



Torrington Board of Education

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Torrington Public School Restructure Ad Hoc Committee Tuesday, August 22, 2017, 8:00 p.m. 355 Migeon Avenue

1. Call to Order – 7:53PM
2. Roll Call – Mr. Traub (chair), Mr. Maniccia
Also Present – Dr. Brogis, Ms. Cappabianca
Teacher Representative – Mr. LaFreniere
Administrators – Ms. Clemons, Mr. Bascetta, Ms. Lubomski
3. Task: Look at Torrington Elementary School
4. The Proposal: O&G

Option A – East renovate as new, add 5 classrooms; adds 125 students; total of 550 students;
Total cost: \$41,379,674
Estimated net cost to the district \$17,843,000
Estimated reimbursement from the state is \$23,536,063 at a rate of 74.29% from 2017-2018.
All students would have to be moved out during the renovations; portable classrooms would have to be used.

Option B – Put larger school on the TMS property; use East school plan and place at TMS; the school would fit on that lot. 800 students; 250 students more than Option A.
The City would have to approve of the use of the fields. Mr. Traub asked if 3 floors might help conserve space or fields.
Total Cost: 52,745,154
Net Cost \$21,541,147 with state reimbursement
Ms. Clemons said could look at grade level configurations. Mr. Traub said the funding for the project would come from the closing of other schools. Ms. Clemons will use the NESDEC enrollment projections. Ms. Cappabianca said there would need to be 2 administrators at the new, larger elementary schools.

5. Motion made by Mr. Maniccia to adjourn, second by Mr. Traub. All in Favor.
Meeting adjourned 8:57PM
6. Next meeting: mid-September, October