

MINUTES  
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WORK SESSION MEETING  
OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION

DATE: TUESDAY, April 12, 2011  
TIME: 7:30 P.M.  
2010-2011-21

PLACE: ADMINISTRATION BLDG.  
1881 DEER PARK AVENUE  
DEER PARK, NY 11729

MEMBERS PRESENT: Mr. John Gouskos, President  
Mrs. Donna Marie Elliott  
Mr. Robert Marino  
Mr. Keith Rooney  
Mr. Dennis P. Ryan  
Mr. Ron Wayne

EXCUSED: Mr. Frank Wilkinson, Vice President

STAFF PRESENT: Ms. Eva Demyen, Superintendent  
Mr. Frank Caliguiri, Asst. Superintendent  
Ms. Marguerite Jimenez, Asst. Superintendent  
Ms. Lisa Brennan, District Clerk

**DISCUSSION/PRESENTATIONS:**

- Presentation by Mr. Cummings and Ms. Skillen on the High School Business/Guidance Programs
- Discussion with Mr. Michael Tripani from Gabriel on the age of our bus fleet
- Mr. Gouskos thanked all those involved in the budget process
- Ms. Jimenez gave a brief presentation on the final budget. The budget to budget increase is 2.72%. Tax Levy increase is 2.38% with an estimated tax rate increase of 3.47%

**NEW BUSINESS:**

**ADOPTION  
OF 2011-2012  
BUDGET**

*Upon a motion by Mr. Rooney, seconded by Mrs. Elliott,  
the Board of Education approved the following  
Resolution:*

**NAY – Mr. D. Ryan**

BE IT RESOLVED, that the Deer Park Board of Education adopt the school district budget for the 2011-2012 school year, as presented with the total appropriation of **\$97,801,071.36** and that the budget be submitted to the qualified voters in a referendum scheduled for Tuesday, May 17, 2011.

**SECOND READING  
& APPROVAL –  
POLICY #5290  
ATHLETE  
CONCUSSION  
MANAGEMENT  
PROTOCOL**

*Upon a motion by Mrs. Elliott, seconded by Mr. Marino,  
the Board of Education unanimously approved the  
following Resolution:*

BE IT RESOLVED, that this policy shall be included as accepted and adopted by the Board of Education and placed in the Board of Education policy manual.

**FIRST READING –  
POLICY #4850  
ANIMALS IN  
THE SCHOOLS &  
#4321.14 (TABLE)  
SPECIAL  
EDUCATION  
PERSONNEL**

*Upon a motion by Mr. Rooney, seconded by Mrs. Elliott,  
the Board of Education unanimously approved the  
following Resolution:*

BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of Education approve the first reading to Policy #4850. **Policy #4321.14 has been tabled.**

**MANDATED  
PHYSICAL  
EXAM**

*Upon a motion by Mr. Rooney, seconded by Mrs. Elliott, the  
Board of Education unanimously approved the following  
Resolution:*

RESOLVED, that pursuant to Education Law 913, in order to protect the health and safety of the students, a member of the teacher staff is hereby directed to be examined by a doctor selected by the school district.

**APPROVAL**  
**OF**  
**SCHEDULE**

*Upon a motion by Mr. Rooney, seconded by Mr. Marino, the Board of Education unanimously approved the following Schedule.*

**SCHEDULE OO – RESIGNATIONS/RETIREMENTS/REMOVALS/  
TERMINATIONS (NON-INSTRUCTIONAL)**

**Michael Rizzo**

Memorial

Position: Groundsman

Effective Date: 4/12/11

Comments: Termination. No outstanding obligation to the district.

Upon a motion by Mr. Wayne, seconded by Mr. Marino, the Board of Education adjourned at 8:40 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Lisa Brennan  
District Clerk