

**REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 17  
BOARD OF EDUCATION -  
SPECIAL MEETING  
BUDGET WORKSHOP MINUTES  
April 4, 2023**

A special meeting of the Regional School District No. 17 Board of Education was held on April 4, 2023, in the Haddam-Killingworth High School Community Room.

**Board Member Attendance:**

Board Member	Present	Absent	Board Member	Present	Absent
Prem Aithal	X		Dr. Nelson Rivera	X	
Lisa Connelly	X		Corey Roberts	X	
Dr. Joel D'Angelo	X		Peter Sonski	X	
Jennifer Favalora	X		Dr. Kathleen Zandi	X	
Shawna Goldfarb	X		Suzanne Sack (remote)	X	
Hamish MacPhail	X				

**Also Present:** Superintendent of Schools, Jeffrey Wihbey, Assistant Superintendent Jennifer Miller, Director of Fiscal Operations, David Solin, Board Administrator, Sarah Kaiser, Director of Operations, John Mercier

**Visitors: 2**

**Call to Order/Opening of Meeting**

Board of Education Vice Chair, Jennifer Favalora, called the meeting to order at 5:31 PM.

**Discussion of Superintendent's Proposed Budget 2023-2024:**

The Board had discussed the Superintendent's revisions to the proposed budget including the areas of Central Office/District expenses, reductions at the school level, and staffing adjustments. The Superintendent proposed a reduction in the budget from 6.72% to 5.83%. The Board discussed the budget amount of \$47,655,708.22 will be presented as the proposed budget for 2023-2024 at the Annual Hearing Meeting for Board adoption.

**Adjournment**

Board Vice Chair Favalora adjourned the meeting at 6:31 PM.

Respectfully submitted,

Sarah Kaiser

Administrative Assistant to the Board of Education

Approval: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
Joel D'Angelo, Secretary