

ICHABOD CRANE CENTRAL SCHOOL
VALATIE, NEW YORK 12184

ANNUAL ELECTION AND 2007-2008 BUDGET VOTE – May 15, 2007

MINUTES

The election of members of the Board of Education and the vote upon appropriating the necessary funds to met the estimated expenditures and the vote upon all propositions involving the expenditures of money, or authorizing the levy of taxes, took place at the Ichabod Crane High School Gymnasium, Valatie, NY between the hours of 8AM and 9PM.

PROPOSITION NO. 1 – BUDGET

Shall the following resolution be adopted:

RESOLVED, that the Board of Education of the Kinderhook Central School District, Columbia and Rensselaer Counties, New York be authorized to expend the total amount of \$35,378,368 during the school year, 2007-2008, and to levy the necessary tax therefor?"

PROPOSITION NO. 2 – BUS PURCHASE PROPOSAL

Shall the following resolution be adopted:

RESOLVED, that the Board of Education of the Kinderhook Central School District, Columbia and Rensselaer Counties, New York be authorized to purchase SCHOOL BUSES during the 2007-2008 school year at a total estimated cost not to exceed \$515,000 and to raise said sum or so much thereof as may be necessary, by levy of tax in annual installments on the taxable property of the District, and in anticipation of the collection of such tax, to issue obligations of the District in accordance with the Local Finance Law?

Chairman William Schneider checked the roll of election officials and found the following present:

INSPECTORS (8AM to 9PM)

Peggy Butcher
Mary Jane Beaucage
Dale Hallenbeck
Carol Pinkowski
Maureen Bonacker
Caryl Skow

ASSISTANT CLERKS

Lynda Giammarco (8AM-1PM)
Pat McDermott (8AM-5PM)

Mary Geiger	(1PM-9PM)
Marilyn Ryan	(8AM-5PM)
Mary Sager	(1PM-5PM)
Phyllis Shafer	(8AM-1PM)
Bev Hamecher	(1PM-9PM)
Mena Mazure	(5PM-9PM)
Shirley McThenia	(5PM-9PM)
Mary Eckel	(8AM-1PM)
Terry Scarano	(5PM-9PM)
Lisa Schmitt	(5PM-9PM)
Sharon Frank	(5PM-9PM)

Peggy Butcher, Chief Election Inspector, inspected the three (3) voting machines with the remaining five inspectors and turned the certificate of inspection over to the Clerk.

The polls were declared open by the Chairman at 8AM.

At 9PM the doors to the gymnasium were closed; however, those who were still in line were allowed to vote. After determining that all present in the room had recorded their votes, the Chairman declared the polls closed.

The Inspectors of Election and the Chairman canvassed the vote and reported the following results:

TOTAL NUMBER OF MACHINE VOTES RECORDED: 1676

TOTAL NUMBER OF ABSENTEE BALLOTS RECORDED: 62

Total Votes Cast: 1738

PROPOSITION NO. 1 – BUDGET 2007-2008 - \$35,378,368 *(Passed)*

YES – 1039 NO - 679

PROPOSITION NO. 2 – BUS PROPOSAL 2007-2008 - \$515,000 *(Passed)*

YES – 1023 NO - 682

NOMINEES FOR (3) BOARD POSITIONS:

	<u>Total Votes</u>
Anthony Welcome	(1141)
Regina Rose	(974)
William Murphy, MD	(971)
Gary Bagnato.	(890)

WRITE-IN CANDIDATE TOTALS

James Romanchuk - 1

Matthew Asbornsen - 1

Robert Bisson - 1

Michele Weaver - 1

William Rohrer - 1

Robert Thorsey - 1

Wendy Pulver - 1

Sal Martino - 1

Dan Curtain - 1

Jennifer Birckmayer - 1

Todd Johnson - 2

Malcolm Bird - 2

Hugh Jeffreys - 1

Mike Schunk - 1

Chairman Schneider announced the results of the three propositions and the results of the board election as follows:

William Murphy, MD, Regina Rose, and Anthony Welcome will assume three year terms and take the oath of office at the annual organizational meeting to be held in July.

Tamara N. Proniske, District Clerk