

**SCOTIA-GLENVILLE CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT  
DISTRICT OFFICE**



**Regular Meeting of the Board of Education  
Tuesday, May 26, 2026  
5:15 PM – Audit Committee Meeting  
6:00 PM – To Entertain a Motion to go into Executive Session  
7:00 PM – Regular Session  
Cafeteria Middle School  
20 Vista Drive (Virtual)**

**Scotia-Glenville Mission Statement**

*The Scotia-Glenville Central School District is committed to providing an environment which allows students to realize their full potential and thus prepares them for life in an ever-changing world. In the tradition of excellence, Board of Education, administration, staff, parents, business and community members will continue to ensure that our educational system fulfills the needs of our students.*

**AGENDA**

1. Roll Call: Boucher Furnish, Carbone, Lape, Roberts, Singh, H. Talbot, K. Talbot, Torelli
2. Pledge of Allegiance
3. Student Advisory Committee Award Presentation – Marissa Gordon
  - Cal Feinberg
  - Claudia Peterson
4. *Tartan Employee(s) of the Month*: Presentation of April's Award:
  - Clara Bisailon
  - Transportation Drivers & Aides
5. **Hearing/Privilege of the Floor for the Board of Education Meeting**

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**6. Superintendent’s Comments (Susan M. Swartz, Superintendent of Schools)**

**7. Report of Inspectors of Budget Vote and Election**

Superintendent’s Recommendation: That the Board of Education accept the report of the Inspectors of the Election certifying the results of the budget vote held on May 19, 2026, as follows:

1) Resolution to approve the 2026-2027 Budget in the amount of \$67,155,932:

Yes: 1,078	No: 447	Total: 1,525
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2) Resolution to approve the one Diesel Bus Replacement:

Yes: 1,075	No: 450	Total: 1,525
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3) Resolution to approve the Electric Vehicle Infrastructure Upgrade Project:

Yes: 772	No: 751	Total: 1,523
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4) Board of Education Candidates:

Jason McCord	828 votes
Karnjit Singh	630 votes
Kimberly Boucher Furnish	930 votes
Katie Walters	747 votes
Amy Marlette	582 votes

**8. Approve Memorandum of Agreement By and Between Scotia Central School District and Scotia-Glenville Secretarial Association**

Superintendent Recommendation: That the Board of Education approve the Memorandum of Agreement by and Between Scotia Central School District and Scotia-Glenville Secretarial Association, effective July 1, 2026, and further authorized the Superintendent to sign the Memorandum of Agreement, as submitted.

**9. Resolution: Accept and Appropriate Gift and Donation from the Glendaal Student Council through the Rotary Club of Scotia Foundation, Inc.**

Superintendent’s Recommendation: That the Board of Education approve the Resolution, dated May 26, 2026, regarding accepting and appropriating the Gift and donation from the Glendaal Student Council through the Rotary Club of Scotia Foundation, Inc. in the amount of \$10,400, to the Scotia-Glenville Central School District toward the construction of the Glendaal Student Council’s outdoor learning pavilion, as submitted.

**10. Resolution: Accept and Appropriate Gift and Donation from the Glendaal PTA to the Scotia-Glenville Central School District**

Superintendent’s Recommendation: That the Board of Education approve the Resolution, dated May 26, 2026, regarding accepting and appropriating the Gift and donation from the Glendaal PTA in the amount of \$2,000, to the Scotia-Glenville Central School District toward the construction of the Glendaal Student Council’s outdoor learning pavilion, as submitted.

**11. Resolution: Accept and Appropriate the Commission from Upstate Images to the Athletic Department**

Superintendent's Recommendation: That the Board of Education approve the Resolution, dated May 26, 2026, regarding accepting and appropriating the Commission from Upstate Images, in the amount of \$87.75 to be used by the Athletic Department, as submitted.

**12. Resolution: Accept and Appropriate Gift and Donation Instruments from the Scotia-Glenville Friends of Music to the Scotia-Glenville Central School District**

Superintendent's Recommendation: That the Board of Education accept the Resolution, dated May 26, 2026, regarding accepting and appropriating the Gifts and Donations of several instruments, with an approximate total value of \$2,095.00, to the Scotia-Glenville Central School District Music Program, as submitted.

**13. Resolution: Accept and Appropriate Gift and Donation List for an additional High School Award Scholarship**

Superintendent's Recommendation: That the Board of Education accept the Resolution, dated May 26, 2026, regarding accepting and appropriating the Gift and Donation listed on the attached be applied to a Senior High School Scholarship Award, as submitted.

**14. Communications**

- a. Superintendent's Recommendation: That the Board of Education approve the letter of resignation for Everett Manning as Monitor (Middle School), effective c.o.b. April 13, 2026, with appreciate for his service to the district.
- b. Superintendent's Recommendation: That the Board of Education approve the letter of resignation for Joseph Ryan as Bus Driver (Transportation), effective c.o.b. May 29, 2026, with appreciate for his service to the district.
- c. Superintendent's Recommendation: That the Board of Education approve the termination of Charlene Garcia from employment as Provisional Executive Secretary I (PPS), effective c.o.b. May 11, 2026.

**15. Report of Superintendent**

**a. Staffing**

- 1) Superintendent's Recommendation: That the Board of Education approve the probationary appointment of Amy Thalheimer as School Social Worker (.6 High School/.4 Elementary), effective September 1, 2026, through August 31, 2029, with the 2026-2027 salary to be at the rate of \$70,234 (Step 13+M+SW Stipend). Amy holds Permanent School Social Worker Certification.

- 2) Superintendent's Recommendation: That the Board of Education approve the probationary appointment of George Heath as Music Teacher (Middle School), effective September 1, 2026, through August 31, 2030, with 2026-2027 salary to be at the rate of \$71,734 (Step 15+M). George holds Initial Music Certification.
- 3) Superintendent's Recommendation: That the Board of Education approve the probationary appointment of Sarah Cuscino as Special Education Teacher (Elementary TBD), effective September 1, 2026, through August 31, 2030, with 2026-2027 salary to be at the rate of \$54,338 (Step 3+M+M). Sarah holds Initial Students with Disabilities (Grades 1-6) Certification.
- 4) Superintendent's Recommendation: That the Board of Education approve the appointment of Cheryl Verrigni as an Executive Secretary substitute (Glen-Worden Elementary), effective June 1, 2026, through June 26, 2026, with the 2025-2026 salary to be at the per diem rate of \$24.63.
- 5) Superintendent's Recommendation: That the Board of Education approve the following stipends in addition to the College Board's payment to the individuals listed for SAT exam involvement administered on May 4, 2026:

Dana Zeppieri	AP Coordinator	\$450.00
Bruce Anderson	Proctor – prep	\$150.00
Cindy Dorazio	AP Bookkeeping	\$50.00

- 6) Superintendent's Recommendation: That the Board of Education approve the 2026-2027 salary list rates and stipends for the following employees, as submitted:

Management Confidential Employees

- 7) Superintendent's Recommendation: That the Board of Education retroactively approve Cheryl Verrigni as an additional Assistant Clerk for the Annual District Election on May 19, 2026.
- 8) Superintendent's Recommendation: That the Board of Education approve the attached list of additional substitutes for the 2025-2026 school year, as submitted.

## 16. Routine Business

### a. Placement of Children with Disabilities

**b. Internal Claims Auditor's Report/Warrants/Warrant Report Exceptions:**

Payroll Warrants

#66	04/10/2026	\$1,178,126.57
#69	04/24/2026	\$1,219,586.28

Check Warrants

A-62	04/02/2026	\$1,061,725.23
H-18	04/02/2026	\$82,519.85
A-64	04/10/2026	\$193,073.65
H-19	04/10/2026	\$9,580.80
A-65	04/13/2026	\$1,099,282.71
H-20	04/22/2026	\$83,547.66
A-68	04/24/2026	\$1,058,221.63
A-70	04/24/2026	\$0.00

**c. Treasurer's Report: April 2026**

**17. Other Business**

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