

Woodstock Elementary School

Board of Directors Meeting
February 3, 2010

Unapproved Minutes

1. Call to order at 4:42
2. Approval of Minutes. Motion was made by Paige Hiller to approve minutes as submitted. Motion was seconded and passed.
3. Correspondence received from WEEA regarding negotiations. First joint negotiation meeting between RES/WES staff and boards will take place at WES on February 11, at 3:30PM.
4. Visitors Heather Rubenstein

5. Reports

Principal - In addition to report, Karen called Phil Swanson regarding lot next to school. Selectboard would like to meet with school board at some point. The item is not warned on the Town meeting warning. NECAP results were received and are in the process of review. WES results in both Math and Reading improved over 2008 data to 89% proficiency in reading and 78% in math. WES also performed better than the state average. Karen recommended Diana Van Dillewijn as a long term substitute for the Spanish Program to cover maternity leave of Mrs. Florin. Motion was made by Kristine Corey to approve Diana Van Dillewijn for long term substitute position. Motion was seconded by Paige Hiller. Diana has worked in both Hartford and WES as a substitute. She is currently licensed. Motion was passed.

Superintendent- NECAP scores at WUHSMS were down from previous and under state average. Teaching staff attributes lower scores to student efforts much more than student abilities. The trend in Woodstock was repeated statewide.

6. Action/Discussion

Board reviewed procedures and general discussion for town meeting including division of budget for discussion purposed, explanation of general procedure, revenue, tax calculations and other town report information.

7. Adjourn 5:30 PM.

Respectfully submitted by Alita Wilson, Clerk