



HAMDEN BOARD OF EDUCATION
ANNOUNCEMENT OF SPECIAL FINANCE COMMITTEE ZOOM MEETING

MINUTES

Saturday, May 30, 2020

Public Session: 9:00 AM

1. Call to order and roll call at 9:03 AM
Members present: Walter Morton, IV (Chair), Lynn Campo & Chris Daur
Administration present, Jody Goeler, Chris Melillo, Tom Ariola, Theresa Ott
Additional Board members: Roxana Walker-Canton
2. Public Comments- Read by Walter Morton, IV
Received from Kelly Riley, Scott Redman, Matthew Cole, Mindy Marks, Karen Alexander, Isabelle Stevenson wrote in to keep the funding for the Hamden Mainstage/HPS Fine Arts department stipend and Kareln Meisen and Shelby Irwin regarding the direction of the cuts proposed, Lauren Robyn and Courtney L. Connors regarding keeping the specialist positions and a parent in support of the Navigator program.
3. Information Item
 - a. Approval of the BOE 2020-2021 Budget Reductions
 - i. Tom Ariola presented on 560 series- series
 1. Discussion on what/if any cuts can be made to the Special Education budget
 2. Discussion on what/if any cuts can be made to the Technology budget and why has the technology
 3. Discussion on what/if any cuts can be made to the Adult Education budget
 4. Discussion of reduction of Athletic stipends
 5. Discussion of what/if any cuts can be made to the Operations lines
 6. Discussion of what/if any cuts can be made to Textbooks/Library Books
4. Comments from Board Members
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