

Date: Tue, 12 Jan 2010 14:42:55 -0600

From: KWALLACE@maine207.org

Subject: This week's news

Dear District 207 Colleagues:

Like many school districts, businesses, and families throughout the country, we have been forced to take steps to address our inherent financial structural deficit. The cost reduction proposal was presented to the Board of Education last night, the culmination of five months of very difficult work and decisions for all of us in an environment where every decision impacts staff or students in some way.

The entire report and supporting documents that were presented to the Board are now posted on the web site for review (<http://www.maine207.org/news/default.aspx?&ArticleId=1269>

); in addition, the Board will hold a Committee of the Whole meeting next Wednesday at 7:00 p.m. in the Maine East Auditorium to hear public comments about the reduction proposals. In difficult times like these, I ask that we do whatever we can to help and support each other.

Sincerely,

Ken Wallace