# Frontier Central School District ADVOCACY COMMITTEE AGENDA Wednesday, March 16, 2022 at 3:30 p.m.

### Join ZOOM Meeting

https://us06web.zoom.us/j/86304358783?pwd=cVpHRVBDMkJyeWtIVTA1SWVvN1hIZz 09

- 1. WELCOME & INTRODUCTION
  - Mission: To be an effective, energetic, and focused Advocate for the 4,600+ students of the District.
  - Vision: Every child receives the education they—need and deserve—to pursue their passions, goals, aspirations, and dreams.
- 2. DISCUSSION OF ACTIVITY SINCE LAST MEETING
  - Roundtable
- 3. NEW BUSINESS/NEW IDEAS
  - Frontier Advocacy Committee to present at ECASB Speed Boarding May 5
    - o Overview
    - o Who can participate?
    - o 6:30 -7:00 pm or 7:00 7:30 pm?
  - Woodlawn Beach Clean-Up April 23
    - o Communicating to our stakeholders about event
    - o Request for small sports equipment (i.e. soccer ball, etc.)
  - Future meeting dates
  - Other

# 4. CLOSING

- Upcoming meeting dates:
  - o April 20
  - o ?



## May 5th Speed Boarding

1 message

Lowrey, David <dlowrey@e1b.org> To: Davis Podkulski - Frontier CSD <boedpodkulski@frontiercsd.org> Wed, Mar 9, 2022 at 5:52 PM

Davis,

Does your advocacy group want to present a  $\frac{1}{2}$  hour information program ie....how you got started, what you do... thoughts from your member? I would imagine it more less like a panel discussion. The Speed Boarding event is scheduled for May 5<sup>th</sup>. If you are interested, please let me know as soon as possible....I would have your group present from 6:30 – 7:00 pm. If you are not interested at this point, please let me know so I can line up another program.

Thank you.

Dave

David Lowrey

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**Executive Director** 

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## May 5th Speed Boarding

Sat, Mar 12, 2022 at 7:38 PM

Lowrey, David <dlowrey@e1b.org> To: Davis Podkulski <boedpodkulski@frontiercsd.org> Cc: "Sullivan, Jane" <jsullivan@e1b.org>

Davis,

The program would be for a  $\frac{1}{2}$  hour. A  $\frac{1}{2}$  hour can go quite fast. I would schedule Frontier from 6:30 - 7:00 or 7:00 - 7:30. Let me know what would work best.

I have another program for 8:00 - 8:30.

I would envision a brief intro....who the members are, how often you meet, who is part of the team.

Then go into what was the idea behind forming the group? What are goals of the group? What are some successes of the group? Having only started during COVID, are there plans to meet in person down the road? What are some of the things that have come out of the group working? How does a group sharing information and working help in the area of advocacy? How does involving a legislative rep add to the overall advocacy? Has it made a difference? Is there a closer relationship with legislators because of the formation of the group? Are there plans to continue? How does the group intend to involve more members or at least get the word out? These are just some of my thoughts ....Jane may have additional ideas or thoughts...

From: Davis Podkulski <boodpodkulski@frontiercsd.org><br/>Sent: Friday, March 11, 2022 12:16 PM<br/>To: Lowrey, David <dlowrey@e1b.org><br/>Cc: Sullivan, Jane <jsullivan@e1b.org><br/>Subject: Re: May 5th Speed Boarding

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## Woodlawn Beach Clean Up event - April 23

1 message

Cheryl Quimba <quimbac@nyassembly.gov> To: Davis Podkulski <boedpodkulski@frontiercsd.org> Thu, Mar 10, 2022 at 3:25 PM

Hi Davis,

In conjunction with Sen. Sean Ryan's office, we're planning a Woodlawn Beach Clean Up event on **Saturday, April 23 from 10 am – 12 pm**. We did this event last year and there was a great turnout, and we're anticipating more this year. Assemblymember Rivera and Supervisor Randy Hoak will be there (and I believe Sen. Ryan can attend), Penn Dixie will have a table displaying fossils, and the Woodlawn Fire Dept. will bring a fire truck for the kids.

Would some Frontier parents, teachers, staff, and/or students be interested in coming out and joining us? I can share the flyer when it's finalized.

If so, one thought we had is seeing if Frontier folks could bring some sports equipment (nothing too involved, maybe a couple soccer balls or anything else easily on hand) in case people want to kick around after the clean up portion.

Best,

Cheryl

Cheryl Quimba Constituent Services Manager Assemblymember Jon D. Rivera 149<sup>th</sup> NYS Assembly District (716) 885-9630 <u>NY A00021</u> - Establishes the commission on education in the twenty-first century which shall examine the system of school districts and the delivery of education related services in the state and shall recommend changes to that system.

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Bill Sponsors: Kevin Cahill (D)\*, Steven Cymbrowitz (D)\*, Sandy Galef (D)\*, Michael Montesano (R)\*, Crystal Peoples-Stokes (D)\*, Fred Thiele (D)\*, N. Nick Perry (D)

01/05/2022 - REFERRED TO EDUCATION

# <u>NY A00032</u> - Relates to a parent's right to know if an employee, volunteer or an administrator of a school district is reprimanded for inappropriate conduct towards his or her child; enacts "parent's right to know" act.

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Bill Sponsors: Aileen Gunther (D)\*, N. Nick Perry (D)\*, Jose Rivera (D)\*, Edward Braunstein (D), Michael Lawler (R), Michael Montesano (R), Phillip Steck (D)

01/05/2022 - REFERRED TO EDUCATION

# <u>NY A00043</u> - Authorizes school district property to be used for not-for-profit dental clinics providing care to families in the district upon the approval of the trustees or board of education of a school district.

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Bill Sponsors: William Barclay (R)\*, Aileen Gunther (D)\*, Stephen Hawley (R)\*, N. Nick Perry (D)\*, Jose Rivera (D)\*, John Lemondes (R), Steven Otis (D)

01/05/2022 - REFERRED TO EDUCATION

<u>NY A00097</u> - Makes provisions for the state to assume all costs of basic quality education and for the elimination of real property taxes for the support of education; requires board of regents to establish a schedule of mandatory basic services and costs thereof; provides that school districts shall submit an annual basic budget to the department of education for basic services; increases taxes on personal income and business; makes special provisions for reduction of tax in certain cities and for reduction

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Bill Sponsors: Kevin Cahill (D)\*, Harvey Epstein (D)\*, Crystal Peoples-Stokes (D)\*, N. Nick Perry (D)\*, Fred Thiele (D)\*

01/05/2022 - REFERRED TO EDUCATION

# <u>NY A00244</u> - Relates to creating the health emergency response data system, which collects information and statistical data relating to public health emergencies in order to assist the department of health, other government entities, health care providers, and the public in understanding and responding to public health emergencies.

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01/11/2022 - REFERRED TO HEALTH

NY A00301 - Requires public schools to offer plant-based food options in food service.

AN ACT to amend the education law, in relation to requiring public schools to offer plant-based food options in food service

Bill Sponsors: Sandy Galef (D)\*, Richard Gottfried (D)\*, Melissa Miller (R)\*, Charles Barron (D), Steven Cymbrowitz (D), Carmen De La Rosa (D), Inez Dickens (D), Steven Englebright (D), Harvey Epstein (D), Charles Fall (D), Nathalia Fernandez (D), Deborah Glick (D), Judy Griffin (D), Alicia Hyndman (D), Chantel Jackson (D), Kimberly Jean-Pierre (D), Anna Kelles (D), John McDonald (D), Karen McMahon (D), Amy Paulin (D), Taylor Raynor Darling (D), Karines Reyes (D), Linda Rosenthal (D), Nader Sayegh (D), Rebecca Seawright (D), Jo Anne Simon (D), Michaelle Solages (D), Steve Stern (D), Alfred Taylor (D), Fred Thiele (D), David Weprin (D), Jaime Williams (D), Carrie Woerner (D)

01/05/2022 - REFERRED TO EDUCATION

<u>NY A00853</u> - Exempts school buses and parts, equipment, lubricants and fuel purchased and used in their operation from sales and use tax; establishes a green ribbon panel to research and report on greener school buses.

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Bill Sponsors: Kimberly Jean-Pierre (D)\*, Jo Anne Simon (D)\*, Peter Abbate (D), Vivian Cook (D), Catalina Cruz (D), Inez Dickens (D), Steven Englebright (D), Harvey Epstein (D), Judy Griffin (D), Aileen Gunther (D), Andrew Hevesi (D), Alicia Hyndman (D), John Mikulin (R), Angelo Morinello (R), Taylor Raynor Darling (D), Nader Sayegh (D), Fred Thiele (D), Jaime Williams (D), Carrie Woerner (D) <u>NY A01035</u> - Authorizes school districts to establish an extraordinary needs reserve fund for the expenses of providing special education.

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Bill Sponsors: Marjorie Byrnes (R)\*, Ken Blankenbush (R), Joseph De Stefano (R), Jeff Gallahan (R), Joseph Giglio (R), John Lemondes (R), Angelo Morinello (R), Michael Norris (R), Nader Sayegh (D), Robert Smullen (R), Chris Tague (R)

01/05/2022 - REFERRED TO EDUCATION

# <u>NY A02514</u> - Increases foundation aid for school districts that meet five variables impacting academic success: free or reduced lunch, English language learners, wealth ratio, enrollment, special education, and being located in a high wealth ratio county.

AN ACT to amend the education law, in relation to increasing foundation aid to school districts located in a high wealth ratio county that meet five variables impacting academic success: free or reduced lunch, English language learners, wealth ratio, enrollment, and special education

Bill Sponsors: Nader Sayegh (D)\*, Phara Forrest (D), Sandy Galef (D)

01/05/2022 - REFERRED TO EDUCATION

### <u>NY A05829</u> - Establishes a school voter registration access program to promote student voter registration and pre-registration.

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Bill Sponsors: Monica Wallace (D)\*, William Colton (D), William Conrad (D), Jeffrey Dinowitz (D), Phara Forrest (D), Sandy Galef (D), Aileen Gunther (D), Andrew Hevesi (D), Chantel Jackson (D), Jonathan Jacobson (D), John McDonald (D), Karen McMahon (D), Taylor Raynor Darling (D), Rebecca Seawright (D), Amanda Septimo (D), Gina Sillitti (D), Jo Anne Simon (D), Phillip Steck (D), Fred Thiele (D), Stefani Zinerman (D)

01/12/2022 - print number 5829a

<u>NY A09138</u> - Establishes the child victims act fund which provides grant awards in reimbursement to public school districts located within the state who have been named as defendants in certain child sexual abuse legal cases and in which it can be demonstrated by the public school district that no insurance policy for the covered period can be located after a good-faith effort to do so has been made, there was a monetary judgment issued or settlement agreement with regard to such action and where it can be d

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Bill Sponsors: Jennifer Lunsford (D)\*, William Conrad (D), Sandy Galef (D), Pam Hunter (D), Monica Wallace (D)

01/31/2022 - referred to ways and means

# <u>NY A09229</u> - Increases the amount of the salary paid to any career and technical education teacher, supervisor or other employee of a program of the board of cooperative educational services that is considered to be an approved expense for purposes of state allocation.

AN ACT to amend the education law, in relation to increasing the amount of the salary paid to any career and technical education teacher, supervisor or other employee of a program of the board of cooperative educational services that is considered to be an approved expense for purposes of state allocation

Bill Sponsors: David DiPietro (R)\*

02/09/2022 - REFERRED TO EDUCATION

### <u>NY S02654</u> - Authorizes school districts to establish an extraordinary needs reserve fund for the expenses of providing special education.

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Bill Sponsors: Patrick Gallivan (R)\*, George Borrello (R)

01/05/2022 - REFERRED TO EDUCATION

#### <u>NY S05407</u> - Relates to enacting the New York state rural teaching incentive program.

AN ACT to amend the education law, in relation to enacting the New York state rural teaching incentive program

Bill Sponsors: Edward Rath (R)\*, George Borrello (R), Leroy Comrie (D), Patrick Gallivan (R), Michael Martucci (R), Peter Oberacker (R), Robert Ortt (R) 01/05/2022 - REFERRED TO HIGHER EDUCATION

### <u>NY S08340</u> - Authorizes the retention of funds for special education programs for preschool children that are subject to tuition rate reconciliation.

AN ACT to amend the education law, in relation to authorizing the retention of funds for special education programs for preschool children that are subject to tuition rate reconciliation

Bill Sponsors: Jeremy Cooney (D)\*

02/15/2022 - REFERRED TO DISABILITIES