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West Islip Public Schools

Bernadette M. Burns
Superintendent of Schools

James Bosse
Director of Buildings and Grounds

Buildings & Grounds Committee Meeting

Date: September 12, 2017
Time: 8:00 p.m.
Location: District Office Board Room

Members in attendance: S. Brady, P. Michaluk, K. O'Connor, B. Burns, W. Duffy, J. Bosse
Others in attendance: S. Gellar, R. Maginniss
G. Robertson (BBS), J. Engberg (SCC)

Committee Information

1. *Bond Projects:* The Board visited Bayview and Paul J. Bellew elementary schools to view completed bond work and discuss the construction of security vestibules at those buildings. Manetuck, Oquenock, the middle schools and high school will be visited at a future date. The committee discussed the viability of completing the high school roof this year as opposed to next summer, and agreed that would be preferred. Mrs. Burns and Mr. Bosse will formulate a plan to ensure community safety and building security during the construction, which will take place in the evening and on weekends. The installation of the bleachers in the high school boys' gym is almost complete, and the girls' gym should be completed by September 25.
2. *Security Office:* The Security Office housed at Paul J. Bellew has been renovated and equipped with new furniture, computers, and monitors. The room provides excellent viewing of districtwide security cameras.
3. *Udall Sinkhole:* The sinkhole in the front of the Udall east parking lot has been excavated and repaired by a site contractor.
4. *High School Turf Field:* LandTek has replaced the semi-circles of artificial turf where the goal creases were completely worn. The field should be safely usable until the entire field is re-carpeted as part of the bond project. The \$4200 cost was not covered by the warranty.
5. *Westbrook Parking Lot:* The Board inquired as to the cost of expanding the parking lot at Westbrook. Mr. Bosse is to meet with the contractor this week to ascertain that information.

The meeting adjourned at 8:25 p.m.