

West Deptford Middle School  
675 Grove Road  
West Deptford, NJ 08066-1999  
March 14, 2011

The Regular Meeting of the Board of Education of the Township of West Deptford was held at the above date and place at 7:00pm.

The meeting was called to order by James Mehaffey, President, followed by the Pledge of Allegiance and a Moment of Silence.

Mr. Mehaffey, President, announced: Notice of this meeting has been provided by letter dated 28 April 2010 to the Gloucester County Times, Camden Courier Post and the West Deptford Municipal Clerk. Public notice was also posted in the West Deptford Municipal Building on 28 April 2010.

**In Attendance**

Mrs. Ginny Brockway  
Mrs. Amy DeGirolamo  
Mrs. Lisa Eckley  
Dr. Brian Gotchel  
Mr. Donald Hicks  
Mr. James Mehaffey  
Mr. Christopher Strano

**Absent**

Mr. James Crawford  
Mrs. Denice DiCarlo

Also present: Kevin A. Kitchenman, Superintendent  
William H. Thompson, Assistant Superintendent for Business/Board Secretary

**PRESIDENT'S REMARKS**

Motion by Strano, seconded by Gotchel to approve the minutes of February 28, 2011, Regular Meeting.

Motion carried 6-0-1.  
(Abstain-Hicks)

**COURTESY EXTENDED TO VISITORS**

**SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT**

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## GENERAL BUSINESS

### A. **FINANCE** – DiCARLO, DeGirolamo, Crawford (Alternate: Hicks)

1. Motion by DeGirolamo, seconded by Hicks to approve the regular bill lists of March 14, 2011, with funds available as documented in the Board Office, pending final review by the Finance Committee Chairperson.

- \$781,087.56
- \$ 28,080.19

Motion carried 7-0.

2. Motion by DeGirolamo, seconded by Hicks to approve the February 28, 2011 end-of-month bill list totaling \$87,938.75, with funds available as documented in the Board Office, pending final review by the Finance Committee Chairperson.

Motion carried 7-0.

3. Motion by DeGirolamo, seconded by Hicks to approve the payroll of February 2011 totaling \$2,288,366.13 with funds available as documented in the Board Office.

Motion carried 7-0.

4. Motion by DeGirolamo, seconded by Hicks to approve the February 28, 2011 end-of-month cafeteria bill list totaling \$45,086.57 with funds available as documented in the Board Office, pending final review by the Finance Committee Chairperson.

Motion carried 7-0.

5. Motion by DeGirolamo, seconded by Hicks to approve the January 2011 Expenditure and Revenue Reports and to approve and certify that the January 2011 Expenditure Reports, after review of the secretary's monthly financial report (appropriations sections), and upon consultation with the appropriate district officials, to the best of our knowledge contain no major accounts or funds which have been overexpended in violation of NJAC 6A:23A-16.10(c)4 and that sufficient funds are available to meet the District's financial obligations for the remainder of the fiscal year.

Motion carried 7-0.

6. Motion by DeGirolamo, seconded by Hicks to approve the reports of the Secretary and the Treasurer of School Monies for the month of January 2011 and that said reports are in agreement.

Motion carried 7-0.

A. **FINANCE** – continued

7. Motion by DeGirolamo, seconded by Hicks to approve the January 2011 transfers.

Motion carried 7-0.

8. Motion by DeGirolamo, seconded by Hicks to approve the below-listed Resolution adopting the 2011-2012 **revised** tentative budget.

General Fund	<b>\$40,728,963</b>
Special Revenue Fund	\$ 1,014,374
Debt Service Fund	<u>\$ 1,493,758</u>
<b>TOTAL BASE BUDGET</b>	<b>\$43,237,095</b>

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, to raise a General Fund Tax Levy of \$28,437,427, and to raise a Debt Service Fund Tax Levy of \$1,293,068.

Motion carried 7-0.

9. Motion by Hicks, seconded by Brockway to approve the following expenditures for workshops and travel expenses.

EMPLOYEE	WORKSHOP	DATE	TOTAL COST
Sanker, Ellen	IEP Writing Day	3/15/2011	\$95.00
Verdinelli, Karen	IEP Writing Day	3/15/2011	\$95.00
Berth, Christina	ICR Planning	3/16/2011	\$47.50
Castone, Melissa	ICS Planning	3/16/2011	\$47.50
Stanwood, Eric	Curriculum Writing	3/16/2011	\$47.50
Thorn, Mark	ICR Planning	3/16/2011	\$47.50
Walter, Jennifer	ICR Planning	3/16/2011	\$47.50
Kelly, Kirsten	Differentiation Workshop	3/16/2011	\$95.00
Purul, Greer	ICS Planning	3/16/2011	\$47.50
Corriero, Lucille	County Office Certification Training	3/17/2011	No Cost
Kelly, Kirsten	Differentiation Workshop	3/17/2011	\$95.00
Schultes, Michelle	Vocabulary In-Service	3/18/2011	No Cost
Mason, Kelley	ICS Planning	3/21/2011	\$95.00
Everitt, Denise	ICS Planning	3/23/2011	\$47.50
Graham, James	ICS Planning	3/23/2011	\$95.00
Kelly, Kirsten	ICS Planning	3/23/2011	\$47.50
MacMillan, Jennifer	NJASK Training	3/23/2011	No Cost
Schultes, Lisa	ICS Planning	3/23/2011	\$47.50
Hansbury, Kelly	NJASK Training	3/23/2011	No Cost
Buyser, Jennifer	ICS Planning	3/24/2011	\$47.50
Dahl, Suzanne	ICS Planning	3/24/2011	\$47.50
Hartman, Lauren	ICS Planning	3/24/2011	\$47.50
Sanker, Ellen	ICS Planning	3/24/2011	\$95.00
Sherman, Heather	ICS Planning	3/24/2011	\$47.50
Drewes, Kathryn	ICS Planning	3/25/2011	\$47.50

A. **FINANCE** – continued

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EMPLOYEE	WORKSHOP	DATE	TOTAL COST
Lindia, Lynette	ICS Planning	3/25/2011	\$47.50
Lyons, Stacey	ICR Planning	3/25/2011	\$47.50
Verdinelli, Karen	ICR Planning	3/25/2011	\$47.50
Headley, Rebecca	ICS Planning	3/28/2011	\$47.50
Lindia, Lynette	ICS Planning	3/28/2011	\$47.50
Micciche, Cheryl	ICS Planning	3/29/2011	\$47.50
Sheppard, Allison	Les Miserables Performance	3/29/2011	\$95.00
Bride, Bettina	MHTA	3/30/2011	\$3.47
Buchma, Andrea	Threat Assessment	3/30/2011	\$4.09
Pilarz, Kathleen	Threat Assessment	3/30/2011	No Cost
Drummond, Mark	ICS Planning	3/31/2011	\$47.50
Hicks, Gina	Art Show - take down	3/31/2011	\$47.50
Hopkins, Nicole	ICS Planning	3/31/2011	\$47.50
Mansor, Jill	ICR Planning	3/31/2011	\$47.50
Sperduto, Jil	ICS Planning	3/31/2011	\$47.50
Walter, Jennifer	ICR Planning	3/31/2011	\$47.50
Crane, Joel	ICS Planning	3/31/2011	\$47.50
Gismondi, Brian	NJPSA Legislative Meeting	4/1/2011	No Cost
O'Neil, Kristin	NJPSA Legislative Meeting	4/1/2011	No Cost
Breece, Bridgette	IEP Prep Day	4/4/2011	\$95.00
Litzinger, Kathleen	Bankbridge Annual Review	4/5/2011	\$4.65
Litzinger, Kathleen	Daytop Observation	4/6/2011	\$11.78
Farreny, Kerri	ICS Planning	4/7/2011	\$47.50
McCue, Bridget	ICS Planning	4/7/2011	\$95.00
McConaghy, Kelly	Reading Assist	4/11/2011	\$47.50
Micciche, Cheryl	Reading Assist	4/11/2011	\$95.00
Berry, Karen	Fluency Workshop	4/11/2011	\$95.00
Baillie, James	Gloucester County College In-Service	4/12/2011	No Cost
Canna, Erin	Gloucester County College In-Service	4/12/2011	No Cost
Cathcart, Wendi	RAPS Workshop	4/12/2011	\$90.00
Badt, Richard	Legal One Advance NJ New Bullying Law	4/15/2011	\$75.00
Illas, Alex	Legal One Advance NJ New Bullying Law	4/15/2011	\$75.00
Rooney, Wendy	ICS Planning	4/15/2011	\$47.50
Gismondi, Brian	Senior Trip	4/18/2011	No Cost
Litzinger, Kathleen	Newgrange School Annual Review	4/18/2011	\$26.66
Gismondi, Brian	Senior Trip	4/19/2011	No Cost
Jacobs, Mary	Fluency Workshop	4/20/2011	\$95.00
Jasper, Dawn	NJ Spring Intensity Workshop	4/20/2011	\$95.00
Litzinger, Kathleen	Pineland Learning Center Observation	4/20/2011	\$17.98
Tortu-Sliwecki, Phyllis	NJ Spring Intensity Workshop	4/20/2011	\$95.00
Litzinger, Kathleen	Daytop Observation	5/4/2011	\$11.78
Litzinger, Kathleen	Bankbridge Annual Review	5/5/2011	\$4.65
Litzinger, Kathleen	YALE Annual Review	5/11/2011	\$9.92
De Francis, Jamie	Bancroft Annual Review	5/17/2011	\$8.99
Buchma, Andrea	NJ Regional Day School Annual Review	5/18/2011	\$17.54
Litzinger, Kathleen	Pineland Learning Center Annual Review	6/1/2011	\$17.98

A. **FINANCE** – continued

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EMPLOYEE	WORKSHOP	DATE	TOTAL COST
Schwantes, Jamie	RAPS Training	3/15/2011	\$95.00
Magsam, Tori	RAPS Training	3/15/2011	\$95.00
Janack, Lauren	Reading Assist	3/17/2011	No Cost
Pacini, Joan	IEP Writing Day	3/25/2011	\$47.50
Monsu, Kimberly	ICS Planning	3/29/2011	\$95.00
Williams, Janice	ICS Planning	3/29/2011	\$47.50
Mathiesen, Katherine	Art Show - take down	3/31/2011	\$47.50
Fairchild, Cheryl	Letters Training	4/4/2011	\$31.00
Fairchild, Cheryl	Letters Training	4/5/2011	\$31.00
Berry, Karen	ICR Planning	4/13/2011	\$95.00
Elliott, Michele	ICS Planning	4/13/2011	\$47.50
Sbar, Sharon	Voorhees Pediatrics Annual Review	4/13/2011	\$7.75
Hartman, Lauren	Reading Assist	4/18/2011	\$95.00
Falcone, Jaclyn	Senior Trip	4/18/2011	\$95.00
Freedman, Lindsay	Senior Trip	4/18/2011	\$95.00
Kelly, Kirsten	Senior Trip	4/18/2011	\$95.00
Seeley, Michael	Senior Trip	4/18/2011	\$95.00
Zoll, Lynn	Senior Trip	4/18/2011	\$95.00
Folsom, Clyde	Senior Trip	4/18/2011	\$95.00
Falcone, Jaclyn	Senior Trip	4/19/2011	\$95.00
Freedman, Lindsay	Senior Trip	4/19/2011	\$95.00
Kelly, Kirsten	Senior Trip	4/19/2011	\$95.00
Seeley, Michael	Senior Trip	4/19/2011	\$95.00
Buyser, Jennifer	Reading Assist	4/19/2011	\$95.00
Zoll, Lynn	Senior Trip	4/19/2011	\$95.00
Folsom, Clyde	Senior Trip	4/19/2011	\$95.00
Adleman, Dayle	Vocabulary Training	4/20/2011	\$95.00
Flores, Melissa	IEP Writing Day	4/21/2011	\$95.00
Brennan, Nicole	IEP Writing Day	5/11/2011	\$95.00
Brennan, Nicole	IEP Writing Day	5/24/2011	\$95.00
Izzo-Caballero, Jeannine	AP Scoring Session	6/13/2011	\$95.00
Izzo-Caballero, Jeannine	AP Scoring Session	6/14/2011	\$95.00
Izzo-Caballero, Jeannine	AP Scoring Session	6/15/2011	\$95.00
Izzo-Caballero, Jeannine	AP Scoring Session	6/16/2011	\$95.00
Izzo-Caballero, Jeannine	AP Scoring Session	6/17/2011	\$95.00
Fairchild, Cheryl	Reading Assist	6/30/2011	\$31.00

Motion carried 5-0-2.  
(Abstain-Brockway, Hicks)

B. **CURRICULUM** – CRAWFORD, DeGirolamo, Eckley (Alternate: Strano)

1. Motion by DeGirolamo, seconded by Eckley to approve 30-35 Juniors to attend a College and Career Fair at RiverWinds on Thursday, March 24, 2011 from 9:15am until 10:30am.

**NOTE:**

Dr. Gismondi will accompany the Junior students who sign up for the College and Career Fair at no cost to the Board of Education.

Motion carried 7-0.

2. Motion by DeGirolamo, seconded by Eckley to approve the CP Physics, AP Physics B and AP Physics C classes to attend a class trip to Six Flags Great Adventure in Jackson, NJ on Friday, May 13, 2011 from 8am to 8pm.

**NOTE:**

Mr. Pustie (teacher in charge), Mr. Thorn, Mr. Hobson and Ms. Pujos will accompany the above- named classes on a class trip to Great Adventure. Students will provide all funding for the trip.

Motion carried 7-0.

3. Motion by DeGirolamo, seconded by Eckley to approve the DECA/Sports Marketing Club to attend The Prudential Center in Newark, NJ on Wednesday, March 30, 2011 from 3pm to 11pm.

**NOTE:**

Ms. Newman, the DECA Advisor along with Ms. Saia will accompany 20 students to attend the NJ Devils Hockey Game. The Board of Education will pay for transportation (1 bus).

Motion carried 7-0.

4. Motion by DeGirolamo, seconded by Eckley to approve students to be announced by SAC to attend the Traumatic Injury Prevention Program at Cooper Hospital in Camden, NJ on Friday, May 6, 2011 from 8:45am to 1pm.

**NOTE:**

Ms. Sanford, the SAC Counselor, will accompany 25 students to attend Cooper Hospital at no cost to the Board of Education.

Motion carried 7-0.

C. **TEACHERS & PERSONNEL** – STRANO, DeGirolamo, Brockway (Alternate: Crawford)

1. Motion by Strano, seconded by DeGirolamo to approve the petition of Melissa Castone High School Science Teacher, for a maternity leave of absence commencing on May 20, 2011 and terminating June 30, 2011, during which time her sick leave will be utilized.

**NOTE:**

Back-up was available.

Motion carried 7-0.

2. Motion by Strano, seconded by DeGirolamo to amend the motion of November 22, 2010 approving the petition of Laura Sandy, Middle School Math Teacher, for a maternity leave of absence ***beginning March 04, 2011 and terminating March 30, 2011***, during which time accumulated sick time will be utilized.

Motion carried 7-0.

3. Motion by Strano, seconded by DeGirolamo to amend the motion of November 22, 2010 approving the petition of Laura Sandy for a 12-week leave of absence under the provisions of the Family Leave Act immediately following her maternity leave of absence on ***March 31, 2011*** and extending until June 30, 2011.

Motion carried 7-0.

4. Motion by Strano, seconded by DeGirolamo to amend the motion of January 24, 2011 approving the hire of Thomas Kelly as a Substitute Replacement Teacher for 6<sup>th</sup> Grade Math at the Middle School, pending completion of all district and state requirements, ***commencing on March 7, 2011*** and terminating on June 30, 2011; compensation for services at M.A. Level 1; rate to be determined; ***with benefits***.

Motion carried 7-0.

5. Motion by Strano, seconded by DeGirolamo to approve Thomas Kelly as a 2/5 overload teacher beginning March 7, 2011 through April 21, 2011.

**NOTE:**

Mr. Kelly will be replacing Mrs. Sandy who is on maternity leave.

Motion carried 7-0.

6. Motion by Strano, seconded by DeGirolamo to approve Amanda Bairstow as Young Eagles Substitute Care Provider for the 2010-2011 school year, at a rate of \$11.63 per hour.

**NOTE:**

Ms. Bairstow is currently an Instructional Aide at Oakview; as such, does not require Emergent Hiring.

Motion carried 7-0.

**C. TEACHERS & PERSONNEL – continued**

7. Motion by Strano, seconded by DeGirolamo to approve the Emergent Hire of Melanie Beasley as a Green-Fields LPC Aide, pending completion of all district and state requirements, and to establish compensation for services at 10 hours per week; Level 1 rate to be determined; student calendar; without benefits.

**NOTE:**

1. Per the new regulations from the Office of Criminal History, emergent hiring is only permitted for three months. At the end of this period, if an approval letter has not yet been received regarding the criminal history check, the Commissioner of Education must be petitioned for an extension of two months.
2. Interim approval is to be obtained from the Gloucester County Department of Education. No new employee can begin employment without this interim approval.
3. Back-up was available.

Motion carried 7-0.

8. Motion by Strano, seconded by DeGirolamo to approve the Emergent Hire of Janet Monaghan-Fair as a Green-Fields LPC Aide, pending completion of all district and state requirements, and to establish compensation for services at 10 hours per week; Level 1 rate to be determined; student calendar; without benefits.

**NOTE:**

1. Per the new regulations from the Office of Criminal History, emergent hiring is only permitted for three months. At the end of this period, if an approval letter has not yet been received regarding the criminal history check, the Commissioner of Education must be petitioned for an extension of two months.
2. Interim approval is to be obtained from the Gloucester County Department of Education. No new employee can begin employment without this interim approval.
3. Back-up was available.

Motion carried 7-0.

9. Motion by Strano, seconded by DeGirolamo to approve the following Substitute Teacher for the 2010-2011 school year, pending completion of all district and state requirements:

Caldwell, Christine  
Graham, Nicole J.  
Scavuzzo, Samantha L.

DiClaudio, Mike J.  
Meginniss, Kimberly M.

**NOTE:**

1. Per the new regulations from the Office of Criminal History, emergent hiring is only permitted for three months. At the end of this period, if an approval letter has not yet been received regarding the criminal history check, the Commissioner of Education must be petitioned for an extension of two months.
2. The state has rescinded the waiver process to N.J.A.C. 6A:9-6.5(c) for the hiring of substitute teachers; therefore, either the candidates CHRU approval letter or an Emergent Hire form must accompany each substitute application.

Motion carried 7-0.



C. **TEACHERS & PERSONNEL** – continued

10. Motion by Strano, seconded by DeGirolamo to approve Eric Stanwood and Danielle Fisher as Middle School Assistant Track and Field Coaches for the 2010-2011 school year at a stipend to be determined.

**NOTE:**

The one stipend will be divided between the two coaches.

Motion carried 7-0.

11. Motion by Strano, seconded by DeGirolamo to approve the selection of Mr. Gaetan A. Pappalardo, Third Grade Teacher at Green-Fields School, as the West Deptford School District's 2011-2012 Teacher of the Year, following the rules and requirements of the program sponsored by the State Department of Education for New Jersey Teacher of the Year.

**NOTE:**

1. Mr. Pappalardo's application will be presented at the Board Meeting by Mr. Kitchenman.
2. The approved Teacher of the Year selection will also be the District's candidate to enter the Gloucester County selection process for County Teacher of the Year. Winners of the county program will go on to compete at the state level.

Motion carried 7-0.

12. Motion by Strano, seconded by DeGirolamo to approve the following resolution concerning the Governor's Teacher Recognition Program.

**RESOLUTION**

**WHEREAS:** the personnel records of the five staff members recommended for the Governor's Teacher Recognition Program have been reviewed by the Assistant Superintendent for Business and found to be devoid of recent sanctions or deficiencies.

**WHEREAS:** the following-named staff members have been selected to represent their schools as participants in the Governor's Teacher Recognition Program for the 2010-2011 School Year.

Brian M. Cross	Middle School
Joy P. Hill	Red Bank School
Noreen M. Mikulski	Oakview School
Lauren A. Newman	High School
Gaetan A. Pappalardo	Green-Fields School

Motion carried 7-0.

C. **TEACHERS & PERSONNEL** – continued

13. Motion by Strano, seconded by DeGirolamo to approve the Teacher/Student Calendar for the 2011-2012 school year.

**NOTE:**

Back-up was available.

Motion carried 7-0.

14. Motion by Strano, seconded by DeGirolamo to approve the Facilities Staff Calendar for the 2011-2012 school year.

**NOTE:**

Back-up was available.

Motion carried 7-0.

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D. **NEGOTIATIONS, PUPIL PLACEMENT, PROGRESS & WELFARE** – GOTCHEL, DiCarlo, Strano  
(Alternate: DeGirolamo)

1. Motion by Gotchel, seconded by Strano to approve, retroactive to March 7, 2011, 4 hours of home instruction for Student ID#16545, classified Eligible for Special Education and Related Services – S.L.D.; services to be provided by West Deptford Staff; reimbursement for services rendered to be at a rate to be determined.

**NOTE:**

This is a budgeted expense.

Motion carried 7-0.

2. Motion by Gotchel, seconded by Strano to approve, retroactive to February 1, 2011 through June 30, 2011, contracting with Gloucester County Special Services School District for the following in-home services for Student ID#10526, classified as Eligible for Special Education and Related Services – COMM., 2 hours per week of consultative services by a homebound program assistant at \$33.00 per hour for 36 hours, for a total of \$1,188 and 1 hour per month of an Autism Consultant at \$108 per hour for 5 hours, for a total of \$540; for a grand total of \$1,728.

**NOTE:**

This is a budgeted expense.

Motion carried 7-0.

D. **NEGOTIATIONS, PUPIL PLACEMENT, PROGRESS & WELFARE** – continued

3. Motion by Gotchel, seconded by Strano to approve, retroactive to February 25, 2011, 10 hours of home instruction weekly for Student ID#12066, classified Eligible for Special Education and Related Services – S.L.D.; services to be provided by West Deptford Staff; reimbursement for services to be rendered at a rate to be determined.

**NOTE:**

This is a budgeted expense.

Motion carried 7-0.

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E. **ATHLETIC, BAND & CAFETERIA** – HICKS, DiCarlo, Gotchel (Alternate: Brockway)

1. Motion by Hicks, seconded by Gotchel to approve the following School Musical Positions for the 2011 School Musical:

POSITION	NAME	SALARY
Choreographer	Joey Quaille	TBD
Set Designer	Shawn McGovern	TBD
Set Designer	Mary Rossiter	TBD
Costume Design (Chorographer)	Yvonne Herbst	TBD
Stage Manager	Allison Sheppard	TBD

Motion carried 7-0.

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F. **PROPERTY, BUILDINGS & TRANSPORTATION** – BROCKWAY, Strano, Hicks (Alternate: Eckley)

1. Motion by Brockway, seconded by Strano to **table** the use of facilities by outside organizations as noted below.
  - (1) Girl Scouts Hessian Woods to use the Middle School Cafeteria on May 13, 2011 from 6pm to 9pm; at no charge to the organization.

Motion carried 6-0-1.  
(Abstain-Hicks)

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F. **PROPERTY, BUILDINGS & TRANSPORTATION** – continued

- 1a. Motion by Brockway, seconded by Strano to approve the use of facilities by outside organizations as noted below.
- (2) West Deptford Basketball Club to use the High School Gymnasium on Mondays and Fridays beginning March 11, 2011 through April 29, 2011 (except for March 14, 2011) from 6pm to 8pm; at no charge to the organization.
  - (3) Women’s Club of West Deptford to use the Middle School Cafeteria on May 26, 2011 from 6pm to 9pm; at no charge to the organization.
  - (4) Miss West Deptford Scholarship Pageant to use the High School Cafeteria on August 3, 2011 from 5pm to 10pm; at no charge to the organization.
  - (5) Miss West Deptford Scholarship Pageant to use the High School Auditorium, Conference Room, Faculty Lounge and two set of bathrooms from August 1, 2011 through August 4, 2011 from 5pm to 10pm; at no charge to the organization.

Motion carried 6-0-1.  
(Abstain-Hicks)

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G. **POLICY & COMMUNITY RELATIONS** – ECKLEY, Brockway, DeGirolamo (Alternate: DiCarlo)

No action taken.

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**COURTESY EXTENDED TO VISITORS**

The following persons addressed the Board:

- John Hayden
  - Debbie Richman
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Motion by Hicks, seconded by Strano to adopt the following resolution to hold a closed session meeting after the completion of all agenda items in order to have the opportunity to discuss sensitive personnel issues, negotiations, student discipline issues, and litigation.

**RESOLUTION**

**WHEREAS:** Matters pertaining to sensitive personnel issues, negotiations, student discipline issues and litigation are proper topics for closed sessions under the Public Meetings Act, therefore, be it

**RESOLVED:** to hold a Closed Meeting of the West Deptford Board of Education for said purposes, and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED:**

to make available the results of the Closed Meeting in the minutes of this meeting or in subsequent actions of the Board of Education.

BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE  
TOWNSHIP OF WEST DEPTFORD  
IN THE COUNTY OF GLOUCESTER

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President

ATTEST:

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Secretary

Motion carried 7-0.

The Board recessed at 7:10pm

Motion by Hicks, seconded by Strano to reconvene Open Session.

Motion carried 7-0.

The Board convened Closed Session at 7:30pm.

The Board reconvened Open Session at 8:00pm.

**ACTION AFTER CLOSED SESSION:**

- Motion by Strano, seconded by Gotchel to approve the Closed Session minutes of February 28, 2011.

Motion carried 6-0-1.  
(Abstain-Hicks)

- Motion by Strano, seconded by Gotchel to adjourn the meeting at 8:02pm.

Motion carried 7-0.

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William H. Thompson  
Assistant Superintendent for Business/Board Secretary