

# **EAST PROVIDENCE SCHOOL DEPARTMENT**

## **School Committee Meeting**

**East Providence City Hall**

**145 Taunton Avenue**

**East Providence, Rhode Island 02914**

**January 24, 2007**

### **Open Session**

**The joint session of the City Council and School Committee (recessed from January 18, 2007) was called to order at 5:30PM. All members School Committee were present: Robert Faria, Eileen Lovett, David Medeiros, Mildred Morris and Steven Santos. Also present: Dr. Jacqueline Forbes, Superintendent of School and Andrew Thomas, Esq. and Members of the City Council.**

**A motion was made by Mrs. Lovett to move to Executive Session in accordance with RI General Laws, Section 42-46-5 (a) (2) Collective Bargaining/Litigation – Arbitration Award – Case #113900127906, seconded by Mr. Medeiros. Vote 5-0.**

**Pubic Session - At 8:00 pm the City Council and the School Committee returned to public session. Mayor Ramos reported the vote taken by the City Council on whether to appeal the Buy-Back arbitration award.**

**Motion made by Mr. Silva on behalf of the City Council to adjourn, seconded by Ms. Perry. Roll call vote on motion to adjourn: Silva-Aye; Perry-Aye; Cusack-Aye; DiTraglia-Aye; and Ramos-Aye. Vote 5/0 to adjourn**

**Motion made by Mrs. Lovett on behalf of the School Committee to adjourn, seconded by Mr. Medeiros. Roll call vote on motion adjourn: Faria-Ney; Santos-Aye; Lovett-Aye; Medeiros-Aye; Morris-Aye. Before adjourning, Mr. Conley reported to the public what the vote taken by the City Council and the School Committee meant, and that as a result of the vote, there would be no appeal of the buy back arbitration. Meeting adjourned 8:15 P.M.**

**Respectfully submitted,**

**Patricia A. Iannelli, Administrative Assistant**

**Eileen Lovett, Clerk of the Committee**

**Andrew Thomas, Esq.**