Wednesday, January 14, 2009, 7:00 p.m.

When a speaker begins, a green light will go on. Thirty seconds prior to the expiration of the speaker’s time, a yellow light will go on. The red light and buzzer signal that the speaker’s time has expired, and the speaker is not to continue beyond this point. Individuals and organizations may not cede time to others who have signed up. All speakers have been requested to provide 25 copies of their testimony. Please give these copies to staff (located at the right front of the auditorium) at the time of the speaker’s presentation. The Board will have worksessions on the budget on January 28 and 29. Final adoption of the proposed budget is scheduled for February 9, 2009.

7:00 p.m.   Kay Romero, President of MCCPTA  5 minutes
Sarah Crews, student, Montgomery Village Middle School PTSA  3 minutes
Jacob Hurwitz, student  3 minutes
Rosanne Hurwitz, individual  3 minutes

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7:20   Northwest Cluster  8 minutes
Speaker: Susan Burkinshaw

Poolesville Cluster  8 minutes
Speaker: Sarah Defnet

Quince Orchard Cluster  8 minutes
Speaker: Paul Morrison

Seneca Valley Cluster  8 minutes
Speaker: Kevin David

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7:55   Blake Cluster  8 minutes
Speaker: Dawn Dolan

Paint Branch Cluster  8 minutes
Speaker: Patti Twigg

Springbrook Cluster  8 minutes
Speaker: Pamela Johnson

Sherwood Cluster  8 minutes
Speaker: Fran Simons
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**8:30**
Clarksburg Cluster
Speaker: Jaimie Jacobson

Damascus Cluster
Speaker: Leslie Cuneo

Watkins Mill Cluster
Speaker: Susan Young

Magruder Cluster
Speaker: Annie Foster Ahmed

Gaithersburg Cluster
Speaker: Valerie Rivers

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**9:15**
Individuals and Organizations (3 minutes each)

1. Gail Kaltman, Reading Specialists
2. Sharon Friedman, Mental Health Association
3. Lisa Kehayias-Farhi, STD Teachers
4. Ellen Widoff, CAPP Program
5. Ricki Sabia, Individual
6. Jennifer O’Halloran, Montgomery County Educational Media Specialist Association
7. Chris Biamonte, Individual
8. Tashaun Pierre, Individual
9. Lyda Astrove, Individual
10. Kelly Gruitt, Montgomery County School Psychologists

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11. Kathy Reger, Montgomery County School Psychologists
12. Judy Lei-Hernandez, Individual
13. Eric Carter, PPW Association of MCPS
14. Dr. Ana Maria Arevalo, ESOL Bilingual Advisory Committee
15. Sharon Wilson, Individual
16. Danetta Fofanah, Individual
17. Eduardo Gerlein, Individual
18. Kimberly Lourenco, CAPP Private School/Public School Partnership
19. Eric Luedtke, Individual
20. Joe Hamblin, Parkland MS PTA

**Board Questions**

10:30 Adjournment

PLEASE NOTE: Next year, based on the Board Handbook that was adopted on November 11, 2008, the times for testimony will change as follows:

Organizations/ municipalites/elected officials/clusters 5 minutes
Individuals 3 minutes