

**BOARD OF EDUCATION
SACHEM CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
SPECIAL MEETING OF MAY 29, 2013**

APPROVED AS WRITTEN – 6/19/13 - OFFICIAL COPY

MEMBERS PRESENT: Robert Scavo, President
Sal Tripi, Vice President
Teri Ahearn
Douglas Duncan, Jr.
Tony Falco
Michael J. Isernia, Esq
Christine Lampitelli
Dorothy Roberts
Michael J. Timo

MEMBERS ABSENT: None.

ALSO PRESENT: James J. Nolan, Superintendent of Schools
Gail Grenzig, Assistant Superintendent for Personnel
Jill Karp, Assistant Superintendent for Curriculum and Instruction-Elementary
Paul Manzo, Assistant Superintendent for Curriculum and Instruction-
Secondary
Bruce Singer, Associate Superintendent for Business
Chris Clayton, Esq.
Carol Adelberg, District Clerk

CALL TO ORDER: The special meeting held at Samoset Middle School was called to order at 7:35pm by President Scavo.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE: Mr. Scavo opened the meeting with the Pledge of Allegiance and a moment of silent meditation.

DISCUSSION:

Discussion and Adoption of
Budget 2013-14 Superintendent Nolan reviewed the proposed budget reductions to meet the tax cap of 3.14%, which is to be voted on June 18, 2013. Mr. Singer reviewed his memo dated 5/29/13 and the budget reductions required if the proposed budget does not pass. There was a consensus of the Board to make the following changes to the memo as it relates to the budget cuts: (1) increase class size by one and reinstate 22 of the kindergarten aides. A question and answer period followed.

COMMENTS FROM

VISITORS: The Board heard comments and concerns from members of the audience.

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ACTION ITEM:

Adoption of the 2013-14 Budget

Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, a **Motion** was made by Ms. Lampitelli and was seconded by Mr. Scavo to hereby adopt the 2013-14 school budget in the amount of \$286,936,993.00 to be presented at the June 18, 2013 budget revote.

Vote on the **Motion:**

Yes: Mr. Tripi, Ms. Ahearn, Mr. Falco, Mr. Isernia, Ms. Lampitelli, Ms. Roberts, Mr. Timo

No: Mr. Scavo, Mr. Duncan

Motion carried (7-2)

Tentative Board

Meeting-5/30 Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, a **Motion** was made by Mr. Tripi, seconded by Ms. Ahearn, and carried unanimously (9-0) to cancel the Special Board Meeting tentatively scheduled for May 30, 2013.

ADJOURN: Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, a **Motion** was made by Mr. Tripi, seconded by Ms. Ahearn, and carried unanimously (9-0) to adjourn at 10:17pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Carol Adelberg
District Clerk