



# The 3 R's: Remarks, Reminders, and Relief!

## 3rd Thursday– 10 minute Meeting

October 16th– Yummy Donuts!



Topic: **Addressing building concerns the union way!**

## WTA Issues acted upon/discussed:

- \* WTA supports and endorses the United Way charity fund drive.
- \* Additional club monies were issued to FE, OE, and MS.

- \* Summer Orientation survey to be developed.
- \* Mark Callahan (HR) to begin monthly column regarding benefits and options!
- \* Clarification of professional development days and topics for School Psychologists and Counselors.

## Issues currently being explored:

- \* Unemployment issue.
- \* Professional standards documen-

tation at the middle school.

- \* Clarification of roles for speech and special education in case of an unfilled leave position.

## Rule of thumb #10

*Knowing your payroll deduction options saves you money in many ways; both with taxes and toward retirement.*

*Call HR today for more information - 524-0205.*



As the new HR guy, I have to say that the Wayne staff know how to extend a warm welcome. I have been so touched by your well wishes and interest in my transition. I have been made to feel like the favorite son-in-law. Thank you.

An early transitional error was to mention to Beth and Pat that I enjoyed the “informality” of the informational Wayne’s World newsletter. Like vultures circling their prey (did I say that out loud?), I was persuaded to become a regular contributor charged with providing human resource related information that would be helpful to the WTA community. As a drummer wannabe and handsome to boot, Garth was the logical selection for a pen name. You’ll have to watch the movie (again) to appreciate “the tractor beam” column name.

## The Tractor Beam (by Garth the HR Guy)

Having now established the desired results (for you UbD practitioners), the subject of this issue’s column is **direct deposit routing options**. The payroll system is structured to allow for up to three direct deposit routing choices in addition to your TSA (403b) contributions. This means that your pay can be directly deposited into any combination of three checking and/or savings accounts at any three financial institutions.

For example, this flexibility allows you to explore the many products and services currently available through the WCTA Federal Credit Union. By directing a deposit into a WCTA account, numerous automated transfers could occur between your WCTA accounts including club savings ac-

counts, fee free checking accounts, loan payments, credit card payments, etc. All account information is available through online banking. I encourage you to contact my office for a WCTA information pack or visit [www.wctafcu.com](http://www.wctafcu.com) for a complete overview of their products and services.

Next month, I’ll provide information on tax-sheltered annuities and the power of compounded interest (I’m getting all tingly just thinking about it).

In closing, I leave you with the words of Jack Handey from his Deep Thought #103: “It’s easy to sit there and say you’d like to have more money. And I guess that’s what I like about it.

It’s easy. Just sitting there, rocking back and forth, wanting that money.”

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WTA, on behalf of all of us, sends our sincerest thanks to our School Board members for all that they do in support of our children, staff, school, and community.

**Happy National School Board Recognition Week ( Oct. 27th—31st)!**