



**BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE TOMS RIVER SCHOOLS  
AGENDA – FEBRUARY 18, 2026**

Ashley Lamb – President (Toms River)  
James Capone – Vice President (Toms River)  
Lisa Contessa – Board Member (Toms River)  
Katie Coyne - Board Member (Beachwood)  
Kathy Eagan – Board Member (Toms River)  
Joseph Jubert - Board Member (South Toms River)  
Kevin Kidney - Board Member (Pine Beach)  
Marisa Matarazzo - Board Member (Toms River)  
Paola Pascarella - Board Member (Toms River)

1. Opening – 5:30 P.M.
2. Roll Call of Attendance
3. Executive Session Resolution – *To include* – HIB Appeal # 64665; RICE # 16790, # 15897, #17877; Personnel; Legal Litigation Special Education Tuition Settlement Agreements # 65935, # 78523, # 75725, # 70407, # 76804; Legal/Litigation; Harassment, Intimidation and Bullying Report; Fire & Security Drill Report; Suspension Report; Other. Subject to Change
4. Return to Regular Session – 6:30 P.M.
5. Pledge of Allegiance
6. Superintendent Comments

7. Student Representatives:

Makayla Milanak, High School East  
Alessia LoBello, High School North  
Makayla Manzi, High School South

8. Student/Staff Awards

9. Committee Reports:

*Budget & Finance Committee*  
*Building & Grounds Committee*  
*Curriculum Committee*  
*Personnel Committee*

10. Comments from Guests and Press – Agenda Items Only (*limited to 3 minutes as per Board Policy # 0167 – Public Participation in Board Meetings, the first public session will be limited to a total of 30 minutes*)

11. Discussion and Approval of the Board Member Code of Ethics

12. Approval of the Resignation of Toms River Regional Schools Board Member Paola Pascarella Effective February 18, 2026

13. **Approval of the Harassment, Intimidation and Bullying Report**

14. **Approval of District Facility Lease, Sponsorship and other Rental Agreements (attached)**

15. **Approval of the Fire & Security Drill Reports**

16. **Approval of Minutes: (Regular and/or Executive, where applicable)**

*January 21, 2026*

17. **Approval of Bills:**

<b>General</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>14,428,964.06</b>
<b>Cafeteria</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>234,079.30</b>
<b>Payroll (Gross) January 5, 2026</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>6,180,364.75</b>
<b>(Gross) January 16, 2026</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>6,567,929.64</b>
<b>(Gross) January 30, 2026</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>6,310,702.42</b>

18. **Board Secretary's Agenda + Addendum**

**School Year 2025-2026**

*Purchases – Pages 1 through 34 - \$2,425,786.25*

**Zero Values**

**Student Transportation  
Resolutions**

**Award of Bids**

**Permission to Advertise**

**School Year 2026-2027**

**Permission to Advertise**

**Resolutions**

19. Approval and Certification of the Board Secretary's Report

*December 2025*

20. Personnel Agenda (#1 – 15) + Addendum (# 16 - 23)

21. Educational Program Agenda (#1 – 10) + Addendum (# 11)

22. Old Business / New Business

23. Comments from Guests and Press (*limited to 5 minutes as per Board Policy # 0167 – Public Participation in Board Meetings*)

24. Executive Session

Revised: February 18, 2026