

**Peekskill CSD PTO  
Committee/Building Report Form**

Submission Date May 13, 2019 Month & Year May 2019

Committee Advocacy

**Items Requiring a Vote:**

None

**Items Requiring Discussion:**

Lawn Signs - We have distributed almost all of the signs that we have left. (6 remain - anyone want one for their lawn?) We will need to pick them up/ask people to return them after the budget vote. Please let us know if you can help with that. We would like to order more for next year, as we have lost some in the past few years. Do we still have the graphic file and source for printing?

**Items for Information Only:**

Foundation Aid - Since our last report in March, we have received word that the state will increase funding for PCSD by \$2 million next year, as a direct result of our advocacy work. The Advocacy committee wrote a letter to thank our legislators. We have made it available to parents and members of the community to sign at various events in the past month. After tonight's meeting, the letter will be copied and sent to Governor Cuomo, the senate and assembly education committee chairs and our local representatives.

BOE Forum - The Forum was held on May 6, 2019. The League of Women Voters declined to send a moderator for uncontested races, so Eric Reveda served as moderator and I served as time keeper. Eric did a great job as moderator. Thanks, Eric!

We followed the same format that had been established by the LWV. The forum was live streamed; it will be edited and distributed on the PCSD website and on the education public access channels.

We need to discuss what activities the Advocacy Committee needs to plan for next year; and see if we might be able to recruit a few committee members.

I finally submitted my receipts and change from the trip to Albany in February! Thanks for your patience, Jen.

Submitted by: Margery Rossi

\*\*Please be sure to include a budget for any financial requests

As of 10/1/15