

**SCHOOL COMMITTEE  
MINUTES  
July 11, 2005  
6:45 P.M.**

**PRESENT:** Charlie Ellis  
Elaine Braun-Keller  
Shawna Stea  
Joe Gaffney

**ALSO PRESENT:** Paul Livingston

**ABSENT:** Nancy Mizzoni  
Andy Donnelly

**CALL TO ORDER (6:50 P.M.)**

- A. The School Committee met until 7:00 PM to discuss the possibility of combining Community Education with the Park and Recreation Department. The Committee then discussed this topic with the Park and Recreation Commission in the Park and Recreation Department Conference Room.
- B. At 7:55 PM the School Committee moved to the Board of Selectmen's meeting in Room 103 to discuss with the Finance Committee and the Board of Selectmen the budget preparation for the FY07 Fiscal Year.

**EXECUTIVE SESSION**

- A. On a motion by Elaine Braun-Keller, and seconded by Shawna Stea, the School Committee went into Executive Session at 9:05 PM for the purpose of discussing collective bargaining strategy with the intent of returning to open session. (Roll call: Charlie Ellis, AYE; Nancy Mizzoni, AYE; Elaine Braun-Keller, AYE; Shawna Stea, AYE; Joe Gaffney, AYE)
- B. The Committee returned to Open Session at 9:47 PM.
- C. The School Committee, Board of Selectmen and the Finance Committee heard from the Permanent Municipal Building Committee about the Middle School project. The bid has been awarded to Castagna Construction and everyone was pleased to hear that the project is on budget and on time as of this date. The members of the Permanent Municipal Building Committee were congratulated on a job well done for meeting the town's bid requirements.

**ADJOURNMENT**

- A. On a motion by Joe Gaffney and seconded by Shawna Stea, it was voted to adjourn the meeting at 10:10 P.M. (AYE: Unanimous)