Brunswick School Board Special Meeting

MINUTES

Wednesday, May 25, 2016 6:30 p.m. Council Chambers Town Hall 85 Union Street

School Board Members Present:

William Thompson, Chair; Joy Prescott, Vice Chair; Brenda Clough; Janet Connors; Richard Ellis; Teresa Gillis; Jim Grant;

Corinne Perreault; Sarah Singer

Staff Members Present:

Paul Perzanoski, Superintendent; Pender Makin, Assistant Superintendent; Jim Oikle, Business Manager; Steve

Ciembroniewicz, Coffin Principal; Jean Skorapa, HBS Principal; Walter Wallace, BJHS Principal; Lisa Cushman, BJHS Assistant

Principal

Town Councilors:

Dan Harris; John Eldridge, Town Manager

Call to Order/Pledge of Allegiance/Roll Call

Mr. Thompson called the meeting to order at 6:30 p.m., led the Pledge of Allegiance and asked for a roll call.

Adjustment to the Agenda

None

47. Discussion and possible action on the proposed Teacher/Principal Evaluation Plan.

Motion that Brunswick School Department adopts two of the components of the evaluation system piloted this year for classroom teachers and principals for the school year 2016-2017. Classroom teachers and principals would be evaluated based on standards selected from the Marshall Rubrics and development, completion and implementation of goals for the evaluation cycle. During the 2016-2017 school year the classroom teachers and principals will pilot the third component – Student Learning Objectives for possible inclusion in the process for the 2017-2018 school year. Staff members who are not building administrators or classroom teachers would be evaluated under the current document for the 2016-2017 school year while the committee completes work on appropriate rubrics for those job functions.

Motion: Connors

Second: Perreault

Vote: Unanimous of the Board members present

48. Discussion and possible action on the requested reduction of \$85,000 from the 2017 proposed School Department budget.

Chair Thompson asked for public comment on the budget. Richard Fisco, Jean Powers, Dan Harris spoke.

Motion to approve a total education budget of \$37,695,536 allocated to the cost centers as identified in the allocation attached to this motion.

Motion: Perreault

Second: Ellis

Vote: 8-1 (Singer opposed)

Motion passed.

Adjournment

By unanimous consent the meeting adjourned at 7:50 p.m.

Paul K. Perzanoski, Secretary