

Olean City School District
Operations Committee Meeting
410 West Sullivan Street
Tuesday, August 4, 2015
12:00 pm

Present:	Ira Katzenstein	Michiko McElfresh
	Paul Hessney	Kathy Elser
	Colleen Taggerty	

APPR and Tenure: Colleen discussed the new rules that govern the APPR process with respect to resolution language to be used for each newly appointed teacher and principal. The following language is suggested: In order to be granted tenure the classroom teacher or building principal shall have received composite or overall annual professional performance review ratings pursuant to Education Law 3012-c and/or 3012-d of either effective or highly effective in at least three (3) of the four (4) preceding years and if the classroom teacher or building principal receives an ineffective composite or overall rating in the final year of the probationary period he or she shall not be eligible for tenure at that time.

The Operations Committee endorsed the idea of amending the resolution of those hired after July 1 and before August 11th to reflect the new language and send a letter to each teacher explaining the amendment.

Cafeteria Procedures: Each year the Board signs an agreement stating that the policy statement for free and reduced price meals or free milk is followed. Kathy reviewed the policy with the committee members.

Safety Plan: Colleen explained the new submittal and BOE approval guidelines. The Board must review the plan(s) and have a 30 day comment period before approving the plans. Once approved a copy is to be sent to SED and the State Police.

Goals: Preliminary Discussion

- Review policies as presented
- Data analysis with transient populations; foster students; homeless; emancipated youth; etc... How to better engage the learners and families
- Graduation Rate data analysis
- Drop Out Rate data analysis
- Mass Customized Learning/On-line learning

Next meeting: September 1, 2015

Meeting adjourned at 1:00 pm.