

**Rochelle Park Board of Education
Special Public Meeting
October 20, 2008
7:30 PM**

- I. Call to Order and Flag Salute**
II. Roll Call

Board Members	Present	Absent
Mrs. Barbara Ann Maurer, Vice President	X	
Mr. Sam Allos	X	
Mrs. Patricia Bilka	X	
Mrs. Teresa Cravello	X	
Mr. Jay Esposito	X	
Mr. Frank Madden	X	
Mr. Robert Verhasselt, President	X	

Others Present:

- C. Lauren Schoen, Superintendent
- Theresa H. Guastello, School Business Administrator/Board Secretary

III. Open Public Meetings Act, Chapter 231, P. L. 1975 Announcement – by Board President

In accordance with the requirements of the Open Public Meetings Act, I wish to announce that “The New Jersey Open Public Meeting Law was enacted to insure the right of the public to have advance notice of and to attend the meeting of bodies at which any business affecting their interests is discussed or acted upon. Notices announcing the date, time and place for this Regular Meeting were sent to all concerned individuals, associations and sent to the Star Ledger, The Record and in accordance with Chapter 231, P.L. 1975.”

- IV. Discussion of District’s Annual Goals and Preschool Expansion Initiative**
- **Dr. Schoen discussed with the Board the proposed educational district goals.**
 - **Dr. Schoen also discussed with the Board the Preschool Expansion Program.**
 - **Mrs. Guastello discussed the facility goals for 2008-2009.**

V. Open to the Public (Any Item)

During this portion of the meeting, the residents are invited to address the Board with any questions, comments or concerns that may be in respect to the operation of their school.

Motion by Mr. Madden , seconded by Mr. Allos to open public comment at 9:05 p.m.

Roll Call 7-0
Motion carried

No public comments

Motion by Mrs. Maurer, seconded by Mrs. Cravello , to close public comment at 9:06 p.m.

Roll Call 7-0

Motion carried

VI. Executive Session Announcement (None)

VIII. Adjournment

Motion by Mr. Madden, seconded by Mrs. Maurer, to adjourn meeting at 9:10 p.m.

Roll Call 7-0

Motion carried