

Special meeting of the
Oneida City School District
Board of Education

August 25, 2021
5:00 PM at Administrative Offices



District Mission: To educate, inspire and empower.
District Vision: Students reaching their fullest potential.

Agenda

- I. Meeting Called to Order**
- II. Pledge of Allegiance**
- III. Public Forum (20 Minutes)**
- IV. Resolutions**
 - a. SEQRA Resolution for Durhamville Elementary
 - b. SEQRA Resolution for 2021-23 Capital Improvement Project
- V. Adjournment**

TO: MEMBERS, BOARD OF EDUCATION
FROM: MATTHEW T. CARPENTER
RE: SEQRA RESOLUTION FOR DURHAMVILLE ELEMENTARY
DATE: AUGUST 25, 2021

BE IT RESOLVED, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, the Board of Education approves the attached Resolution Regarding State Environmental Quality Review for Durhamville Elementary as submitted.

RECOMMENDED ACTION

Motion to approve the SEQRA for Durhamville Elementary as submitted.

MOTION MADE BY _____

SECONDED BY _____

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**RESOLUTION REGARDING
STATE ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY REVIEW**

WHEREAS, the Oneida City School District (the "District") Board of Education has considered the impacts to the environment of the following Scope of Work to be completed during the 2021-22 school year:

Durhamville Elementary Floor Tile Replacement in NE classroom wing.

WHEREAS, the Board has reviewed the scope of the project and has further received and considered the advice of its architects with respect to the potential for environmental impacts resulting from the proposed action; and

WHEREAS, the Board has reviewed the Proposed Action with respect to the Type II criteria set forth in 6 NYCRR part 617.5(c), now therefore;

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of Education as follows:

1. The Proposed Action, does not exceed thresholds established under 6 NYCRR Part 617, of the State Environmental Quality Review Act, (SEQRA).
2. The Board hereby determines the Proposed Action is a Type II action in accordance with the SEQRA regulations.
3. No further review of the Proposed Action is required under SEQRA.
4. This resolution shall be effective immediately.

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James Rowley, District Clerk

Date

TO: MEMBERS, BOARD OF EDUCATION
FROM: MATTHEW T. CARPENTER
RE: SEQRA RESOLUTION FOR 2021-2023 CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECT
DATE: AUGUST 25, 2021

BE IT RESOLVED, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, the Board of Education approves the attached Resolution Regarding State Environmental Quality Review for the 2021-2023 Capital Improvement Project as submitted.

RECOMMENDED ACTION

Motion to approve the SEQRA for 2021-2023 Capital Improvement Project as submitted.

MOTION MADE BY _____

SECONDED BY _____

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**Oneida City School District
Resolution No. _____**

**Determining that Action for Capital Improvement Project at certain of the District's
Elementary Schools is a Type II Action and is not Subject to Further Review**

WHEREAS, the Oneida City School District (the "District") is the sponsor of certain work as described in Exhibit A at the Transportation Building (the "Project"); and

WHEREAS, the Project includes certain repair and/or replacement work at each of the referenced schools as identified in Exhibit A; and

WHEREAS, the District facilities identified above are not located on the same campus or within close proximity to other District facilities;

WHEREAS, the District now desires to comply with the New York State Environmental Quality Review Act ("SEQRA") and the regulations in 6 NYCRR Part 617 adopted by the New York State Department of Environmental Conservation (the "Regulations" with respect to the Project; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the Regulations, the District has considered the Project in light of the actions included on the Type I list specified in Section 617.4 of the Regulations and in light of the actions included on the Type II list specified in Section 617.5 of the Regulations; and

WHEREAS, the courts of this state have held that segmentation cannot occur if one or more of the projects are Type II actions.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

1. The District has determined that the Project constitutes a "Type II action" (as the quoted term is defined in the Regulations) because it falls clearly within the ambit of three actions included on the Type II list specified in Section 617.5 of the Regulations:
 - a. "routine activity of an educational institution" (617.5(c)(8)); and/or
 - b. "maintenance or repair involving no substantial changes in an existing structure or facility" (617.5(c)(1)); and/or

- c. "replacement, rehabilitation or reconstruction of a structure or facility, in kind, on the same site;" (617.5(c)(2)); and
2. The Project is not subject to further review under SEQRA; and
3. Notwithstanding that the Project is not subject to further review under SEQRA, the District will continue to comply with the New York State Education Department Guidelines for School District Implementation of the State Environmental Quality Review (SEQR) and Associated Changes in the SED Building Permit Process, which requires consultation with the New York State Office of Parks, Recreation and Historic Preservation; and
4. A copy of this resolution shall be provided to the New York State Education Department.

Signed: _____
District Clerk

Dated: _____

EXHIBIT A

Transportation Building

Replace exterior main doors;

Replace RTU in Training Room;

Replace failing dielectric unions;