

Minutes – Business Meeting – Board of Education – New Paltz Central High School – April 12, 2011 – 9:00 PM

CALL MEETING TO ORDER

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Meeting was called to order at 8:30 PM by Don Kerr, Board President.
Maria Rice was appointed as Clerk Pro Tempore for the duration of this meeting.

BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT: Kathleen Tobin Flusser
Steven Greenfield
Donald Kerr
Patrick Rausch
Robert Rich
Edgar Rodriguez
Daniel Torres

QUORUM CHECK

ALSO PRESENT: Maria Rice, Superintendent of Schools
Richard Linden, Assistant Superintendent for Business

ROLL CALL - As reflected above.

ROLL CALL

EXECUTIVE SESSION

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Motion made by Mr. Torres and seconded by Mr. Rich that the Board of Education move into Executive Session at 8:31 PM for the purpose of discussing the employment history of particular individuals, and discussing contract negotiations (collective bargaining agreements). Motion carried 7 - 0 with 7 members voting.

Out of Executive Session - Motion made by Mr. Kerr and seconded by Mr. Torres that the Board return to Public Session at 9:10 PM. Motion carried 7 - 0 with 7 members voting.

CALL TO ORDER

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The Public Meeting was called to order at 9:12 PM by Donald Kerr, Board President.

BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT: Kathleen Tobin Flusser
Steven Greenfield
Donald Kerr
Patrick Rausch
Robert Rich
Edgar Rodriguez
Daniel Torres

QUORUM CHECK

ALSO PRESENT: Maria Rice, Superintendent of Schools
Debora Banner, Assistant Superintendent
Richard Linden, Assistant Superintendent for Business
Connie Hayes, Assistant Superintendent for Pupil Personnel Services
Barbara Clinton, Principal, New Paltz Central High School
Members of the Public and Press

ROLL CALL - As reflected above.

ROLL CALL

PLEDGE TO THE FLAG

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AGENDA CHANGES - None

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BOARD COMMUNICATIONS

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BUDGET RELATED DISCUSSION

The Board discussed an administrative reorganization plan that would temporarily fill the vacant elementary principal position with a qualified internal administrator.

The board updated the public regarding a proposal from NPUT that would extend the contract, receive monetary concessions, and includes a retirement incentive.

The Board had a brief discussion regarding this concession.

PUBLIC COMMENTS

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Rebecca Masters	New Paltz Teacher (email statement read by President Kerr aloud during public comment.)
Rachel Busher	NPUT President
Eric Schwartz	Esopus
Jon Stern	New Paltz
Anthony Aebi	Esopus

EXECUTIVE SESSION

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Motion made by Mr. Rich and seconded by Mr. Greenfield to move into Executive Session at 10:00 PM for the purpose of discussing the employment history of particular individuals, and discussing contract negotiations (collective bargaining agreements). Motion carried 7 - 0 with 7 members voting:

BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT: Kathleen Tobin Flusser
Steven Greenfield
Donald Kerr
Patrick Rausch
Robert Rich
Edgar Rodriguez
Daniel Torres

QUORUM CHECK

ALSO PRESENT: Maria Rice, Superintendent

Out of Executive Session

RETURN PUBLIC SESSION

Motion made by Mr. Torres and seconded by Mr. Rich that the Board return to Public Session at 10:40 PM. Motion carried 7 - 0 with 7 members voting.

ADJOURN

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Motion made by Mr. Torres and seconded by Mr. Rich that the Board adjourn at 10:41 PM. Motion carried 7 - 0 with 7 members voting.

Respectfully submitted,

Maria C. Rice
District Clerk Pro Tempore