## PENOBSCOT INDIAN SCHOOL DEPARTMENT EMERGENCY MEETING OF THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE MONDAY, NOVEMBER 14, 2022 @ 11:00 A.M. Community Via Zoom

MEMBERS PRESENT: Carole Binette, Naomi Neptune,

Jo-Ann Lolar, Elisha Sockbeson.

OTHERS PRESENT: Lee Francis, Principal,

Dr. Reza Namin, Superintendent.

1. Chairperson Binette Called the meeting to order at 11:04 A.M.

2. ARPA Funding-Retention Incentive.

There will be a clearly outlined and detailed budget by Ms. Sockbeson and Principal Francis. The plan for the disbursement of funds will be based on the four academic years, starting with 2020-2021 (Remote Year), 2021-2022 (Hybrid Year), 2022-2023 (Current Year), and 2023-2024 next year. The employees will be paid the first two years as one payment and the next two years following the return of the signed contract. The list will include the position and employee identifier code. A letter of support will be submitted by Dr. Namin. The ARPA Committee meets 1st and 3rd Friday of each month. The goal is to present the final draft of the plan to the Tribal Council for approval by November 18, 2022.

3. Ms. Lolar made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 11:40 A.M, and Ms. Sockbeson seconded the motion. The vote was unanimous.

Respectfully submitted,

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Dr. Reza Namin, Superintendent of Schools

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