

Minutes of the East Greenwich School Committee

Tuesday, August 23, 2016

East Greenwich Administration Building-Supt's Conference Room

111 Peirce Street

East Greenwich, RI 02818

7:30 a.m. Executive Session, Mr. Peterson made a motion to go into executive session for discussion and/or action regarding those items of business exempt from open meetings under Rhode Island General Laws §42-46-4 and §42-46-5 (a) (2) Teacher Negotiations. Mr. Fain seconded the motion, which passed 4-0.

Those in attendance were Ms. Carolyn Mark, Chair; Mr. Matt Plain; Mr. Michael Fain; and Mr. Stuart Peterson. Mrs. Mary Ellen Winters, Vice-Chair and Dr. Yan Sun were absent. Dr. Victor Mercurio, Superintendent; Mrs. Gail Wilcox, Director of Administration; and Attorney Matthew were also in attendance.

7:45 a.m. Special Meeting

I. Call to Order

Ms. Mark called the meeting to order at 8:03 a.m.

II. Action Items

a. Appointments

- 1. Library Media Specialist 1.0 FTE-Frenchtown-Michelle Steever**
- 2. French Teacher 0.4 FTE-EGHS-Aubrie Taylor**

3. Special Education Resource Teacher 1.0 FTE-Meadowbrook-Kristen Gencarelli

4. Special Education Severe/Profound Teacher 1.0 FTE-Meadowbrook- Jennifer Lauriat

On a motion by Mr. Fain, which was seconded by Mr. Plain, the Committee voted 4-0 to approve appointments #1-4. All appointments are pending the necessary TB test and BCI requirements.

5. Reading Specialist 1.0 FTE-Meadowbrook

On a motion by Mr. Plain, which was seconded by Mr. Peterson, the Committee voted

4-0 to table this appointment.

6. Grade 3 Teacher 1.0 FTE-Hanaford-Jaclyn Cianciolo

7. Self-Contained 1:1- 1.0 FTE Paraprofessional-Eldredge-Melissa Kearney

8. ELA teacher 1.0 FTE – EGHS-Allison Bryer

9. Math teacher 0.5 FTE-EGHS-Aaron Shaw

On a motion by Mr. Fain, which was seconded by Mr. Plain, the Committee voted 4-0 to approve appointments #6-9. All appointments are pending the necessary TB test and BCI requirements.

b. Additional 0.4 FTE Math Teacher-Cole

Dr. Mercurio gave the rationale for this new position, which has less than a \$20,000 fiscal impact. On a motion by Mr. Peterson, which was seconded by Mr. Fain, the Committee voted 4-0 to approve an additional 0.4 Math Teacher at Cole. The position/pay are retroactive to the first day of school. This position will be posted internally and externally on SchoolSpring.com.

c. Discussion/potential action-recall of personnel from the layoff list
Dr. Mercurio recommended recalling the personnel who were placed on layoff. All teachers on layoff will be contacted and if available, returned to their previous position. On a motion by Mr. Fain, which was seconded by Mr. Plain, the Committee voted 4-0 to recall personnel from the layoff list.

d. Resignation

1. MacKenzie Marrow Owens, Paraprofessional, Cole

On a motion by Mr. Plain, which was seconded by Mr. Peterson, the Committee voted
4-0 to table this resignation.

III. Adjournment

On a motion by Mr. Plain, which was seconded by Mr. Fain, the Committee voted 4-0 to go out of the special session at 8:11 a.m.

CHRISTINE DIMEGLIO

SECRETARY