

REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT #19  
BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETING

EDWIN O. SMITH HIGH SCHOOL  
1235 STORRS ROAD  
STORRS, CONNECTICUT 06268  
TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 7, 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, Digital Learning, Student Congress).

7:45 SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

7:50 SPECIAL REPORT: Debbie Veronneau, Math Department Head

CONSENT AGENDA:

The following items for the Board of Education meeting of February 7, 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 January 3, 2012.

That the Regional School District #19 Board of Education approve overnight trip to New York City, March 7-10, 2012, submitted by Rick Larson. (Ref. #1)

That the Regional School District #19 Board of Education approved 2012-2013 school calendar, as recommended by the superintendent. (Re.#2)

END OF CONSENT AGENDA

Seconded:

Disposition

OLD BUSINESS:

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: Update on Parking Cooperative Agreement with Mansfield Partnership-  
Ralph Pemberton, Building and Grounds Director

Opportunity for the Public to Speak

Move into executive session to discuss pending legal issue.

Move to Adjourn

DATES TO REMEMBER:

Tuesday, February 14 <sup>th</sup>	-	Budget Review Meeting	-	7:00 p.m. LMC
Tuesday, February 28 <sup>th</sup>	-	Budget Review Meeting	-	7:00 p.m. LMC