

**GREATER ESSEX COUNTY DISTRICT SCHOOL BOARD
REPORT OF THE
SPECIAL EDUCATION ADVISORY COMMITTEE**

The Special Education Advisory Committee meeting was held on Tuesday, June 13, 2017 at the Administration Office.

MEMBERS IN ATTENDANCE:

Connie Buckler, Trustee
Kim McKinley, Trustee
Mary-Ann Fuduric, Learning Disabilities Association of Windsor-Essex County
Beth Cook, Indigenous Community
JoAnn Percy, Windsor Council of Home and School Associations
Trudy Richards, Autism Ontario (mOPC Elementary Representative)
Mike Wilcox, Principal, Special Education Programs and Services

REGRETS

Meghan Johnson, Canadian Hearing Society
Susan Smith, Community Living (Windsor/Essex County)
Karen Wilson, Parents for Children's Mental Health

ABSENT

Kim Fralik, Brain Injury Association of Windsor & Essex County

Recorder: Marion Goyette

5. Business Arising as a Result of the Minutes

There was no business arising.

6. Special Education Budget

Shawn Maheux, Manager of Finance presented the proposed Special Education Budget for the 2017-2018 school year.

S. Maheux explained the different grants and expenses that are a part of the budget. The Differentiated Special Education Needs Amount was increased again this year. This grant has been phased in over the last 4 years.

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Connections

L. McLaughlin and T. McCarthy met with staff from the Therapeutic Learning Center (TLC). This organization offers IBI