Central Bucks School District School Board Briefs June 18, 2024

At the June 18, 2024 Special School Board Meeting, the Central Bucks Board of School Directors:

Announced the purpose of the Special Meeting: To vote on the 2024-2025 final budget.

Announced that the Board will meet in Executive Session following this June 18, 2024 Special Meeting regarding a legal matter.

Heard Public Comment:

- 1. Edward Mackouse, Buckingham Township, spoke about this 5.3% tax increase being the largest in CB's history, the district's responsibility to protect all students, Title IX, the school district protecting women in sports, DEI officers, and the teacher discrimination lawsuit.
- 2. Amit Chorasiya, Buckingham Township, was listed on the sign-up sheet but did not speak.
- 3. Manjari Chorasiya, Buckingham Township, was listed on the sign-up sheet but did not speak.
- 4. Barbara Didomenico, Warrington Township, spoke about tax increases in the school district and in Warrington Township, the need for a life-skills job position in the school district, many companies pulling away from DEI job positions, and getting back to old-time values and morals.
- 5. Nicole Rufe, Doylestown Township, asked the Board to think of people who are struggling when voting for a tax increase and spoke about a DEI position that needs to support all students, not just marginalized students.

Approved the three Act 1 Resolutions for the Annual Budget for fiscal year 2024-2025: Resolution to levy taxes for school purposes for the year beginning July 1, 2024; Resolution on Homestead/Farmstead exemptions; Resolution approving the Final Budget in the amount of \$418,436,953.00.