

**CITY OF BRIDGEPORT
EDUCATION AND SOCIAL SERVICES
COMMITTEE
REGULAR MEETING
DECEMBER 14, 2022**

This meeting was conducted by Zoom/Teleconference.

ATTENDANCE: Aikeem Boyd, Co-chair; Jorge Cruz, Co-chair; Frederick Hodges, Samia Suliman

OTHERS: Council Member(s): R. Roman-Christy & M. Valle; Thomas Gaudett, Deputy Chief of Staff; Larry Schilling, Alyshia, 475-449-8140

CALL TO ORDER

Co-chair Boyd called the meeting to order at 6:14 p.m. A quorum was present.

APPROVAL OF COMMITTEE MINUTES

• **November 9, 2022 (Regular Meeting).**

**** COUNCIL MEMBER CRUZ MOVED THE MINUTES OF THE NOVEMBER 9, 2022 REGULAR MEETING.**

**** COUNCIL MEMBER SULIMAN SECONDED.**

**** THE MOTION TO APPROVE THE MINUTES OF THE NOVEMBER 9, 2022 REGULAR MEETING AS SUBMITTED PASSED UNANIMOUSLY.**

141-21 Proposed Resolution for School Construction Project Application for State Grants and Initiation of Design for Curiale Elementary School Roof Replacement.

Mr. Schilling said that it was a straight roof replacement for Curiale and the dining facility and they have the permission from the State Office of Construction. The school is located on Federal Street.

Council Member Valle pointed out that Mr. Schilling had mentioned the Nutrition Center also, which was a separate item. Council Member Valle asked Mr. Schilling which department he was representing. Mr. Schilling said that he was present for the Board of Education about the School Construction.

Council Member Cruz asked for more details. Mr. Schilling said that they were going down to the membrane and would also replace the flashing and the skylights. Discussion followed.

Council Member Cruz asked about funding. Mr. Schilling reviewed the details with him.

**** COUNCIL MEMBER CRUZ MOVED AGENDA ITEM 141-21 PROPOSED RESOLUTION FOR SCHOOL CONSTRUCTION PROJECT APPLICATION FOR STATE GRANTS AND INITIATION OF DESIGN FOR CURIALE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL ROOF REPLACEMENT.**

**** COUNCIL MEMBER SULIMAN SECONDED.**

**** THE MOTION PASSED UNANIMOUSLY.**

142-21 Proposed Resolution for School Construction Project Application for State Grants and Initiation of Design for Nutrition Center School Roof Replacement.

Mr. Schilling said that this was also a replacement roof including the insulations. Any asbestos will be removed.

Council Member Cruz asked what the roof would cost. Mr. Schilling said that it was just over \$1 million. He said that the City had budgeted just over \$660,000 for the City's share of the project

**** COUNCIL MEMBER CRUZ MOVED AGENDA ITEM 142-21 PROPOSED RESOLUTION FOR SCHOOL CONSTRUCTION PROJECT APPLICATION FOR STATE GRANTS AND INITIATION OF DESIGN FOR NUTRITION CENTER SCHOOL ROOF REPLACEMENT.**

**** COUNCIL MEMBER SULIMAN SECONDED.**

**** THE MOTION PASSED UNANIMOUSLY.**

A brief discussion followed regarding one of the members of the public who was listening to the call in order to become more familiar with Council Member Cruz and those other Council Members who are interested in helping those in need in the City.

ADJOURNMENT

**** COUNCIL MEMBER CRUZ MOVED TO ADJOURN.**

**** COUNCIL MEMBER SULIMAN SECONDED.**

**** THE MOTION PASSED UNANIMOUSLY.**

The meeting adjourned at 6:24 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,
Telesco Secretarial Services