

Barrington Committee on Appropriations

Meeting Minutes

April 16, 2015

Opening

A joint meeting of the Barrington Committee on Appropriations and the Barrington School Committee was called to order at 7:03 pm on April 16, 2015 in the Barrington School Committee Room by Geoff Grove and Kate Brody

Present

In attendance: Geoff Grove, Chair; Chad Mollica, Peter Dennehy, and Melissa Horne. Also present Michael Messore, School Superintendent; Ron Tarro, the Director of Administration and Finance for the Barrington Public Schools, and Kate Brody, Bob Shea and John Alessandro, School Committee.

Open Issues

Geoff opened the floor for discussion of the counter-proposal made by the School Committee in response to the Committee's recommendations regarding its proposed budget by summarizing the Committee's recommendations and reading the email within which the counter-proposal was made. Following a lengthy discussion, Peter Dennehy made a motion that the Committee accept the School Committee's counter-proposal. Melissa seconded the motion, which passed by a 3-1 vote. Ron Tarro agreed to revise the school budget consistent with the counter-proposal and resubmit it to the Committee.

Adjournment

Meeting was adjourned at 7:35 pm by Geoff Grove and Kate Brody. The next general meeting will be at 7:00 pm on April 21, 2015, in the Senior Center.

Minutes submitted by: Melissa Horne

Approved by: Geoff Grove