

**BOARD OF EDUCATION
NEWINGTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS
NEWINGTON, CT 06111**

Newington Town Hall
Helen Nelson Meeting Room
Tuesday, February 11, 2020
6:00 p.m.

BUDGET WORK SESSION

PRESENT: Chairperson Paul Vessella, Dr. Bruce Fletcher, Emily Guion,
Beth Manke Hutvagner, Steven Silvia, Cindy Stamm, Robert
Tofeldt, Jessica Weaver

ABSENT: Michael Branda

ADMINISTRATION: Dr. Maureen Brummett, Wendy Crouse, Stephen Foresi,
Lou Jachimowicz, Karen Cyr, Kristen Freeman, Craig Holland,
Seth Korn, Christopher Meyers, Jay Salerno

A. Call to Order

Chairperson Paul Vessella called the Budget Work Session of the Newington Board of Education to order at 6:00 p.m.

B. Pledge of Allegiance

C. Public Participation

D. New Business

1. Review Instructional Programs

- a. Education Technology/Information Technology

Stephen Foresi arrived at the meeting at 6:10 p.m.

Craig Holland and Jay Salerno left the meeting at 6:18 p.m.

- b. Art
c. School Counseling Services

Seth Korn left the meeting at 6:25 p.m.

- d. Student Activities Non-Athletic
e. Student Activities Athletic

Chris Meyers left the meeting at 6:42 p.m.

- f. Continuing/Adult Education

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- g. Career Technical Education
- h. World language
- i. Music
- j. Wellness
- k. Science
- l. STEM
- m. Social Studies

Kristen Freeman left the meeting at 7:30 p.m.

- n. Mathematics
- o. Reading

Board member Robert Tofeldt left the meeting at 7:35 p.m. and returned at 7:38 p.m.
Lou Jachimowicz left the meeting at 7:35 p.m. and returned at 7:38 p.m.

- p. English/Language Arts
- q. Media/Library Services

Chairperson Paul Vessella called for a break at 7:50 p.m. The meeting resumed at 8:00 p.m.

- r. Curriculum & Assessment
- s. Homebound K-12
- t. Staff Development & Evaluation
- u. Other Salaries

Remaining instructional programs will be discussed at next Board of Education meeting on Wednesday, February 12, 2020.

E. Public Participation

Board remarks went around the table.

F. Adjournment

MOTION: Dr. Bruce Fletcher moved to adjourn. Emily Guion seconded. The motion passed unanimously.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:35 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Steven Silvia
Secretary

Debra O. Craig
Board Clerk

PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

None