

Milford Board of Education

Committee of the Whole Meeting Minutes
September 25, 2017

Board members present:

Claire Casey
Michael DeGrego
Suzanne DiBiase
Jennifer Federico
Susan Glennon, Chair
Walter Hagedorn
Tom Jagodzinski
Susan Krushinsky
Earl Whiskeyman

Administration present:

Jeffrey Burt
James Richetelli
Mrs. Carole Swift

Administration absent:

Dr. Elizabeth Feser

Board members absent:

Dr. Jess Gregory

I. CALL TO ORDER

Ms. Glennon called the Committee of the Whole meeting to order at 7:00 p.m. with the reciting of the Pledge of Allegiance.

She then turned the meeting over to Mr. Burt.

II. DISTRICT STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT REPORT

Mr. Burt delivered a presentation on the district's standardized assessments results from the 2016-17 school year. Included in the presentation were the results for SBA for grades 3-8 from spring 2017, PSAT scores for grades 9, 10 & 11, and SAT scores for grade 11. When comparing the scores to the state and other alike districts, Milford surpassed them in growth in most cases. Areas of concern were addressed and strategies were offered that will support district growth.

In 2015, the state approved the Next Generation Science Standards (NGSS), which replace the Connecticut Mastery Test (CMT) and the Connecticut Academic Performance Test (CAPT). Mr. Burt did not report out on the CMT or CAPT results, as the state has not released the 2016 scores. There is currently no data available on the NGSS scores statewide. The presentation is on file.

III. PUBLIC COMMENT

None.

IV. ADJOURN

Ms. DiBiase made a motion to adjourn. Mrs. Federico seconded. The motion passed unanimously.

Approved

The meeting adjourned at 8:46 p.m.

Recording Secretary: _____
Mrs. Pam Griffin

Corresponding Secretary: _____
Ms. Suzanne DiBiase