

**ENFIELD BOARD OF EDUCATION
SCHOOL BOARD/SUPERINTENDENT WORKSHOP
WORKSHOP MINUTES
January 9, 2010**

The Enfield Board of Education held a School Board/Superintendent Workshop on Saturday, January 9, 2010 in the Education Building at Johnson Memorial Hospital in Stafford Springs, CT. The workshop was titled, "School Board – Superintendent Collaboration for Higher Student Achievement".

CALL TO ORDER The workshop was called together by Greg Stokes at 9:00 AM.

ATTENDANCE

Present: Judy Apruzzese-Desroches; Vincent Grady; Joyce Hall; Chuck Johnson; Peter Jonaitis; Tom Sirard; Greg Stokes; Donna Szewczak; and Stacy Thurston.

Also Present: John Gallacher, Superintendent; Tony Torre, Assistant Superintendent; and Dr. Richard Goodwin, Workshop Facilitator from the New England School Development Council (NESDEC).

WORKSHOP DISCUSSION

Dr. Goodwin stated that the objectives of the workshop were to develop an effective school board/superintendent governance team focused on improving student achievement and to improve the governance functions of the school system.

Towards achieving those objectives, Dr. Goodwin led the Board through the agenda items which were:

1. Introductions & Purpose of the Workshop;
2. Roles & Responsibilities of the School Board;
3. Building the School Board/Superintendent Team;
4. Trust.

The Board adhered to the agenda topics and no Board business nor action(s) occurred at the workshop.

ADJOURNMENT

Following a working lunch, the workshop adjourned at 2:10 PM.

Respectfully Submitted by

John Gallacher, Recorder