

**REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 17
BOARD OF EDUCATION
COMMUNITY INPUT
FEBRUARY 9, 2006**

The Regional School District No. 17 Board of Education held a community input meeting on the 2006-07 budget on Thursday, February 9, 2006, in the Haddam-Killingworth High School lower Media Center. Board of Education Chairman Robert Baranoff called the meeting to order at 7:04 p.m.

Members present: Jo Ferjak, Nancy Gorski, Mark Almeida, Robert Baranoff, Daniel Cronin, Douglas Stevenson, and Michael Trahan.

Member absent: Amy Jacques-Purdy, Diane Stock, Mary Withington, and Richard Cabral.

Also present: Superintendent of Schools Gary S. Mala.

Discussion with the Public Regarding the 2006-07 Budget

Cathy Luisi, Barbara Lopez, and Dave Miller from the Transportation Department asked the Board to consider bus drivers' compensation for the bus drivers as they reviewed the budget.

The Board also answered questions from a member of the audience regarding the LEAP program.

Adjournment

Mr. Almeida **MOVED** and Mr. Cronin **SECONDED** the meeting adjourn. Motion passed unanimously at 8:25 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Ann Lang, Board Clerk

Approval:

Amy Jacques-Purdy, Secretary

Date

Approved as presented at the April 11, 2006 Board of Education meeting.