

UXBRIDGE SCHOOL COMMITTEE- SPECIAL MEETING
FRIDAY MAY 29, 2014
UXBRIDGE HIGH SCHOOL LIBRARY

School Committee Members in Attendance:

	Present	Absent
Melanie King, Chair	<u> X </u>	<u> </u>
Sean Dugan, Vice-Chair	<u> X </u>	<u> </u>
Charlene Miller, Member	<u> X </u>	<u> </u>
Debbie Stark, Member	<u> X </u>	<u> </u>
Michelle Taparausky, Member	<u> </u>	<u> X </u>
Jane Keegan, Member	<u> X </u>	<u> </u>
Jennifer Modica, Member	<u> X </u>	<u> </u>

1. Call to Order-

Melanie King, Chair, opened the meeting at 7:00pm.

2. Vote to Extend Superintendent’s Written Response to Evaluation

Ms. King informed the Committee of her separate conversations with the Committee’s attorney and Mr. Carney regarding the request to extend the June 1st response time to the day after school. She stated that it was requested due to the fact the cumulative response was still in question.

Jane Keegan felt that it was a reasonable request to ask for additional time given the busy month he has had.

Deb Stark stated that she felt it was odd that he hadn’t reached out to any of the Committee members to even start the process of discussing the individual evaluations. She added that she would honor the request if it was genuinely to figure out the differences in the cumulative evaluation, but if it were for anything else it would be a ‘no’.

Charlene Miller stated that all administrators statewide have busy agendas due to evaluations and other issues that arise in school districts, and that he could have taken the time to reach out to the Committee and provide an update.

Sean Dugan stated that he agreed with the other members’ comments regarding his full agenda, but he also agreed that it was unprofessional that the Committee has received very little correspondence from the Superintendent, and none regarding the evaluations, since the evaluation was read publicly. He went on to say that he would be willing to grant an extension of time, but would be open to that time being June 15th rather than June 24th because he has had time to think of what he’s going to say, so he doesn’t need 4 more weeks to think about it.

Ms. Stark added that another reason she would be open to extending the comment period would be avoid legal issues for the School District. The Committee agreed.

Sean Dugan moved that the Committee grant an extension of time to the contractually obligated June 1st response date for the Superintendent's Evaluation to Monday June 15, 2015 at 12pm. Deb Stark seconded the motion. The Committee voted in favor of said motion 5-0-1, with Jennifer Modica abstaining. MOTION PASSED.

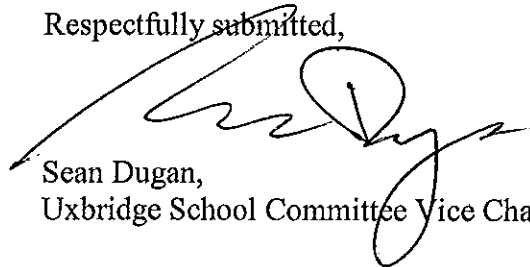
3. Adjournment

Ms. King entertained a motion for the Committee to enter into executive session by roll call vote with no new business to follow:

Sean Dugan moved that the Committee enter into executive session by roll call vote with no new business to follow. Charlene Miller seconded the vote. Deb Stark-YES, Charlene Miller-YES, Sean Dugan-YES, Melanie King-YES, Jennifer Modica-YES, Jane Keegan-YES.

The meeting was adjourned at 6:47pm.

Respectfully submitted,



Sean Dugan,
Uxbridge School Committee Vice Chairman

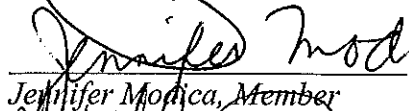
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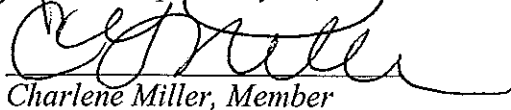
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