LEBANON BOARD OF EDUCATION FINANCE/BUDGET SUBCOMMITTEE LEBANON MIDDLE SCHOOL CONFERENCE ROOM JANUARY 23, 2013 ~ SPECIAL SESSION ~ 1:00PM

MINUTES

ATTENDANCE

PRESENT: Melissa Hofmann, Chair Darcy Battye Judd Wardell Sandra Tremblay

ALSO PRESENT: Superintendent of Schools Janet Tyler; Lyman Memorial High School Principal Stephen Salisbury; Lebanon Middle School Principal Robert Laskarzewski; Lebanon Elementary School Principal Andrew Gonzalez; Business Manager Eve Spencer

Audience: Norwich Bulletin Intern reporter

I. <u>CALL TO ORDER</u>

Melissa Hofmann called the meeting to order at 1:05 PM in the Lebanon Middle School Conference Room at 891 Exeter Road, Lebanon, CT.

II. <u>Points of Discussion:</u>

- 1. Increase legal \$25,000
- 2. CIRMA ~ if BOE joins with Town of Lebanon employee pool for property, liability, auto and worker's compensation:
 - 'flat line' for auto and liability
 - worker's compensation for the next 3 years = 7.5%, 7.5%. 7.0% maximum
 - reduction savings for worker's compensation = \$11,068
 - reduction savings for property and liability = \$18,521
- Baseline budget; keeping non-contractual at a 0% = 3.53%
 Administrators request for discretionary = 3.72% (starting point)
- ▲ RFPs for copiers and transportation due 02/01/2013
- A Base line = 3.53% go to 4% (1st priority additions)
 - Librarian = 3.84%
 - LMHS Art = 3.95%
 - LMHS Music = 4.12%
- \checkmark If the budget moves from at 3.53% to 2.5% (reductions)
 - Full time teaching position (\$50,000) = 3.24%
 - Non-Certified to 0.8 FTE (\$10,581) = 3.18%
 - Reduction to .6 programming (\$39,000) = 2.97% (not including stipends, if any)
 - Extra curricula activities (\$43,376) = 2.73%

- Study Island & 2 Adobe software programs - (\$20,000) = 2.61%

▲ email correspondence from S. Nelson, BOE member apologizing for non-attendance

NOTE – The BOE subcommittee meetings are working meetings to discuss possible impacts to the 'DRAFT' 2013-2014 proposed budget. The budget will be presented to the full BOE on 02/12/2013 at the BOE Business Meeting.

Meeting Adjourned at 2:00PM.

Submitted by, Melissa Hofmann, Chair