

MINUTES
**TOWN OF DARIEN BOARD OF EDUCATION CENTRAL OFFICE/
MATHER CENTER BUILDING COMMITTEE**

Wednesday, May 4, 2011

The regular meeting of the Town of Darien Board of Education Central Office/Mather Center Building Committee was held on May 4, 2011. Present were Chairman Norm Guimond, John Hertz, Louis Gesualdi and Elizabeth Hagerty-Ross. Also present was Town Administrator Karl Kilduff and BOE Facilities Director Hans Otto. Vice Chairman Robin Woods was absent.

Chairman Guimond called the meeting to order at 12:02 p.m.

NEW BUSINESS

a) Architect Report

Chairman Guimond confirmed distribution of the revised senior center program dated May 1, 2011 and a revised Board of Education project schedule. He noted that architect Tom Arcari would not be in attendance at the meeting. He anticipated that Mr. Arcari and Rusty Malik would be in attendance at the next meeting to review the Board of Education program.

The Committee reviewed the revised senior center program and Chairman Guimond made note of areas which would be reduced. He noted that over 1,700 square feet was removed from the program which allowed the program to fit in the existing space as opposed to the first draft which exceeded the available square feet of the Town Hall Annex. .

Chairman Guimond recognized Selectwoman Callie Sullivan who questioned the number of people the proposed dining room was being sized for. Chairman Guimond noted that the program stated 200 people. He added that the space would be dividable and was designed to serve as the major open space in the center for programming. Other Committee members also noted that the space would be used as part of the community center function.

b) Other Items Of Relevance to the Committee

Chairman Guimond briefly reviewed the Board of Education schedule. He noted that it has slipped by 1 week. He stated that the architects would attend the next meeting to review the program for the Board of Education Central Offices.

The minutes for April 27, 2011, was moved by Mr. Hertz, seconded by Mr. Gesualdi, and approved unanimously.

ADJOURNMENT

The meeting was adjourned at 12:37 p.m.

Respectfully submitted
Karl F. Kilduff
Administrative Officer