

MINUTES
RYE CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT
BOARD OF EDUCATION WORK SESSION
Rye Middle School Multipurpose Room
October 24, 2006

The meeting was called to order by Mr. Culyer at 8:10 P.M.. who announced that the sole topic for the work session was the elementary math curriculum, and the roll was called.

Present

Mr. James Culyer, *President*
Mr. Joshua Nathan, *Vice President*
Mr. George Cady
Mr. Edward Fox
Ms. Laura Slack
Mr. Michael White
Mr. Robert Zahm

And Dr. Edward Shine, Superintendent of Schools
Dr. Steven Cohen, Assistant Superintendent
Dr. Joan Dituri, Director of Curriculum

And Faculty Members:
Christine Brennan, Mary Partington, Debra Fishman, Laura O'Leary, Steven Bluestone,
and Andrea Mondella.

Dr. Shine said that Dr. Cohen would lead the discussion for this meeting, which concluded with a commitment from Dr. Shine for a written plan for follow-up in two or three weeks and an agreement that the Board would consider another work session.

Mr. Culyer asked the Board to consider the two agenda items for action on the agenda. It was agreed to table the action items.

On a motion by Ms. Slack, seconded by Mr. Zahm and carried unanimously (7-0) it was voted at 10:20 PM to adjourn into executive session for the discussion of the performance history of current employees and contract negotiations pursuant to the Taylor Law.

On a motion by Mr. White, seconded by Mr. Cady and carried unanimously (7-0) it was voted at 12:10 AM to reconvene in public and adjourn the meeting

Respectfully submitted,

Edward J. Shine
Superintendent of Schools