

**SPECIAL MEETING  
EAST HARTFORD BOARD OF EDUCATION**

**MONDAY  
DECEMBER 15, 2008**

A Special Meeting of the East Hartford Board of Education was held on Monday, December 15, 2008 at the Connecticut International Baccalaureate Academy, 857 Forbes Street, East Hartford, CT. The meeting was called to order at 6:15 P.M. by Chairperson Mary Alice Dwyer Hughes.

**PRESENT** Chairperson Mary Alice Dwyer Hughes, Secretary Ram Aberasturia, Karen Howe, Marcus Oladell IV, Robert Damaschi, Anita Morrison, Dorese Roberts, Hank Pawlowski, Hilde Mayranen-O'Brien

**ALSO PRESENT** Debbie Kaprove, Interim Superintendent of Schools  
Christopher Wethje, Director of Human Resources

**MOTION** By Ram Aberasturia  
Seconded by Anita Morrison  
To go into Executive Session to:

1. Discuss with possible action a leave of absence request for a non-certified staff member; and
2. Discuss with possible action a leave of absence request for a certified staff member.

Motion unanimously carried.

The Board meeting reconvened at 6:26 PM.

**MOTION** By Hilde Mayranen-O'Brien  
Seconded by Marcus Oladell, IV  
To approve a leave of absence without pay request from January 5, 2009 through June 30, 2009 for Sharon Beaulieu, a paraprofessional at Mayberry School.  
Motion unanimously carried.

**MOTION** By Hilde Mayranen-O'Brien  
Seconded by Anita Morrison  
To approve a leave of absence with pay, granting additional sick leave from January 5, 2009 through April 30, 2009 for Mary Anne Bojko, a science teacher at East Hartford Middle School.  
Motion unanimously carried.

**MOTION** By Ram Aberasturia  
Seconded by Dorese Roberts  
To adjourn the Special Board of Education Meeting (6:28 P.M.)  
Motion unanimously carried.

Recorded by:  
Christopher T. Wethje