



In the Loop



Harford County Public Schools

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The Board of Education of Harford County met in an open business meeting on Monday, July 6, 2009, in the Board Room of the HCPS/A.A. Roberty Building and took the following actions or received the following presentations:

- Board President Patrick Hess announced his resignation from the Board effective immediately.
- Reorganized its leadership, electing Mark M. Wolkow to serve as Board President and Leonard D. Wheeler, Ed.D. to serve as Board Vice President for the 2009-10 and 2010-11 school years.
- Superintendent Robert M. Tomback, Ph.D. administered the oath of office to [Kate Kidwell](#), junior at Fallston High School, to serve as Student Representative to the Board of Education for the 2009-10 school year.
- Recognized the [winners](#) of the [2009 Custodial Awards Program](#) including the following school custodial teams:
 - First Place High School Category – Patterson Mill Middle-High School
 - First Place Middle School Category – Southampton Middle School
 - First Place Elementary School Category – Church Creek Elementary School, Dublin Elementary School
 - Second Place Elementary School Category – George D. Lisby Elementary School
- Approved the [ratification of Negotiated Agreements](#) with the Harford County Educational Services Council.
- Participated in a discussion on the [FY2011 Capital Improvement Plan](#) including an overview of current pipe-line project funding requirements and future project planning requests based on the approved 2009 Educational Facilities Master Plan. The project budgets in the [PowerPoint presentation](#) will be refined prior to the end of August for the formal presentation to the Board of Education on September 14, 2009.
- Received a presentation on the [William Paca/Old Post Road Elementary School Scope Study](#) and will allow for feedback from parents, elected officials and other stakeholders on the topic before taking action. [Click here](#) for the full PowerPoint presentation on the study.
- Received a [presentation](#) on the [Energy and Resource Conservation Policy](#) (Revised Policy) including the goals of the Energy Management Plan as they pertain to reduction of energy consumption, implementation of conservation programs, implementation of new conservation technology, and establishment of procedures to facilitate conservation efforts.

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