

COMMUNICATIONS COMMITTEE MEETING
Canterbury Board of Education
Canterbury, Connecticut

Date: February 9, 2009

Time: 9:00 a.m.

Place: Superintendent's Office

MINUTES

Present: Sally Peavey, Bob Droesch, Lee Wrigley, Janet Tyler

A. Update of Boards' Activities

- The BOF meeting on Tuesday night will address DHBMS' asbestos project funding. The BOE has received no documentation that the CIP funds, as identified by the auditors, are incorrect.
- There is \$460,000 in fund balance.

B. 2008-2009 Budget

- The education expenditures are down 12% from last year. the district has been on a semi-freeze since September 2008.

C. 2009-2010 Budget

- The CIP Budget must be reviewed for possible cuts.
- The letter from the BOF requesting a 0% increase to the budget is a guideline/request. The letter does not refer to not having funds to pay the current year's bills.

D. Round Table

- Discussion of Education Stimulus Package.
- The school district has not yet received the \$6700 check from the State of CT designated to pay for fuel to schools.

F. Next meeting date: March 9, 2009