



ONONDAGA CENTRAL SCHOOLS

Agenda Item Details

Meeting Jan 10, 2017 - Meeting Agenda

Category L. OTHER NEW BUSINESS

Subject 3. Capital Project Proposition

Access Public

Type Action

Recommended Action WHEREAS, the Onondaga Central School District (the "District"), is a local agency pursuant to the New York State Environmental Quality Review Act ("SEQRA"), ECL Section 8-0101, et seq., and implementing regulations, 6 NYCRR Part 617 (the "Regulations"); and

WHEREAS, the District is considering undertaking a capital improvement project consisting of renovations and improvements to the Rockwell and Wheeler Elementary Schools, Junior/Senior High School, Industrial Arts Facility, Transportation Facility, District Office and Technology Office including, for each, site improvements, original furnishings, fixtures and equipment and energy efficiency improvements (the "Project"); and

WHEREAS, the District's Board of Education considered the Project in light of the actions included on the Type I and Type II lists set forth under the Regulations at sections 617.4 and 617.5, respectively, and concluded by resolution adopted December 13, 2016 that the Project is a Type II Action as defined under SEQRA and therefore is not subject to review under SEQRA because the Project involves "maintenance or repair involving no substantial changes in an existing structure or facility" (Section 617.5(c)(1)), the "replacement, rehabilitation or reconstruction of a structure or facility, in kind, on the same site" (Section 617.5(c)(2)), and "routine activities of educational institutions, including expansion of existing facilities by less than 10,000 square feet of gross floor area" (Section 617.5(c)(8)).

NOW THEREFOR, BE IT RESOLVED by this Board of Education as follows:

Section 1. A Special Meeting of the qualified voters of the Onondaga Central School District, County of Onondaga, State of New York, will be held at Rockwell Elementary School Community Room and Junior/Senior High School Gymnasium in Nedrow, New York, on March 8, 2017 from 7:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m., prevailing time, for the purpose of voting on the proposition described in the Notice of Special District Meeting hereinafter set forth.

Section 2. The business to be acted upon at said Special District Meeting shall be as stated in the Notice thereof, and the District Clerk is hereby authorized and directed to cause the Notice of said Special District Meeting to be published in The Syracuse Post Standard, a newspaper having a general circulation within the District, such publications to be made four (4) times each in such newspapers within the seven (7) weeks next preceding such Special District Meeting, the first publication to be at least forty-five (45) days prior to the date of said Special District Meeting.

Section 3. The Special District Meeting shall be called by giving the following notice thereof:

NOTICE OF A SPECIAL SCHOOL DISTRICT MEETING OF VOTERS OF THE ONONDAGA CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

THE BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE ONONDAGA CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT HEREBY GIVES NOTICE that pursuant to a Resolution adopted by the Board of Education of the District on January 10, 2017, a special meeting of the qualified voters of said School District, County of Onondaga, State of New York, will be held in the Rockwell Elementary School Community Room and Junior/Senior High School Gymnasium in Nedrow, New York, on March 8, 2017 from 7:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m., prevailing time, for the purpose of voting upon the following proposition:

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NOTICE IS GIVEN that voting upon the foregoing Proposition will be by voting machine or paper ballot and will take place on March 8, 2017 at the Rockwell Elementary School Community Room and Junior/Senior High School Gymnasium in Nedrow, New York, from 7:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m., prevailing time.

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Section 5. This Resolution shall take effect immediately.

The motion having been duly moved, the resolution was acted upon by the Board of Education and after roll call there were _____ votes in favor of the resolution and _____ votes against the resolution as follows:

Board Members
Erik Toth, President Voting:
Amber Thousand, Vice President Voting:
Michael Kobasa Voting:
Maggie Mahoney Voting:
Melissa Troch Voting:
Tamara Volles Voting:

The resolution was thereafter declared adopted

Public Content

 [NOTICE OF A SPECIAL SCHOOL DISTRICT MEETING.pdf \(16 KB\)](#)

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Motion by Maggie Mahoney, second by Tamara Volles.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yes: Michael Kobasa, Maggie Mahoney, Erik Toth, Melissa Troch, Tamara Volles