Maine School Administrative District No. 49 School Board Meeting Minutes

8 School Street, Fairfield, ME 04937 207-453-4200

August 10, 2017

A special meeting of the M.S.A.D. #49 Board of School Directors was held on August 10, 2017 at the Junior High School.

1. Roll Call & Declaration of Quorum

Boyden	: Present	Flood-Gerow	: Present	Michaud	: Present
Caverly	: Present	Knox	: Present	Rudnicki	: Present
Chesley	: Absent	Kugelmeyer	: Present	Tompkins	: Present
Dumont	: Absent	Liberty	: Present	Toto-Lawrence	: Present
		Martin	: Present		

Pledge of Allegiance

2. New Business

17-08-01

 $\underline{\text{Motion by Ms. Tompkins, 2}^{\text{nd}}}$ by Mr. Caverly vote to authorize three year lease of Chromebook. Motion withdrawn.

Board discussed issues about alternatives to leasing such as purchase, and requested more information.

17-08-02

Motion by Mr. Liberty, 2nd by Mr. Martin to vote to table Chromebook lease. Passed: 9-2-0.

17-08-03

Motion by Ms. Boyden, 2nd by Mr. Liberty to vote on the distribution of supplemental 2017-18 state school subsidy to distribute \$386,000 back to the local municipalities thereby reducing the need for assessment associated with school funding and to restore funding for the Jobs for Maine Graduates program and a library technician position. Passed: 7-4-0.

The board members unanimously emphasized that the subsidy being returned is intended to reduce property taxes that support the schools.

17-08-04

Motion by Ms. Boyden, 2nd by Ms. Kugelmeyer to vote to approve Tara Thompson as finance director. Passed: 11-0-0.

17-08-05

Motion by Mr. Caverly, 2nd by Ms. Flood to vote to go into executive session to interview a candidate for assistant superintendent. Passed: 11-0-0.

Time In: 7:30 pm Time Out: 7:47 pm

Break

Time In: 7:58 pm Time Out: 9:35 pm

17-08-06

Motion by Ms. Tompkins, 2nd by Mr. Liberty to approve the Superintendent offering Roberta Hersom a two-year contract as assistant superintendent with terms and conditions as negotiated. Passed: 10-1-0.

The meeting was adjourned at 9:38 p.m.

Respectfully,

Dean P. Baker

Dean P. Baker, Secretary to the Board

The next regular meeting of the M.S.A.D. #49 Board of Directors TBA.