

**WEST ISLIP BOARD OF EDUCATION
BUILDINGS & GROUNDS COMMITTEE REPORT**

DATE OF MEETING: Tuesday, June 11, 2019
District Office

COMMITTEE MEMBERS PRESENT: P. Michaluk, K. O'Connor

BOARD MEMBERS IN ATTENDANCE: R. Antoniello, S. Gellar, R. Maginniss

ADMINISTRATORS PRESENT: B. Burns, J. Bosse, E. Pellati

The meeting was called to order at 7:55 p.m.

1. The committee discussed the possibility of installing solar panels on district building roofs. It is anticipated that the district will recover the full cost within five years (based on anticipated state aid of 70% to 80% and savings in electric cost). Maintenance cost and options for installation will be researched and discussed at a future meeting.
2. The use of district buildings by various town organizations, including sports leagues, dance groups and scouting, is being reviewed to ensure equity in the time and space allotments to each youth group. The district will be reaching out to many of these organizations to discuss their needs and times will be adjusted as necessary.
3. The Willetts Creek remediation project by NYS DEC is under way; to date, no major issues have arisen.
4. A bond project update was provided to the committee. There is a great deal of bond work scheduled this summer. The full list of projects scheduled are being reviewed and prioritized. Due to delays in state approval, some work that was tentatively scheduled for completion this summer will be delayed. The security vestibules at the four elementary schools and the two middle schools are a priority for completion this summer, along with the installation of the new kindergarten playgrounds at Bayview and Oquenock.

Meeting was adjourned at 8:55 p.m.