

Warwick School Committee Minutes
Meeting of June 18, 2012
Open Session

The Warwick School Committee met in Open Session at the Administration Building on Monday, June 18, 2012. Ms. Furtado called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m. with the following in attendance:

COMMITTEE

Bethany A. Furtado, Chair
Patrick E. Maloney, Jr., Vice Chair
Eugene A. Nadeau, Clerk
Christopher E. Friel
M. Terri Medeiros

ADMINISTRATION

Peter P. Horoschak, Superintendent
William Sangster, Assistant to the Superintendent
Robert T. Bushell, Director of Elementary Education
Richard D'Agostino, Director Special Services
Anthony Ferrucci, Chief Budget Officer
Rosemary Healey, Esq., Director of Compliance & Human Resources
E. Paul Jansson, Construction Coordinator
David LaPlante, Director of Buildings & Grounds
Anne Siesel, Assistant Director of Curriculum

MOTION 2012-124: Moved by Mr. Friel, seconded by Mr. Nadeau, to go into closed session for discussion and/or action regarding those items of business exempt from open meetings under General Laws of Rhode Island 42-46-5(a)(1) and (a)(2).

MOTION PASSES (5-0)

Bethany A. Furtado – Aye Patrick E. Maloney, Jr. - Aye
Christopher E. Friel - Aye Eugene A. Nadeau - Aye
M. Terri Medeiros – Aye

Open session reconvened at 8:25 p.m.

Ms. Healey announced the following votes were taken in Executive Session.

- Cut marine biology – vote 4:1 – (Mr. Nadeau opposed)
- 2.5 positions associated with elementary ALAP – reinstated – vote 5-0
- Elimination of physical education department head proposed has been rejected – vote 5-0
- 4 positions that had been taken as cuts eliminating team at Gorton – (science/English/social studies/ math – those specifically reinstated by consensus of the School Committee 5-0
- Business and technology department heads consolidation is not going to be taken – however due to declining enrollment there will be 1 cut at Veterans by consensus of the School Committee 5-0

We will table the adoption of the budget so the chief budget officer can come back to us with the hard numbers to make up the short fall we expect to still have.

MOTION 2012-125: Moved by Mr. Nadeau, seconded by Mr. Maloney, to adjourn the meeting.

MOTION PASSES (5-0)

Bethany A. Furtado – Aye Patrick E. Maloney, Jr. - Aye
Christopher E. Friel - Aye Eugene A. Nadeau - Aye
M. Terri Medeiros – Aye

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MOTION PASSES (5-0)

Bethany A. Furtado – Aye Patrick E. Maloney, Jr. - Aye
Christopher E. Friel - Aye Eugene A. Nadeau - Aye
M. Terri Medeiros – Aye

MOTION 2012-127: Moved by Mr. Nadeau, seconded by Ms. Furtado, to adjourn the Open Session.

MOTION PASSES (5-0)

Bethany A. Furtado – Aye Patrick E. Maloney, Jr. - Aye
Christopher E. Friel - Aye Eugene A. Nadeau - Aye
M. Terri Medeiros – Aye

Meeting adjourned at 9:10 p.m.
Eugene A. Nadeau, Clerk