

TORRINGTON BOARD OF EDUCATION SPECIAL MEETING – PUBLIC HEARING

Monday, March 16, 2015 Vogel-Wetmore Elementary School, 68 Church Street

CALL TO ORDER: The meeting was called to order at 6:07 p.m.

ROLL CALL:

Present: Ms. Cappabianca, Mr. Hinman, Ms. Hoehne, Mr. Kissko, Mr. Knight,

Mr. Nargi, Ms. Richardson, Mr. Thibault, Ms. Aird, Mr. Bascetta,

Mr. Campolieta, Ms. Kloczko, Ms. Lubomski, Mr. Potter

Absent: Mr. Lamoin, Mr. Traub, Mayor Carbone

SUPERINTENDENT'S OVERVIEW OF PROPOSED BUDGET 2015-16

Ms. Kloczko presented her overview of the proposed Torrington Public Schools budget for 2015-16.

PUBLIC PARTICIPATION REGARDING 2015-2016 PROPOSED BUDGET FOR TORRINGTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS ON THE FOLLOWING SECTIONS OF THE BUDGET: ELEMENTARY, DISTRICTWIDE, CIAT, MAINTENANCE & FACILITIES, TECHNOLOGY

There was one (1) speaker.

COMMENTS FOR THE GOOD OF THE ORDER

Mr. Nargi spoke regarding "transparency" needed in the budget and that the budget is late in being provided to the Board. Mr. Potter pointed out that the budget for 2015-16 was presented to the Board three days earlier than the previous year.

Mr. Nargi expressed concern that the snow removal totals were accorded equally among the nine Torrington facilities when the work is not equal between the facilities. Mr. Thibault explained that snow removal is contracted with a flat fee.

PUBLIC PARTICIPATION RESUMED

Another speaker addressed the Board. The superintendent and other Board members responded to the speaker's comments.

ADJOURNMENT

Mr. Kissko made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 7:14 p.m. Ms. Hoehne seconded the motion. All in favor.