

**REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 17**  
**BOARD OF EDUCATION**  
**SPECIAL MEETING**  
**(BUDGET WORKSHOP)**  
**March 15, 2022**

*A special meeting of the Regional School District No. 17 Board of Education was held March 15, 2022 in the Haddam-Killingworth High School Community Room/Lower Media Center. Board of Education Chair, Suzanne Sack, called the meeting to order at 7:00 PM.*

**Members Present:** *Peter Sonski, Joel D'Angelo, Jennifer Favalora, Shawna Goldfarb, Hamish MacPhail Lisa Connely, Corey Roberts, Brenda Buzzi, Dr. Kathleen Zandi (Via Remote), and Suzanne Sack*

**Members Absent:** *Dr. Nelson Rivera*

**Also Present:** *Superintendent of Schools, Jeffrey Wihbey, Director of Finance, Ann Adriani, Director of Operations, John Mercier, Principal of Haddam-Killingworth High School, Donna Hayward (Via Remote), Assistant Principal of Haddam-Killingworth High School, Adam Apicella,(Via Remote), Principal of Haddam-Killingworth Middle School, Dolores Bates, Principal of Haddam-Killingworth Intermediate School, Eric Larson, Principal of Burr Elementary School, Principal of Killingworth Elementary School, Dennis Reed, Director of Student Services, Dr. Kris Lindsay (Via Remote), Student Services Coordinator, Tonya Gorgone (Via Remote), President of HK Education Association, Robin Duffield, Curriculum Coordinators, Heather Rigatti (Via Remote) and Jennifer Beermuender (Via Remote), and Board Clerk, Jamie Sciascia (Via Remote)*

**Call to Order/Opening of Meeting:** *Board of Education Chair, Suzanne Sack, called the meeting to order at 7:00 PM. The Pledge of Allegiance was recited at the Community Input meeting prior to this meeting.*

**Discussion of Superintendent's Proposed Budget 2022-2023:**

*The Board discussed the Superintendent's Proposed 2022-2023 Budget; specifically, at the HKIS, HKMS and High School Levels.*

*The Board discussed the possibility of funding the Middle School AP position as an 11-month position.*

*Principal Donna Hayward, and Director of Finance, Ann Adriani, will provide a list to the Board of all Athletic Equipment items that were requested but not funded.*

*Board Member, Kathy Zandi, updated the Board about the Town Selectmen meeting for Killingworth.*

*The next Budget Workshop is scheduled for March 29, 2022.*

**Adjournment**

*Board Chair, Suzanne Sack, called for the meeting to adjourn at approximately 8:52 PM.*

*Respectfully submitted,*

*Jamie Sciascia*  
*Board Clerk*

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