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Potomac, Maryland February 15, 1983

The Board of Education of Montgomery County met in special session at Winston Churchill High School, Potomac, Maryland, on Tuesday, February 15, 1983, at 7:15 p.m.

ROLL CALL Present: Mrs. Marilyn J. Praisner, Vice

President in the Chair

Dr. James E. Cronin Dr. Marian L. Greenblatt

Mr. Kurt Hirsch

Mrs. Odessa M. Shannon Dr. Robert E. Shoenberg

Absent: Mr. Blair G. Ewing

Mrs. Suzanne K. Peyser

Others Present: Dr. Edward Andrews, Superintendent of

Schools

Dr. Harry Pitt, Deputy Superintendent Mr. Thomas S. Fess, Parliamentarian

Re: Announcements

Mrs. Praisner announced that Mr. Ewing and Mrs. Peyser were unable to attend the hearing but had agreed to read all the testimony.

Re: Public Hearing for Georgetown Hill Elementary School

The following individuals appeared before the Board of Education:

- 1. Sharon Campbell, National Organization of Women
- 2. Ellen Cromwell, Georgetown Hill Day Care Center
- 3. Becky Allen
- 4. Natalie Fishman
- 5. Arlyne Fields Sher
- 6. Edward Sondik
- 7. Harriet Shub
- 8. Doris Kraemer

Re: Dialogue with the Board of Education

Dr. Greenblatt asked that the staff explore the three-school closure plan presented by Georgetown Hill. The superintendent also agreed to answer the six questions raised by Georgetown Hill and have information for the Board next week.

Re: Public Hearing for Lake Normandy Elementary School

The following individuals appeared before the Board of Education:

- 1. Ira Apatoss
- 2. Ken Braunstein, Normandy Falls Home Owners Association
- 3. Gordon Morison, East Gate Citizens Association
- 4. Michael Fischetti, Contemporaries in the Park
- 5. Ron Kovner, Fox Den Citizens Association

Re: Dialogue with the Board of Education

Dr. Shoenberg asked the superintendent to confirm the information on operating costs in the Lake Normandy testimony.

Re: Public Hearing for Seven Locks
Elementary School

The following individuals appeared before the Board of Education.

- 1. Shirley Yalowitz
- 2. Jan Lookingbill
- 3. Robin Ficker
- 4. Jerry McCoy
- 5. Rae Davis
- 6. Ray Muchel, West Bradley Citizens Association
- 7. Mary Sue Metrey
- 8. David Rutstein
- 9. Barry Perlis

Re: Dialogue with the Board of Education

Board members requested information on the Stonyhurst development, staffing at the school, projections for the area, numbers of students in the school from out-of-area, and any additional development in the area.

Re: Public Hearing for Bells Mill Elementary School

Joan Friend appeared before the Board of Education.

Re: Public Hearing for Beverly Farms Elementary School

Pat Schmidt and Sherry Reninger, Beverly Farms Day Care, appeared before the Board of Education.

Re: Public Hearing for Potomac

Elementary School

Susan London appeared before the Board of Education.

Re: Public Hearing for Wayside

Elementary School

Dick Millstein appeared before the Board of Education.

Resolution No. 137-83 Re: Adjournment

On motion of Dr. Shoenberg seconded by Mr. Hirsch, the following resolution was adopted unanimously:

Resolved, That the Board of Education adjourn its meeting at 11 p.m.

Vice President

Secretary

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