

Minutes of **Monday, March 27, 2015 Public Board of School Estimate Meeting** of the Orange Board Of Education held at 6:00 p.m., at the Administration Building, 451 Lincoln Avenue, Orange, New Jersey.

Hon. Mayor Dwayne Warren, Esq  
Hon. Donna K. Williams  
Hon. Kerry Coley  
Mr. Jeffrey Wingfield  
Mrs. Patricia Arthur

**ROLL CALL: (5) PRESENT (0) ABSENT**

**ALSO PRESENT:**

- Mr. Ronald C. Lee, Superintendent of Schools
- Mr. Adekunle O. James, School Business Administrator/  
Board Secretary
- Mr. Akindele Ayodele, Assistant School Business Administrator/Board Secretary
- Mr. Melvin Randall, School Board Attorney with the firm of  
Love & Randall

In conformance with the **Board of Education Policy 1120-1 and Open Public Meeting Act, Chapter 231**, this is to announce that this Public Board of School Estimate Meeting of the Orange Board of Education is being convened with adequate notice. Notice of this meeting has been posted at the Administrative Office, filed with the City Clerk's Office of the City of Orange Township and delivered to the Orange Transcript and the Star Ledger.

The City of Orange Township Board of Education encourages the participation and input from members of the public at its board meetings. However, in accordance with Board Policy, verbal attacks against individual staff members or members of the Board are not permitted. Persons are encouraged to address the Board regarding comments relating to agenda items or issues concerning the educational process. The Board of Education thanks you for your cooperation.

**FLAG SALUTE**

All in attendance will participate in performing the flag salute


**BOARD COMMENTS**

- Mr. James performed roll call at 6:45pm when a quorum of members was formed, followed by the Flag Salute.
- A presentation was rendered by Mr. James about the 2015-2016 budget. He was supported by Mr. Lee, who elaborated on certain aspects of the presentation. The tax levy was thereafter voted upon by the Board of School Estimate, approving the tax levy and request of \$3.7 million dollar bond to fund certain capital projects and improvement of facilities.

Pursuant to N.J.S.A. 10:4-12 and in conformance with the Board of Education Policy 1120-1 **and Open Public Meeting Act, Chapter 231**, this is to announce that the Orange Board Of Education will hold its next regularly scheduled **Meeting on October 11, 2011**, Closed Session at 5:00 p.m. and Public Session at 7:30 p.m. It is expected that the discussion undertaken in the closed session board meeting can be made public at the time official action is taken or when its confidentiality is no longer required.

**APPROVAL DATE: April 14, 2015**

**ATTESTED TO BY:**

  
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**School Business Administrator/  
Board Secretary**