



**TORRINGTON BOARD OF EDUCATION
SPECIAL MEETING – PUBLIC HEARING
Monday, March 23, 2015
Vogel-Wetmore Elementary School, 68 Church Street**

CALL TO ORDER: The meeting was called to order at 6:00 p.m.

ROLL CALL:

Present: Mr. Traub, Ms. Cappabianca, Mr. Hinman, Ms. Hoehne, Mr. Kissko, Mr. Knight, Mr. Lamoin, Mr. Nargi, Ms. Richardson, Mr. Thibault, Ms. Aird, Mr. Bascetta, Mr. Campolieta, Ms. Kloczko, Ms. Lubomski, Mr. Potter

Absent: Mayor Carbone

SUPERINTENDENT’S OVERVIEW OF PROPOSED BUDGET 2015-16

Ms. Kloczko presented her overview of the proposed Torrington Public Schools budget for 2015-16.

PUBLIC PARTICIPATION REGARDING 2015-2016 PROPOSED BUDGET FOR TORRINGTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS ON THE FOLLOWING SECTIONS OF THE BUDGET: ELEMENTARY, DISTRICTWIDE, CIAT, MAINTENANCE & FACILITIES, TECHNOLOGY

There were five (5) speakers and one comment submitted in writing, which was read aloud by Mr. Traub.

COMMENTS FOR THE GOOD OF THE ORDER

Ms. Richardson inquired as to whether the concerns of one of the speakers would be addressed, and Mr. Traub said they would be considered at the next full-Board meeting.

Mr. Nargi suggested the issue of THS adopting a block schedule in the coming year be considered at the next discussion of the Board.

ADJOURNMENT

Mr. Knight made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 6:30 p.m. Mr. Hinman seconded the motion. All in favor.

MEETING RESUMED

Mr. Knight made a motion to re-open the meeting at 6:31 p.m. Mr. Thibault seconded the motion. All in favor.

PUBLIC COMMENTS ADDRESSED

Superintendent Kloczko and Assistant Superintendent Lubomski addressed concerns expressed during Public Participation earlier in the meeting. Topics included grants, foreign language instruction in elementary school, professional development for TPS faculty, and state testing.

ADJOURNMENT

Mr. Hinman made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 6:59 p.m. Ms. Hoehne seconded the motion. All in favor.