

**BOARD OF EDUCATION  
POCANTICO HILLS CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT  
599 Bedford Road  
Pocantico Hills  
Sleepy Hollow, New York 10591**

Budget Workshop Meeting  
Saturday, March 7, 2009

The Budget Workshop Meeting of the Board of Education of the Pocantico Hills Central School District was held on Saturday, March 7 at 10:07 a.m. in the School Library, Bedford Road, Sleepy Hollow, and New York.

With no objection from the Board, Vice President Katherine Yu called the Budget Workshop Meeting to order at 10:07 a.m.

**CALL TO ORDER**

Superintendent Freddie D. Smith led the pledge of allegiance.

**PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

Present: Robert Balog, President (arrived at 10:55 a.m.)  
Katherine Yu, Vice President  
John Conrad, Trustee  
Maurice Curran, Trustee (departed meeting at 11:00 a.m. returned at 12:25 p.m.)  
David Wilens, Trustee (arrived 10:20 a.m.)

**ROLL CALL**

Also Present: Freddie D. Smith, Superintendent  
Jay Scotto-Friedman, Assistant Superintendent  
Gina L. Downes, District Clerk

**Superintendent Announcements:** There were no Superintendent/Board Announcements.

**SUPERINTENDENT / BOARD ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**Review of 2009-2010 Draft Budget and Significant Budgetary Considerations:** Assistant Superintendent Jay Scotto-Friedman presented the proposed draft of the preliminary 2009-2010 school budget.

**SPECIAL PRESENTATION**  
Review of 2009-2010 Draft Budget and Significant Budgetary Considerations

**Hearing from those Present:** Community members expressed concerns regarding the 2009-2010 school budget.

**HEARING FROM THOSE PRESENT**

**Executive Session:** On a motion by Trustee Maurice Curran, seconded by Trustee John Conrad and passed unanimously 5-0 the Board moved into Executive Session at 12:50 p.m. to personnel. (Vice President Katherine Yu departed Executive Session at 1:55 p.m.)

**EXECUTIVE SESSION**

**Executive Session Adjournment:** On a motion by Trustee John Conrad, seconded by Trustee David Wilens and passed unanimously 4-0 the Board adjourned from Executive Session at 2:35 p.m.

**ADJOURNMENT FROM EXECUTIVE SESSION INTO REGULAR SESSION**

**Adjournment:** On a motion by Trustee David Wilens, seconded by Trustee John Conrad and passed unanimously 4-0 the Board adjourned the Budget Workshop at 2:35 p.m.

**ADJOURNMENT  
FROM REGULAR  
SESSION**

Respectfully submitted,  
Gina L. Downes  
District Clerk

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Katherine Yu, School Board Vice President

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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Gina L. Downes, District Clerk

Date: \_\_\_\_\_