MINUTES

Date of Meeting:

December 3, 2008

Type of Meeting:

Executive Session

Place of Meeting:

Administration Building – Conference Room

Members Present:

President Patrick E. Gallagher

Vice President Roy Lester

Board Member Franklin Alvarado

Board Member Lynn Gergen Board Member Dennis Ryan

Members Absent:

None

Others Present:

Dr. Robert Greenberg, Superintendent

Dr. Randie Berger, Deputy Superintendent Mr. Michael DeVito, Chief Operating Officer

Mr. Tom Ritzenthaler, C+S Arch Ms. Eileen Lilly, District Clerk

President Gallagher called for a motion to go into executive session at 6:30 PM to discuss pending and proposed legal matters and real estate matters.

Motion by:

Vice President Lester

Seconded by:

Board Member Gergen

Approved:

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President Gallagher called for a motion to adjourn the executive session at 7:50 PM.

Motion by:

Board Member Alvarado

Seconded by:

Board Member Ryan

Approved:

5-0

Motion to Go into Executive

Session

Adjournment

MINUTES

Date of Meeting:

December 3, 2008

Type of Meeting:

Worksession/Special Meeting

Place of Meeting:

Middle School - Auditorium

Members Present:

President Patrick E. Gallagher

Vice President Roy Lester

Board Member Franklin Alvarado Board Member Lynn Gergen

Board Member Dennis Ryan

Members Absent:

None

Others Present:

Dr. Robert Greenberg, Superintendent

Dr. Randie Berger, Deputy Superintendent Mr. Michael DeVito, Chief Operating Officer

Mr. Tom Ritzenthaler, C+S Arch Ms. Eileen Lilly, District Clerk Members of the community

I. Pledge and Opening Remarks

President Gallagher

- Called the meeting to order at 8:07 PM and led the community in the Pledge of Allegiance.
- Outlined the format of tonight's meeting and called on Dr. Greenberg.

Dr. Greenberg

Indicated that this meeting was scheduled as a result of the questions and comments raised at the East School PTA meeting concerning the transition of East School as presented at the Board meeting on November 12.

President Gallagher:

- Indicated this meeting is a worksession meeting and the next meeting on December 9 is a regular meeting where this topic will be addressed again. There will be no vote on the School Preservation Plan until January to enable the entire community to speak on these issues.
- Proceeded with a Presentation on the Master Plan and then introduced the School Preservation Plan.

Board Member Alvarado

Continued the presentation of the School Preservation Plan.

II. President Gallagher called for Public Comment on Tonight's Topic.

The following people commented on the transition of East School:

Ms. Jackie Miller, East School PTA Co-President, 73 Buffalo Avenue

Ms. Gerry Maquet, East School PTA Co-President, 523 East State Street

Ms. Annie Conway, 119 Audrey Drive

Mr. Terry O'Neil, 119 Harding Avenue

Mr. Marty Klain, 168 Lagoon Drive West

Ms. Judy Fishman, 209 Greenway Drive

Ms. Ellen Kramer, 329 East Penn Street

Ms. Shari Cambareri, 245 East Beech Street

Ms. Caroline LaVelle, 852 East Walnut Street

Ms. Katie DeBruin, 564 Franklin Boulevard

Mr. John Gilmore, 550 East Chester Street

Ms. Grace DeFries, 83 Kerrigan Street

Ms. Carol Scott, 414 East Beech Street

Ms. Lisa McKay, 53 Curley Street

Mr. Jeff Rabiner, 263 East Beech Street

Ms. Liza Ehrlich, 526 West Olive Street

Ms. Peggy Butts, 16 East Pine Street

Mr. Pamela Warner, 348 West Chester Street

Comments and questions were addressed by Board Members, Dr. Greenberg and Mr. Ritzenthaler.

III. President Gallagher called for a motion to adjourn at 11:17 PM.

Motion by:

Board Member Alvarado

Seconded by:

Board Member Gergen

Approved:

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Minutes submitted by:

Eileen Lilly, District Clerk

December 10, 2008