

BOARD OF EDUCATION
WOLCOTT, CONNECTICUT

A Budget Hearing of the Board of Education's Finance Committee was held at Tyrrell Middle School on Monday, March 11, 2019. Present were: Lori DelBuono Bartlett, Chairman of the Board; Cynthia Mancini, Vice Chairman of the Board; Roberta Leonard, Thomas Buzzelli, Christopher Charette, Kathleen Cordone, Paul D'Angelo, Anthony Gugliotti, and Kelly Mazza, all Board Members. Also in attendance were: Dr. Anthony Gasper, Superintendent of Schools; Todd Bendtsen, Business Manager; and Jessica Kenny, Board Clerk.

The meeting was called to order at 6:00 p.m. by Mrs. DelBuono Bartlett.

Dr. Gasper, Superintendent of Schools, gave a presentation on the proposed 2019-2020 Wolcott Public Schools' Budget.

PUBLIC COMMENT:

The following Wolcott residents commented on the Superintendent's budget:

Edward Hawthorne, 53 Woodward Drive, stated that he believes that we should spend more money on Wolcott students. Mr. Hawthorn also spoke of the class sizes raising and the need to add an additional teacher at Frisbie.

Michele Raider, 3 Lakeside Drive, spoke of the Grade 1 class size at Frisbie and the need to add another teacher to Grade 2 for the 2019-2020 school year.

Jessica Tynan-Lynch, 13 Ridgecrest Drive, also spoke of the Frisbie class sizes and the need to add another teacher to Grade 2 for next school year.

Louise DeLeo, 31 Bergen Lane, spoke of the Frisbie Grade 1 class size as well and stated her belief that there needs to be another second grade teacher added to Frisbie for the 2019-2020 school year. Ms. DeLeo also stated that she would like to see a Math interventionist added to Grades K-2 starting next year.

APPROVED



Cynthia Mancini, Chairman
Finance Committee

ADJOURNMENT:

Motion: by Mrs. Mancini, seconded by Ms. Leonard, to adjourn at 7:32p.m.
 So voted.

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