



Education Committee - Board of Representatives

Mary Savage, Chair

Committee Report

Date: Wednesday, Wednesday, February 17, 2016
Time: 7:00 p.m.
Place: Democratic Caucus Room, 4th Floor Government Center, 888 Washington Boulevard, Stamford, CT

The Education Committee met as indicated above. In attendance were Chair Savage and Committee Member Reps. Buckman, Di Costanzo, Nabel, and Quinones. Absent or excused were Committee Member Reps. Cerasoli, de la Cruz, Kolenberg, and Wallace. Also present were Dr. Charlene Reid and Mr. Quentin Phipps from the Stamford Charter School for Excellence.

Chair Savage called the meeting to order at 7:05 pm.

Item No.	Description	Committee Action
¹ 1. E29.032	REVIEW; Enrollment Plan, Facilities Plan, And Curriculum Of The Stamford Charter School For Excellence. 10/07/15 – Submitted by Rep. Nabel 10/20/15 – Held in Committee 12/14/15 – Held at Steering 01/11/16 – Held at Steering	Report Made

Mr. Phipps submitted a hard copy of a PowerPoint Overview of Stamford Excellence 2015-2016 School Year ([attached](#)). He reviewed Mission, Enrollment, Facilities, and Curriculum. He responded to questions from Committee Members. Dr. Reid addressed the information about the Charter, highlights of the Inaugural Year (Pre-K - Grade 1) and future plans. Community outreach and fundraising were also addressed. Both Mr. Phipps and Dr. Reid expressed appreciation for being invited to share information about the school and extended an invitation for Committee Members to visit the school.

² 2. E29.037	REVIEW; Pedestrian Safety Programs for Stamford School Children: programs currently in effect for educating students of all ages and their families about pedestrian safety. 01/06/16 – Submitted by Rep. Di Costanzo 01/20/16 – Held in Committee	Held
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¹ Video Time Stamp 00:00:56

² Video Time Stamp 01:11:50

Secondary Committee: Public Safety & Health

A motion to hold this item due to invitees not being present. was made, seconded and approved by unanimous vote (Reps. Savage, Buckman, Di Costanzo, Nabel, and Quinones in favor).

3. [E29.038](#) RESOLUTION; Sense of the Board Supporting the Stamford Cradle-to-Career Alliance. **Approved, as amended, 5-0-0**
01/06/16 – Submitted by Reps. Quinones, Nabel and Kolenberg

A motion to amend the resolution to change “by the 29th Board of Representatives that the legislative body of the City of Stamford “ in the last paragraph to “that the 29th Board of Representatives” was made, seconded and approved by unanimous vote (Reps. Savage, Buckman, Di Costanzo, Nabel, and Quinones in favor). A motion to approve the resolution, as amended, was made, seconded and approved by unanimous vote (Reps. Savage, Buckman, Di Costanzo, Nabel, and Quinones in favor).

Chair Savage adjourned the meeting at 7:20 pm.

Respectfully submitted,
Mary M. Savage, Chair

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