30pm
- Human Resource Committee Virtual Meeting - Monday, April 7, 2025, at 3:30pm