# Brunswick School Board MINUTES

Special Meeting on Facilities September 24, 2014 at 6:00 p.m. Town Hall 85 Union Street

School Board Members Present:

Michele Joyce, Chair; William Thompson, Vice Chair; Janet Connors; Richard Ellis; Christopher McCarthy;

Corinne Perreault; Joy Prescott; James Grant;

Brenda Clough (arrived at 6:10 p.m.)

Staff Members Present:

Paul Perzanoski, Superintendent; Gregory Bartlett, Assistant Superintendent; Walter Wallace, BJHS Principal; Lisa Cushman, BJHS Assistant Principal; Steve Ciembroniewicz, Coffin School Principal; Paul Caron, BGT Director; and Michelle Caron,

Assistant Director of Transportation.

Guests:

Lyndon Keck, PDT Architects; members of the press; and others.

### Call to Order/Pledge of Allegiance/Roll Call

Ms. Joyce called the meeting to order at 6:00p.m., led the Pledge of Allegiance and asked for a roll call.

# Adjustments to the Agenda

None

### Presentation: PDT Architects

Lyndon Keck presented options for the School Board, as requested in June 2014. (see attached agenda) He discussed the probability of working with the state. At this time there is no date for applications. He's been told it will be 2 years before the state calls for applications. Ten years of waiting may not be long enough. Lyndon also reviewed timelines for referendum, documents and construction. Historically construction costs increase on average of 2.5% per year. Last year it was 4.5%. PDT will have to review the estimated numbers of each option and get back to the School Board.

#### Discussion, possible action on next steps.

Time is needed to obtain more information from PDT. The School Board wants to hear the thoughts of staff. What does the application process look like? They want to try to look past the present need and be strategic about the decision.

## Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned by unanimous consent at 7:45 p.m.

Paul K. Perzanoski, Secretary Brunswick School Board