MINUTES

Date of Meeting: November 12, 2008

Type of Meeting: Executive Session

Place of Meeting: Administration Building – Conference Room

Members Present: President Patrick E. Gallagher

Vice President Roy Lester

Board Member Franklin Alvarado Board Member Lynn Gergen Board Member Dennis Ryan

Members Absent: None

Others Present: Dr. Robert Greenberg, Superintendent

Dr. Randie Berger, Deputy Superintendent

Ms. Helen Cheliotes, Assistant Superintendent -

Curriculum and Instruction

Mr. Michael DeVito, Chief Operating Officer

Mr. Tom Ritzenthaler, A1A, C+S Arch

Mr. Nick DiLeo, C+S Arch

Mr. Steve Spangler, Savin Engineers Mr. Pepin Accilien, Savin Engineers Ms. Gail Perogine, Savin Engineers

Mr. Terry Gilberti, Syntax Communications

Ms. Eileen Lilly, District Clerk

President Gallagher called for a motion to go into executive session at 6:30 PM to discuss real estate matters and pending and proposed legal matters.

Motion by: Board Member Alvarado Seconded by: Board Member Gergen

Approved: 5-0

President Gallagher called for a motion to adjourn the executive session at 7:55 PM.

Motion by: Vice President Lester Seconded by: Board Member Ryan

Approved: 5-0

Motion to Go into

Executive Session

Adjournment

Minutes

Date of Meeting:

November 12, 2008

Type of Meeting:

Regular Meeting

Place of Meeting:

Middle School – Auditorium

Members Present:

President Patrick E. Gallagher

Vice President Roy Lester

Board Member Franklin Alvarado Board Member Lynn Gergen Board Member Dennis Ryan

Members Absent:

None

Others Present:

Dr. Robert Greenberg, Superintendent

Dr. Randie Berger, Deputy Superintendent

Ms. Helen Cheliotes, Assistant Superintendent -

Curriculum and Instruction

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Mr. Tom Ritzenthaler, A1A, C+S Arch

Mr. Nick DiLeo, C+S Arch

Mr. George Halasz, Lewis Engineering Mr. Steve Spangler, Savin Engineers Mr. Michael Melocoton, Savin Engineers Mr. Pepin Accilien, Savin Engineers

Ms. Gail Perogine, Savin Engineers

Mr. Terry Gilberti, Syntax Communications

Ms. Eileen Lilly, District Clerk

I. Pledge of Allegiance and Opening Remarks President Gallagher:

 Called the meeting to order at 8:07 PM and led the community in the Pledge of Allegiance Call to Order and Pledge

 Announced that the presentation of the School Preservation Plan would supersede the other items on tonight's agenda

Presentation of School Preservation Plan

President Gallagher:

Provided a brief history of the Envisioning process, introduced the School Preservation Plan and called on Board Member Alvarado who provided a detailed outline of the Plan at a cost of \$98.9 million. The Presentation is attached to these minutes.

II. President Gallagher called for Questions and Comments on the School Preservation Plan.

Ms. Sherri Miranda – 274 Harbor Drive, Lido Beach, NY

Commented on and inquired about traffic control and parking

Questions and Comments from the Public on School Preservation Plan

Ms. Wendi Klein – ASPPG, President

- Congratulated the Board on the Plan
- Inquired about:
 - (1) New location of the Pre-K
 - (2) Middle School science labs

Ms. Sarah Nicholas - 326 East Pine Street

- Requested that the presentation be put on the website
- Encouraged the incorporation of environmental green standards wherever possible
- Inquired about and was informed that the District is in the process of surrendering its debt, that it is fiscally sound and maintains a good bond rating

Mr. Ben Shapiro - 20 Forrester Street

Inquired about the use of East School

Mr. Elliott Posner – 551 West Hudson Street

- Expressed concern about the possible use of astro turf on fields
- Asked the Board which plans it was most reluctant to set aside

Ms. Mindy Warshaw – 15 Boyd Street

- Expressed support of the plans for Blackheath and Lido and also that East School would eventually be used for the Adult Learning Center instead of renting space for that purpose
- Commented on and inquired about the District's bond rating
- Supported the idea of putting more money into capital improvement and the continuation of Five Year Capital Plans

Mr. Henry Cuttler – 14 Carousel Lane

- Expressed support for the Plan
- Advocated the use of solar panels
- III. President Gallagher called for Questions and Comments on Tonight's Agenda Only.

Questions and Comments on Tonight's Agenda Only

Ms. Mindy Warshaw – 15 Boyd Street

- Inquired about Certificated Personnel item VI 1 e (1) and item VI 5 Approval of Contract, and timing of a bond.
- IV. President Gallagher called for Approval of Treasurer's Report: Period ending September 30, 2008.

Resolution # 65 Approval of Treasurer's Report

Motion by: Board Member Gergen Seconded by: Board Member Alvarado

Approved: 5-0

V. President Gallagher called for Board of Education Comments.

Board of Education Comments

Board Member Ryan

VI. Commented on fiscal prudence and inquired about item VI 1 (h).

VI. President Gallagher called for the Presentations of the Superintendent.

Dr. Greenberg recommended the following items in a combined vote.

- 1. Personnel Matters: Certificated
- 2. Personnel Matters: Non-Certificated

President Gallagher called for a motion.

Motion by: Board Member Gergen
Seconded by: Board Member Alvarado

Resolution #66

Presentations of the Superintendent

Personnel Matters

- 1. Certificated Pages: 6-14 and 17
- 2. Non-Certificated Pages: 15-16 and 17

RESOLUTIONS

BE IT RESOLVED THAT, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education approves the following personnel actions.

I. CERTIFICATED PERSONNEL

(a) Resignations

(1) Name Erin Baker

Assign/Loc: Part Time Teacher Assistant/Hebrew

Academy of Long Beach

Effective Date: October 4, 2008

(2) Name Mary Ellen McEntee

Assign/Loc: Science Teacher/high school

Effective Date: January 30, 2008

(b) Request for Leaves of Absence: Maternity

Name: Katherine McCullagh

Assign./Loc: Elementary Teacher/East School Effective Dates: February 23, 2009-April 6, 2009

Name: Amy Powers

Assign./Loc: Guidance Counselor/high school
Effective Dates: March 4, 2009-June 30, 2009

(c) Appointment: Regular Substitute School Media Specialist (Library)

Name Adam Smith

Assign/Loc: Regular Substitute School Media

Specialist (Library)/East School

Certification: Provisional Time Extension Pre K-6

Supplemental Services Library Media

Specialist

Effective Dates: February 1, 2009-June 30, 2009 (or earlier at

the district's discretion)

Tenure Area: School Media Specialist

Salary Classification: BA+30/Step 1 (\$57,063* per annum)

Reason: To replace Patricia Barrett

*Subject to negotiations

(d) Appointment: Regular Substitute Teacher of Speech and Hearing Handicapped

Name:

Tammy Neumann

Assign./Loc:

Regular Substitute Teacher of Speech

and Hearing Handicapped/West and

East Schools

Certification:

Permanent Teacher of Speech and

Hearing Handicapped

Effective Dates:

December 1, 2008-June 30, 2009

Tenure Area:

General Special Education-Speech and

Hearing Handicapped

Salary Classification:

MA/Step 8 (\$77,211* per annum)

prorated

Reason:

To replace Lois Jankeloff

*Subject to negotiations

(e) Appointment: Probationary Teacher Assistants

(1) Name:

Elizabeth Miller

Assign./Loc:

Probationary Teacher Assistant/high

school-Dean's Office

Certification:

Continuing Teacher Assistant

Effective Date:

November 13, 2008 November 12, 2011

Ending Date: Tenure Date:

November 13, 2011

Tenure Area:

Teaching Assistant \$38,590 per annum (prorated)

Salary Classification: Grade/Step:

Grade IV/Step 14 (Secondary)

Reason:

Replacement for two part time positions

(2) Name:

Amy Teemer-Deale

Assign./Loc:

Probationary Teacher Assistant/Lindell

School

Certification:

Continuing Teacher Assistant

Effective Date:

November 13, 2008 November 12, 2011

Ending Date: Tenure Date:

November 13, 2011

Tenure Area:

Teaching Assistant

Salary Classification: Grade/Step:

\$35,999 per annum (prorated) Grade IV/Step 13 (Elementary)

Reason:

CSE recommendation-new-tuition

reimbursement

*corrected page

Appointment: Part Time Temporary Teacher Assistants (17.5) **(f)** Hours)

(1) Name: Michelle Brown

> Temporary Part Time Teacher Assign./Loc.:

Assistant, 17.5 hours per

week/Lido School-Dual Language

Certification: Initial Literacy B-2

Initial Early Childhood Education

B-2

Initial Childhood Education 1-6

Effective Date: November 13, 2008-June 26,

2009 (or earlier at the district's

discretion)

\$16.33 per hour Salary Classification: Grade II/Step 1 Grade/Step:

Reason: Replacement for Ludy Curiel

(grant funded)

(2)Name: Samantha Sloane

> Assign./Loc.: **Temporary Part Time Teacher**

> > Assistant, 17.5 hours per

week/Middle School

Certification: Level I-Teacher Assistant

Effective Date: November 17*, 2008-June 26,

2009 (or earlier at the district's

discretion)

\$16.33 per hour Salary Classification: Grade/Step:

Grade II/Step 1

Reason: **CSE** Recommendation-new

(3)Name: Stephanie Kornacki

> Assign./Loc.: Temporary Part Time Teacher

Assistant, 17.5 hours per

week/high school

Certification: Level I-Teacher Assistant

(pending)

Effective Date: November 13, 2008-June 26,

2009 (or earlier at the district's

discretion)

\$16.33 per hour Salary Classification:

Grade/Step: Grade II/Step 1 Replacement Reason:

(f) Appointment: Part Time Temporary Teacher Assistants (17.5 Hours) cont:

(4) Name:

Mary Ann Deely

Assign./Loc.:

Temporary Part Time Teacher

Assistant, 17.5 hours per

week/West School

Certification:

Level I-Teacher Assistant

Internship Childhood Education

1-6

Internship Students with

Disabilities 1-6

Effective Date:

November 13, 2008-June 26,

2009 (or earlier at the district's

discretion)

Salary Classification:

\$16.33 per hour Grade II/Step 1

Grade/Step:

Reason:

Kindergarten-New

(5) Name:

Christina Perrone

Assign./Loc.:

Temporary Part Time Teacher

Assistant, 17.5 hours per

week/West School

Certification:

Level I-Teacher Assistant

Effective Date:

November 13, 2008-June 26,

2009 (or earlier at the district's

discretion)

Salary Classification:

\$16.33 per hour

Grade/Step:

Grade II/Step 1

Reason:

CSE recommendation-New

(6) Name:

Michelle Block

Assign./Loc.:

Temporary Part Time Teacher

Assistant, 17.5 hours per

week/East School

Certification:

Level I-Teacher Assistant

Effective Date:

November 17, 2008-June 26,

2009 (or earlier at the district's

discretion)

Salary Classification:

\$16.33 per hour

Grade/Step:

Grade II/Step 1

Reason:

CSE recommendation-New

(f) Appointment: Part Time Temporary Teacher Assistants (17.5 Hours) cont:

(7) Name:

Gregory Northrop

Assign./Loc.:

Temporary Part Time Teacher

Assistant, 17.5 hours per

week/Lindell School

Certification:

Level I-Teacher Assistant

(pending)

Effective Date:

November 13, 2008-June 26,

2009 (or earlier at the district's

discretion)

Salary Classification:

\$16.33 per hour

Grade/Step:

Grade II/Step 1

Reason:

CSE recommendation-

replacement

(g) Appointment: Saturday Academy for the 2008-2009 School Year as needed-Rate of Pay: \$65.36* per hour-Maximum hours 25*Subject to negotiations

Courtney Elliott Denise Callahan Heather Fisher

(h) Appointment: Supervisors for Saturday Academy for the 2008-2009 School Year as needed-Rate of Pay: \$70.28 per session-Maximum hours 25

> Barbara Vahey Samantha Sloane

(i) Appointment: After School ASD Program –Temporary Teacher Assistants– 2008-2009 School Year-Rate of Pay: According to Contract

Patricia Cody

(j) Appointment: Interscholastic High School Coach/Winter 2008-2009

Cedric Ward-Volunteer Basketball

(k) Appointment: Afterschool, Evening Test Preparation and Regents Review Program-65.36* per hour for the 2008-2009 school year-as needed

*Subject to negotiations

English

- 1. Jessica Beattie
- 2. Steven Bialick
- 3. Tara Brady
- 4. Gail Davis
- 5. Robert Epstein
- 6. Elena Frishman
- 7. Maria Hartmann

- 8. Matthew Hartmann
- 9. Joseph Jeremias
- 10. Rachel Koegel
- 11. Tamara Mancusi
- 12. Jeanne O'Shea
- 13. Toni Weiss

Social Studies

- 1. Raymond Adams
- 2. Jonathan Bloom
- 3. Lisa Casey
- 4. Tinetta Cavis
- 5. Christine Graham
- 6. Kenneth Gutwein
- 7. Kevin Lawlor

- 8. Elizabeth Levin
- 9. Diane Maier
- 10. Gregory Milone
- 11. Brian Petschauer
- 12. Andrew Smith
- 13. Carmine Verde

Mathematics

- 1. Kristy Altebrando
- 2. Rosemary McComb Amorini
- 3. Daniel Bobis
- 4. Stephanie Bragino
- 5. Patricia Fallon
- 6. James Fiola
- 7. Leslie Gilbert

- 8. Jill Katz
- 9. Ellen McElroy
- 10. Jenna Schebler
- 11. Arkadiy Simonovsky
- 12. Jay Spitz
- 13. Frank Volpe

Science

- 1. Pamela Bankey
- 2. Lorraine DeFilippis
- 3. Michelle Duggan
- 4. William Gibson
- 5. Julie Gobetz
- 6. Daniel Gowens
- 7. Megan Grahlfs
- 8. Julie Hall
- 9. Jenny Korn

- 10. Liza Landa
- 11. Cherie Mannarino
- 12. Cody Onufrock
- 13. Gary Ribis
- 14. Amber Tobia
- 15. Robyn Tornabene
- 16. Linda Trusz
- 17. Karen Bloom

(I) Appointment: After School Programs – Lindell School – 2008-2009 School Year-Rate of Pay: \$49.20* per hour -*Subject to negotiations

Name	Program	Maximum Hours
1. Juan Gil	5 th Grade Basketball	15
2. Linda Sandman	4 th and 5 th grade Computer Club	15
Mary Miller	1 st and 2 nd grade Crafty Craft Club	15
4. Susan Weinstock		15
5. Adrian Gioulis	3 rd and 4 th grade Multi-Cultural Expression	15
6. Edith Guzman	3 rd and 4 th grade Multi-Cultural Expression	15

(m) Appointment: After School Programs – Lido School – 2008-2009 School Year-Rate of Pay: \$49.20* per hour -*Subject to negotiations

	Name	Program	Maximum Hours
1.	Marie Bove	3 rd , 4 th and 5 th grade Games	30
2	Marie Bove	with Numbers 3 rd , 4 th and 5 th grade Math and	30
۷.	Maric Bove	Literature	30
3.	Tony Stricklin	4 th and 5 th grade Chess Club	10
4.	Tony Stricklin	4 th and 5 th grade Badminton	10
5.	Shelly Cepeda	5 th grade Lido Civic Society	10
6.	Teriann Eidt	4 th grade Lido Civic Society	10
7.	Thomas Burke	4 th and 5 th grade Soccer	20

(n) Appointment: After School Programs – East School – 2008-2009 School Year-Rate of Pay: \$49.20* per hour -*Subject to negotiations

Name	Program	Maximum Hours
Nancy Morton	Drama Club	7.5
Hillary Nussdorf	Drama Club	7.5
Jacqui Byrne	Chess Club	15
Jennifer Pardue	Student Government	15
Reginald Mines	Safety Patrol	15
Jennifer Pardue	Newsletter	6
Sara Hagen	Environmental	6
Jacqueline Suskind	Fitness	10
	Nancy Morton Hillary Nussdorf Jacqui Byrne Jennifer Pardue Reginald Mines Jennifer Pardue Sara Hagen	Nancy Morton Hillary Nussdorf Jacqui Byrne Jennifer Pardue Reginald Mines Jennifer Pardue Sara Hagen Drama Club Chess Club Student Government Safety Patrol Newsletter Environmental

(o) Appointment: After School Programs – West School – 2008-2009 School Year-Rate of Pay: \$49.20* per hour -*Subject to negotiations

Name	Program	Maximum Hours
June Schecter	Student Government	10
Lisa Dionisio	Student Government	10
Cheryleann Fontenot	Love of Signing	8
4. Kara Farrell	Dance Dance	8
Linda Fuller	Chess Club	6
6. Linda Fuller	Comic Strip Club	6
7. Lisa Dionisio	Scrapbooking	8
8. Elizabeth Lebowitz	Games Galore	8
Denise Collins	Art Club	12
10. Donna Fee	Lego Club	6

(p) Appointment: After School "Sandcastles" Program /West School 2008-2009 School Year – Club Advisors - Rate of Pay: \$49.20 per hour - Supervisors-Rate of Pay: \$54.83 per session-Grant Funded

1. Linda Brace	13. Pamela Garfinkle	25. Diana O'Farrell
2. Shamika Brown	14. Michele Golub	26. Angela O'Neill
Brittany Byers	15. Nancy Hopkins	27. Yudelka O'Sullivan
Yvonne Byers	16. Maryann Hommel	28. Kerry Rivera
Darice Bynoe	17. Nancy Hurst	29. Tara Roesch
Maureen Clarke	18. Margaret Laurino	30. Linda Sandman
Patricia Cody	19. Elizabeth Lebowitz	31. Mindy Scanlan
8. Patricia Crean	20. Elvira Luzzo	32. Barbara Vahey
Anita Daniels	21. Susanne Maslioja	33. Rosalie Weinberger
10. Lisa Dionisio	22. Stephanie McAvoy	34. Linda Wren
11. Linda Farrell	23. Eileen McDonald	35. Laura Yavorcik
12. Linda Fuller	24. Linda McKasty	

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(q) Appointment: Per Diem Substitute Teachers 2008-2009 School Year

(1) Name: Irene Jimenez

Certification: Initial Mathematics 7-12 (in process)

(2) Name: Kyle Pearl

Certification: Initial Childhood Education 1-6 (in process)

(r) Reclassifications:

Name	Assignments	New Class	Effective Date
 Laura Borawski 	Teacher/Elementary	MA+20	9/1/08
Marino Bragino	Teacher/Music	MA+40	9/1/08
Doris Castro	Teacher/For Language	MA	9/1/08
Michael Dotzler	Teacher/Mathematics	MA+50	9/1/08
Jaclyn Eiger	Teacher/S&HH	MA+10	9/1/08
Heather Fisher	Teacher/Reading	MA+30	9/1/08
Michelle Frank	Teacher/English	MA	9/1/08
Glenn Gartung	School Social Worker	MA+50	9/1/08
Michael Glasstein	Teacher/Science	MA+50	9/1/08
10. Amy Goldenberg	Teacher/Elementary	MA+50	9/1/08
11.Lauren Harold	Teacher/English	MA+20	9/1/08
12. Eric Heck	Teacher/Technology	MA+40	9/1/08
13.Barbara Hirsch	Teacher/Library Media	MA+80	2/1/09
14. Leslie Ling	Teacher/ESL	MA+10	9/1/08
15. Mary Miller	Teacher/Phys Ed	MA+10	9/1/08
16. Lauren Osnato	Teacher/Music	MA+80	9/1/08
17.Maria Parada	Teacher/Elementary	MA+80	9/1/08
18. Jennifer Pardue	Teacher/Reading	MA+10	9/1/08
19. Amy Powers	School Counselor	MA+70	9/1/08
20. John Rooney	Teacher/Science	MA+80	9/1/08
21. Lindsay Van Sickle	Teacher/For Language	MA+10	9/1/08
22. Kathryn Virgona	Teacher/Elementary	MA+70	9/1/08
23. Michael Vitale	School Counselor	MA+60*	9/1/08

(a) Resignation for the Purpose of Retirement

Name: Angela Summa

Assign./Loc.: Part Time Lunch Aide/Lido School

Effective Date: October 22, 2008

(b) Appointment: Part Time Lunch Aide

Name: Jeanine Herbst

Assign./Loc: Part Time Lunch Aide (15 hrs per

week)/Lido School

Effective Date: November 13, 2008
Salary Classification: \$13.48 per hour

Grade/Step: Grade 1/Step 1

Reason: To replace Angela Summa

(c) Appointment: Part Time Food Service Workers

(1) Name: Isabella Mooney

Assign./Loc: Part Time Food Service Worker (17.5

hrs per week/Breakfast)/Lindell School

Effective Date: November 13, 2008
Salary Classification: \$11.58 per hour

Grade/Step: Grade 1/Step 1

Reason: To replace Audrey Hunter

(2) Name: Roseann Crescimanno

Assign./Loc: Part Time Food Service Worker (17.5)

hrs per week/Lunch)/high school

Effective Date: November 13, 2008

Salary Classification: \$11.58 per hour Grade/Step: Grade 1/Step 1

Reason: To replace Tracy Gaines

(d) Recommended Action: Approval of the schedules of the Fall 2008 Saturday Morning Enrichment Program Instructional Personnel as follows (subject to sufficient enrollment and satisfactory performance):

Instructors	Course	Hours	Hourly Rate	Maxi- mum
Shoni Brown	Hip Hop/Aerobics	20	\$25	500
Michelle Stone	Yoga for Kids	20	\$25	500
Student Assistant				
Laura Durandis		20	\$7.75	155
Griffen Shapiro		20	\$7.75	155
Lisa Zozzaro		20	\$7.75	155

(e) The following Per Diem personnel are recommended for approval for the 2008-2009 school year:

Corinne Kennedy-Teacher Assistant Pamela Smith-Nurse Rosa Echeverria-Food Service Maria Rodriguez-Food Service

(f) Completion of Probationary Appointment

The staff members listed below have completed their probationary appointments, and have received satisfactory evaluations and are hereby recommended for permanent appointment.

(1) Name:	Li-Ing Woo
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Assign./Loc.: Account Clerk/Administration-

Business Office

Effective Date: November 20, 2008

(2) Name: Deborah O'Connell

Assign./Loc.: Secretary I/Literacy and Title I

Services

Effective Date: December 9, 2008

(3) Name: Nicole Romano

Assign./Loc.: Secretary I/Middle School-

Curriculum Director's Office

Effective Date: December 30, 2008

BE IT RESOLVED THAT, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education hereby designates the appointments of the following individuals as emergency conditional appointments, pursuant to chapter 147 of the Laws of 2001:

Name	Assignment	Effective
Date	_	
Carol Buonanno	Secretary I	11/12/08
Roseann Crescimanno	Food Service Worker	11/12/08
Jennifer Danzig	Clerical Sub	11/12/08
Caroline Ferrante	Keyboard Specialist	11/12/08
Tina Fisher	Teacher Assistant	11/12/08
Jeremy Ganeles	Teacher Assistant	11/12/08
Isabella Mooney	Food Service Worker	11/12/08
Christina Perrone	Teacher Assistant	11/12/08
Jeanne Romero	Teacher Assistant	11/12/08
Brad Wofsy	Teacher Assistant	11/12/08

VI. 3. Dr. Greenberg recommended the First Reading of Revised Policy #6610.1: Transfer Authorization.

First Reading of Revised Policy 6610.1: Transfer Authorization

VI. 4. Dr. Greenberg recommended the APPROVAL OF BUDGET TRANSFERS

Resolution #67
Approval of Budget Transfers

BE IT RESOLVED that, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education approves the requested budget transfers.

President Gallagher called for a motion.

Motion by:

Board Member Alvarado

Seconded by:

Board Member Gergen

Approved:

5-0

VI. 5. Dr. Greenberg recommended the APPROVAL OF CONTRACT

Resolution #68
Approval of Contract

BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of

Education authorizes the Superintendent of Schools to execute the contract with CS Arch for architectural and engineering design services for the purpose of an expedited review by the State Education Department in the amount of \$333,235.

President Gallagher called for a motion.

Motion by:

Board Member Gergen

Seconded by:

Board Member Ryan

Approved:

5-0

VI. 6. Dr. Greenberg recommended the APPROVAL OF DISPOSITION OF SURPLUS EQUIPMENT

Resolution #69
Approval of Disposition of Surplus Equipment

BE IT RESOLVED that, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education authorizes the disposition of outdated computer equipment and its donation to needy families.

Motion by:

Board Member Lester

Seconded by:

Board Member Gergen

Approved:

5-0

VI. 7. Dr. Greenberg recommended PAYMENT OF LEGAL BILLS: LEGAL SERVICES

Resolution #70
Payment of Legal Bills

BE IT RESOLVED that, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education authorizes expenditures in the amount of \$6,375.42 to the firm of Ingerman, Smith, L.L.P. for the monthly retainer and extraordinary legal services rendered during the period of September 1, 2008 through September 30, 2008.

President Gallagher called for a motion.

Motion by:

Board Member Lester

Seconded by:

Board Member Gergen

Approved:

5-0

VI. 8. Dr. Greenberg recommended USE OF SCHOOLS

Resolution #71 Use of Schools

BE IT RESOLVED, that upon the

recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education approves the use of schools as attached.

President Gallagher called for a motion.

Motion by:

Board Member Ryan

Seconded by:

Board Member Alvarado

Approved:

5-0

VII. 9. Dr. Greenberg recommended the addendum item, APPROVAL OF CONTRACT

Resolution #72 Addendum Item: Approval of Contract – Savin Engineers, P.C.

BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of

Education authorizes the Superintendent of Schools to execute the contract with Savin Engineers, P.C. for construction management for the Middle School gym roof and floor replacement and the High School Elevator in the amount of \$38,500.

President Gallagher called for a motion.

Motion by:

Board Member Alvarado

Seconded by:

Board Member Gergen

Approved:

5-0

VIII. President Gallagher called for Questions and Comments from the Public.

Questions and Comments from the Public

Ms. Sarah Nicholas – 326 East Pine Street

- Commented favorably on the Frost Valley trip
- Requested enforcement of the No Idling Policy for buses used for Frost Valley trip.
- Expressed opposition to astro turf in fields
- Recommended having Patty Wood as a resource person concerning fields

IX. President Gallagher called for Announcements.

Announcements

- 1. Long Beach Classroom Teachers' Association No comments
- 2. Administrative, Supervisory and PPS Group Ms. Wendi Klein
 - Praised tonight's presentation
- 3. LBPS Group C Employees Association No comments

- 4. Parent/Teacher Association Ms. Tricia Barbato, Co-President CCPTA
 - Praised tonight's presentation
 - Thanked the Board for their work
 - Requested that the Board check out astro turf

PTSA - Ms. Cathy Musk

- Thanked the Board for their work on the Envisioning Plan and the Master Plan
- Inquired about the timing of the High School science labs

Student Organization - No comments

X. President Gallagher called for Board of Education Comments.

Board of Education Comments

Board Member Ryan

- Thanked those in attendance tonight
- Commented on the need for community support

President Gallagher

 Praised staff and students for the Veterans' Day celebration conducted by team 7-1 at the Middle School and noted that Newsday did an article on it

XI. President Gallagher called for a motion to adjourn.

Adjournment

Motion by:

Board Member Gergen

Seconded by:

Board Member Ryan

The meeting adjourned at 9:30 PM.

Minutes submitted by

Eileen Lilly, District Clerk November 25, 2008

Eileen Lully