

**MINUTES OF THE WORKSHOP MEETING OF THE ROXBURY TOWNSHIP BOARD OF EDUCATION
HELD ON THURSDAY, OCTOBER 7, 2010
Board of Education Office, 42 North Hillside Avenue, Succasunna, New Jersey 07876**

MEETING CALLED TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order at 6:00 p.m. in the Conference Room at the Board of Education Office, President Moschella presiding.

PUBLIC SESSION

Mrs. Miller announced that this Special Meeting of the Roxbury Township Board of Education is being held to take action and hold discussion on business before the Board tonight, and that the New Jersey Open Public Meetings Law was enacted to ensure the right of public bodies at which any business affecting their interest is discussed or acted upon. In accordance with the provisions of this Act, the Roxbury Township Board of Education has caused written notice of tonight's meeting and copies of the agenda for tonight's meeting to be transmitted to:

Roxbury Register	-	Newspaper
Daily Record	-	Newspaper
Roxbury Municipal Clerk		
Roxbury Public Library		
Roxbury Website	-	http://www.roxbury.org/boe/minutes/meetings.html

The notice of tonight's meeting and a copy of tonight's agenda have been posted in the Board's Business Office.

ROLL CALL

The roll was taken, and a quorum deemed present.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Mrs. Annette Brooks, Mrs. Maureen Castriotta (arrived at 6:05 p.m.), Mrs. Liz D'Abbraccio, Mrs. Terry D'Agostino, Mrs. Jennifer Marchesi, Mrs. Patricia Miller, Mr. Chris Rogers (arrived 6:09 p.m.), Ms. Carol Scheneck (arrived at 6:08 p.m.), Mr. Greg Somjen, Mr. John Moschella

MEMBERS ABSENT:

ADMINISTRATION PRESENT: Dr. Michael Rossi, Dr. James Heinegg, Dr. Gregory McGann, Mr. Anthony Mistretta, Mr. Paul Stabile

OTHERS PRESENT: Ms. Joanne Borin, NJSBA Representative

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Members of the Board, the Administration participated in the salute to the flag.

BOARD PRESIDENT'S COMMENTS

Mr. Moschella explained the purpose of the board retreat.

PUBLIC COMMENTS - (10 minute total limit)

None

October 4, 2010

BOARD RETREAT

- Individual group discussion took place based on distributed forms – *What's Wonderful About the District, What's Good About the District and What's Not Good About the District*. The Board reviewed the forms and established goals.
- The Board established Goals:
 - 1) Successfully complete negotiations
 - 2) Pass the Budget
 - a. Have open budget process
 - b. Continue to strive toward financial efficiencies
 - 3) Continue to improve communications with the community

The Board recessed at this time, 7:03 p.m.

The Board reconvened at this time, 7:42 p.m.

- Reviewed Self Evaluation.
- Reviewed information on various issues pertaining to ethics.
- Board members read the Code of Ethics.
- Each Board member signed the Acknowledgement of Receipt of the Code of Ethics and returned it to the Business Administrator.

ADJOURNMENT

It was motioned by Mrs. Marchesi and seconded by Mrs. Brooks to adjourn the meeting at this time, 8:40 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Mr. Paul Stabile
Assistant Board Secretary