
**Freeport Public Schools
235 N Ocean Avenue
Freeport, NY 11520-2135**

**Minutes of the Board of Education Meeting of
October 8, 2004**

A special meeting of the Board of Education of the Freeport Union Free School District was held on Friday, October 8, 2004 in the Board Room of the Administration Building , 235 North Ocean Avenue , Freeport , New York . Ms. Piñeyro, President of the Board, called the meeting to order at 7:40 p.m. and she led in the pledge of allegiance.

Those present were:

- Ms. Carmen Piñeyro, President
- Ms. Debra McQuillan, Vice President
- Mr. Michael Raab, Trustee
- Ms. Sunday F. Coward, Trustee
- Mr. Ronald Ellerbe, Trustee

Absent was:

- none

Also present:

- Dr. Eric Eversley, Superintendent of Schools
- Mr. Kishore Kuncham, Assistant Superintendent for Business

Absent was:

- Dr. Mary Bediako, Assistant Superintendent for Personnel & Clerk of the Board
- Mr. Robert Harris, Executive Director for Curriculum, School Improvement, Professional Development and Planning

- Mr. Michael Singleton, Interim Executive Director of Operations

Guests were:

- Peter Rodriguez and Vince Cullen of Coughlin Foundotos Cullen & Danowski, LLP, Certified Public Accountants

There were no members of the public present at the opening of the meeting.

Superintendent's Report

Dr. Eric Eversley, Superintendent of Schools, welcomed the Board and introduced Peter Rodriguez and Vince Cullen of Coughlin Foundotos Cullen & Danowski, LLP, Certified Public Accountants. Mr. Rodriguez and Mr. Cullen conducted a financial workshop for the Board. Some of the issues addressed were: types of audits, internal control systems, annual audits and school district financial operations.

Following the workshop, Mr. Kishore Kuncham, Assistant Superintendent for Business, listed several issues that the Board may choose to discuss in future meetings.

The Board reviewed the tentative agenda for Saturday, October 9, 2004 and determined to defer certain items for future discussion by the Board.

Adjournment

At 10:40 p.m. , with no other business, Mr. Raab moved to adjourn the meeting. The motion was seconded by Mr. Ellerbe and unanimously carried: Coward, Ellerbe, McQuillan, Piñeyro, and Raab.

Next Meeting

The next meeting of the Board of Education will be Saturday , October 9, 2004 at 8:00 a.m. in the Board room of the Administration Building .

Respectfully submitted,

Eric L. Eversley, Ed. D
Clerk Pro Tem

