

**Mansfield Board of Education
Budget Workshop
February 4, 2016
Minutes**

Attendees:	Randy Walikonis, Chair, Jay Rueckl, Vice-Chair, Martha Kelly, Secretary, Susannah Everett, John Fratiello, Sarah Lacombe, Katherine Paulhus, Carrie Silver-Bernstein, Kathy Ward
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The meeting was called to order at 7:32pm by Mr. Walikonis.

HEARING FOR VISITORS:

Jason Courtmanche spoke regarding addition of one fifth grade teacher.

Clare Kingoo spoke regarding second grade class size at Vinton.

Laura Hilton spoke regarding second grade class size at Vinton.

Elyse Poller, resident and teacher at MMS, spoke regarding proposed budget and class size.

Ric Hossack spoke regarding budget, salaries, benefits, and class size.

David Freudmann spoke regarding class size and budget.

Betty Wassmundt spoke regarding microphones, class size, and special education.

Esther Soffer-Roberts spoke regarding class size.

BUDGET REVIEW: Mrs. Lyman, Superintendent and Mrs. Cherie Trahan, Director of Finance, reviewed District Management, Support Services, Special Education, and Other sections of the proposed 2016-2017 budget.

DISCUSSION OF PROPOSED BUDGET/BOARD QUESTIONS: The Board asked questions of the above regarding the sections reviewed.

Motion by Mrs. Paulhus, seconded by Mr. Fratiello to adjourn at 9:58pm. Vote: Unanimous in favor.

Celeste Griffin, Board Clerk