

REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT #19
BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETING

EDWIN O. SMITH HIGH SCHOOL
1235 STORRS ROAD
STORRS, CONNECTICUT 06268
TUESDAY, JANUARY 3, 2012
7:30 P.M.

E.O. SMITH HIGH SCHOOL LIBRARY MEDIA CENTER

7:30 Call to Order

ROLL CALL

7:35 OPPORTUNITY FOR THE PUBLIC TO SPEAK

Reports:

7:40 COMMITTEE REPORTS (Personnel, Policy, Finance, Building, Curriculum, Eastconn, Agriculture Education, Student Congress).

7:45 SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

7:50 SPECIAL REPORT: Vernon Adult Education Credit Diploma Program
Peter Micari, Director

CONSENT AGENDA:

The following items for the Board of Education meeting of January 3, 2012 be approved or received for the record, unless removed by a Board member or the Superintendent of Schools.

That the Regional School District #19 Board of Education approve the minutes of December 6, 2011.

That the Regional School District #19 Board of Education receive letter of retirement from Agriculture Education Department Secretary, Barbara Perrotti, effective February 29, 2012 (Ref. 1).

END OF CONSENT AGENDA

Seconded:

Disposition

MOTION: by _____ WHEREAS, the Regional School District #19 Board of Education proudly supports the expertise of its special education teachers and related service providers in developing and designing high-quality programs for children with disabilities at E.O. Smith High School; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Education supports Connecticut's adoption of the standards set forth in the United States Supreme Court decision in the Schaffer v. Weast case; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Education believes that, in order to be a good steward of taxpayer dollars in the Towns of Ashford, Mansfield and Willington, it is important to take any actions possible to eliminate waste and redirect funding in favor of programming to benefit children and away from unnecessary administrative expenses, therefore it is

RESOLVED, that the Regional School District #19 Board of Education requests that the State of Connecticut Board of Education take immediate action to repeal or revise the regulation concerning burden of proof in special education due process hearings to place the burden of proof on the moving party. (Ref. #1)

Seconded:

Discussion:

Disposition

NEW BUSINESS: (add any new items to the agenda at this time)

DISCUSSION ITEM: 2012-2013 School Calendar

Opportunity for the Public to Speak

Move to Adjourn

DATES TO REMEMBER:

Saturday, January 7 th	-	Board Retreat	-	8:30 a.m. EOS
Tuesday, February 1 st	-	Finance Cmt. Meeting	-	6:45 p.m. LMC
Tuesday, February 1 st	-	Regular Board Meeting	-	7:30 p.m. LMC
Tuesday, February 14 th	-	Budget Review Meeting	-	7:00 p.m. LMC
Tuesday, February 28 th	-	Budget Review Meeting	-	7:00 p.m. LMC