

March 4, 2008

The regular budget/planning meeting of the Board of Education of the Freeport Union Free School District was held on Wednesday, March 4, 2008, in the cafeteria of the Caroline G. Atkinson School., Mr. Ronald Ellerbe, Vice President of the Board of Education, called the meeting to order at 7:45 p.m. He then led in the pledge of allegiance.

Those present were: Mr. Ronald Ellerbe, Vice President
 Ms. Debra Mulé, Trustee
 Ms. Carmen J. Piñeyro, Trustee
 Mr. Michael Pomerico, Trustee

Absent were: Ms. Debra McQuillan, President

Also present were: Dr. Eric L. Eversley, Superintendent of Schools
 Mr. Kishore Kuncham, Deputy Superintendent of Schools
 Dr. Mary Bediako, Assistant Superintendent for
 Personnel & Clerk of the Board
 Dr. Raymond McCloat, Interim Assistant Superintendent for
 Curriculum and Instruction
 Mr. Michael Singleton, Interim Executive Director of Operations

Also absent were: none

The number of people in the audience at the opening of the meeting was 7.

Superintendent's Report

Dr. Eric L. Eversley, Superintendent of Schools, welcomed everyone to the meeting. He gave a brief overview of the budget process and then introduced Mr. Kishore Kuncham, Deputy Superintendent of Schools.

Mr. Kuncham gave a power point presentation on the program component of the budget for the 2008-2009 school year. He also thanked his staff for all their efforts and assistance. Mr. Kuncham then addressed any questions the Board had.

Board Discussion

The Board discussed the Community Outreach Committee minutes.

Questions from the Public

The public was then given the opportunity to address the Board of Education. Each speaker was allowed to address the Board for four minutes on any topic. The Board and administration addressed the comments from the public.

Adjournment

At 9:15 p.m., with no other business, on a motion by Ms. Mulé and seconded by Mr. Pomerico, the Board adjourned the meeting. The vote was unanimous: Ellerbe, Mulé, Piñeyro and Pomerico.

Next Meeting

The next regularly scheduled meeting of the Board of Education will be an action meeting on March 12, 2008 at Caroline G. Atkinson School.

Respectfully submitted,

Mary R. Bediako
Clerk of the Board