

COMMUNICATIONS COMMITTEE MEETING  
Canterbury Board of Education  
Canterbury, Connecticut

Date: September 14, 2009  
Place: Superintendent's Office

Time: 9:00 a.m.

MEETING MINUTES

In attendance: Bob Droesch, Sally Peavey, Brian Sear, Janet Tyler

The members discussed the following:

- A. 2009-2010 Budget
  - The BOE is experiencing an influx of high school students. In addition, students and their parents are requesting a change in their school choice. These additional costs were not budgeted.
  - The Town will be asking for an additional appropriation for the trash site upgrade.
- B. Board activities
  - There will be a Special BOF meeting on September 15 to discuss the Tax Collector's proposal for community members to pay their bills online. Any additional costs incurred would be the responsibility of the tax payer.
  - The auditors will be completed by mid-November.
  - The March 2009 CMT scores were outstanding and will be presented with elaboration at the BOE Business Meeting on September 22.
- C. Round Table
  - Approximately \$39,500 from the ARRA energy grant will be used for an Energy Management System at CES. It will cover the cost of one zone.
  - Question: Would it be possible to bond the funding for the school roofs? A portion of the cost would be reimbursable by the State of CT.
  - CIP projected needs and plans were shared.
- D. Next meeting date: October 19, 2009