Franklin School Committee Minutes

May 22, 2012

Municipal Building – Council Chambers

Call to order: 7:00 p.m. Mrs. Rohrbach

Mrs. Rohrbach read the Districts Vision and Mission Statements. The Vision Statement reads the Franklin Public Schools will foster within its students the knowledge and skills to find and achieve satisfaction in life as productive global citizens. The Mission Statement reads the Franklin Public Schools, in collaboration with the community, will cultivate each student's intellectual, social, emotional and physical potential through rigorous academic inquiry and informed problem solving skills within a safe, nurturing and respectful environment.

Pledge of Allegiance:

Two 5th graders from the Parmenter School recited the Pledge of Allegiance.

Attendance: Mrs. Douglas, Mrs. Rohrbach, Mrs. McIntyre, Mrs. Trahan and Mr. Jewell were present. Also present were Superintendent Maureen Sabolinski, Assistant Superintendent Sally Winslow, Miriam Goodman, School Business Administrator, and other invited guests. Mr. Donahue and Mrs. Mullen were not in attendance. The FHS student representatives are on summer recess.

Moment of Silence:

A moment of silence was observed.

1. Routine Business

• Citizens Comments: None

• Review of Agenda: No additional items.

Minutes:

I recommend approval of the minutes from the May 8, 2012 School Committee

Meeting.

Motion: Mrs. Trahan Second: Mr. Jewell

Approve: 5 Absent: 2

• Payment of Bills: Mrs. McIntyre

Motion: Mrs. McIntyre Second: Mrs. Trahan

Approve: 5 Absent: 2

• Payroll:

Franklin School Committee Minutes – May 22, 2012 Final Copy Mrs. Douglas reviewed the payroll, found it to be in order and recommended acceptance.

- FHS Student Representatives: It was noted that yesterday was the last day of classes for the seniors they are now preparing for graduation and the Committee wishes them well.
- Correspondence: There was no correspondence to discuss at this evening's meeting.

2. Guests/Presentations:

- a. JF Kennedy Elementary School Update: Mrs. Toye, Principal of Kennedy, and Ms. Hess, art teacher at Kennedy, gave the Committee an overview of Kennedy's K-5 art program. Ms. Hess discussed the stages of artistic development and how art is connected to classroom learning.
- b. Keller Elementary School Update: Ms. Vincentsen discussed with the Committee her first year as principal at Keller. She noted that she is looking forward to reflecting on her transition and focusing on continuous improvement.

3. Discussion Only Items: None

4. Action Items:

1. I recommend acceptance of a check for \$50 from The Leukemia & Lymphoma Society for supplies at Remington Middle School.

Motion: Mrs. Trahan Second: Mrs. McIntyre

Approval: 5 Absent: 2

2. I recommend acceptance of a check for \$1,500 from Whitson's Food Service Corp. for a scholarship for Franklin High School.

Motion: Mrs. Trahan Second: Mrs. McIntyre

Approval: 5 Absent: 2

3. I recommend acceptance of a check for \$282.66 from Wells Fargo (Douglas Lee) for a FHS scholarship.

Motion: Mrs. Trahan Second: Mrs. McIntyre

Approval: 5 Absent: 2

4. I recommend acceptance of a check for \$250 from the Norfolk County DA for the FHS All Night Party.

Motion: Mrs. Trahan Second: Mrs. McIntyre

Approval: 5 Absent: 2

5. I recommend acceptance of a check for \$1,675 from the Franklin Music Boosters for in-house enrichment.

Motion: Mrs. Trahan Second: Mrs. McIntyre

Approval: 5 Absent: 2

6. I recommend acceptance of a check for \$1,050 from the ASMS PCC for a field trip.

Motion: Mrs. Trahan Second: Mrs. McIntyre

Approval: 5 Absent: 2

7. I recommend acceptance of a check for \$255 from BJ's Wholesale Club for the FPS District.

Motion: Mrs. Trahan Second: Mrs. McIntyre

Approval: 5 Absent: 2

5. Information Matters:

- Superintendent's Report: Mrs. Sabolinski noted that the National Honor Society inductions took place last evening. She also noted that tomorrow evening will be the culmination of Senior Project. New principals have been hired for both Jefferson and Davis Thayer. Lastly, she noted that all elementary schools will honor veterans with Memorial Day concerts.
- School Committee Sub-Committee Reports: No new information discussed at this time.
- School Committee Liaison Reports: Mrs. Rohrbach noted that the Joint Budget Sub Committee met and discussed both the 2013 and 2014 budget. She noted that they are concerned about the 2014 budget.
- **6.** New Business: No new information discussed at this time.
- 8. Executive Session:
 - Contractual Negotiations
- **8. Adjourn:** 7:55 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

Maureen Barker

List of documents

SCAgenda 5-22-12.pdf May 8, 2012 SCMinutes.pdf Payroll Warrant #1223 earnings.pdf Payroll Warrant #1223 summary.pdf Franklin Public Schools summary & sign off.doc SC Warrant 050312.pdf SC Warrant 051012.pdf ActionA.pdf

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