



REGULAR MEETING

September 19, 2011
LoPresti Elementary School
7:30 p.m.

AGENDA

I. CALL TO ORDER

- A. Salute to the Flag

II. BOARD AND ADMINISTRATIVE COMMUNICATIONS

- A. 21st Century Learning

- B. Recognitions

- 1. Thank you to all the participants of the 19th Annual Seymour Kick-Off Club Golf Tournament on August 8, 2011

- C. Correspondence

- 1. Letter from Ansonia Superintendent Carol Merlone to MaryAnne Mascolo dated August 8, 2011 requesting the Seymour Public School District accept students on a tuition basis
 - 2. Letter to Ansonia Superintendent Carol Merlone from MaryAnne Mascolo dated August 25, 2011 responding to the request to accept Ansonia Students on a tuition basis
 - 3. Letter to all parents/guardians from MaryAnne Mascolo dated September, 9, 2011 regarding CMT test scores
 - 4. Letter from Seymour Deputy Fire Marshall Timothy Willis to the Seymour Board of Education dated September 6, 2011 regarding the inspection reports for all Seymour Schools

III. PUBLIC COMMENT

IV. CONSENT AGENDA

- A. Approval of Minutes

- 1. Regular BOE Meeting – September 6, 2011

IV. CONSENT AGENDA (continued)**B. Staff Resignations – Non Certified**

1. Clements, Kathy
 - Instructional Paraprofessional
 - Special Education
 - Bungay School
 - Effective August 30, 2011

2. Teixeira, Lisa
 - Clerical Paraprofessional
 - Bungay School
 - Effective September 8, 2011

C. Staff Hiring – Non Certified

1. Ewaskie, Roxanne
 - Instructional Paraprofessional
 - Special Education
 - Middle School
 - Step 1, Para Contract
 - Replacing Michelle Mazzerise

2. Thompson, Merissa
 - Instructional Paraprofessional
 - Special Education
 - LoPresti School
 - Step 1, Para Contract
 - Replacing Lisa Bernegger

D. Staff Hiring – Appendix E

1. Williams, Victoria
 - Advisor, Best Buddies Program
 - High School
 - Replacing Pat Humeniuk

E. Finance Committee – September 19, 2011

1. To accept the recommendation of the Finance Committee to approve the Financial Management Summary for July/August, 2011

F. Finance Committee – September 19, 2011 (continued)**2. Student Activity Bank Accounts**

MOTION: to approve the resolution for Student Activity Bank Accounts at T.D. Banknorth for Seymour Middle School, Bungay School, Chatfield School and LoPresti School

MOTION FOR CONSIDERATION: move to approve the consent agenda as presented

VI. INFORMATION AND REPORTS**A. INFORMATION****1. Student Representatives**

- a. Block Schedule
- b. Senior Day, 9/9/11
- c. Blue and Gold Day, 9/16/11
- d. Pumpkin Festival, 9/18/11

2. Staff Hiring – Certified

- a. Salem, Sasha
 - Biology Teacher (part time)
 - High School
 - Replacing Fran DiVito
 - Step 6, Masters

3. Griffin Hospital Childhood Obesity Program Invitation – October 6, 2011**4. BOE Meeting Schedule Revised****5. CMT Results – Mary Lavoie****B. REPORTS****1. Minutes**

- a. **Athletic Committee** – August 25, 2011
- b. **Finance Committee** – September 6, 2011

2. Chairman's Report

- a. CABE 211 Education Law Summary (please refer to your CABE book)
- b. Board Members' Comments

3. Superintendent's Report

VII. RECOMMENDED ACTIONS

- A. Ms. Jennifer DeBlasio has informed the Board of Education of her intent to home school her child, Benjamin DeBlasio, for the 2011-2012 school year

MOTION FOR CONSIDERATION: to acknowledge the receipt of this form and render no opinion as to the appropriateness of the planned program

- B. BOE Student Representatives

MOTION: to accept the Superintendent's recommendation to appoint Rebecca Putorti and Ed Grabowski as the BOE Student Representatives for the 2011-12 school year

VIII. EXECUTIVE SESSION

- ◆ A. None

XI. ADJOURMENT

Note: The next Board of Education meeting will be held on **October 3, 2011** at 7:30 p.m. in Seymour Middle School