

**MILLINOCKET SCHOOL COMMITTEE REGULAR MEETING
ZOOM MEETING
TUESDAY, JUNE 2, 2020
4:30 PM**

Richard Angotti, Jr.	Present arrival at 4:33 PM
Hilary Emery	Present
Kevin Gregory	Present arrival at 4:33 PM
Peter Jamieson	Present
Warren Steward	Present
Francis Boynton, Superintendent	Present
Makayla Pepper, Student Representative	Excused

I. Call to Order

The meeting was called to order at 4:30 PM by Warren Steward, Chairperson.

II. Adjustments to the Agenda

None

III. Public Comment

The Chair honored the memory of employee Paul Coover, who passed away last week with a moment of silence.

Erika Mackin reiterated her suggestion that the Board Meetings be at a later time to encourage community participation. Another community member echoed the suggestion.

IV. Approval of Minutes

Motion: To approve the minutes of the School Board Meetings May 5 and May 19, 2020, barring any errors or omissions.

Motioned by: Peter Jamieson **Seconded by:** Richard Angotti

Board Discussion:

None

Voted: 5 - Yes 0 - No 0 - Abs

V. Payroll Warrant

Motion: It was moved to direct the Superintendent of Schools to authorize payment by the Town Treasurer to each party listed herein, the sum set against each name contained in School Payroll Warrant #20-25 in the amount of \$207,565.27 on June 4, 2020.

Motioned by: Richard Angotti **Seconded by:** Peter Jamieson

Board Discussion:

None

Voted: 5 - Yes 0 - No 0 - Abs

VI. Payable Warrant

Motion: It was moved to direct the Superintendent of Schools to authorize payment by the Town Treasurer to each party listed herein, the sum set against each name contained in School Payable Warrant #20-38 in the amount of \$100,101.20 on June 4, 2020.

Motioned by: Richard Angotti **Seconded by:** Kevin Gregory

Board Discussion:

None

Voted: 5 - Yes 0 - No 0 - Abs

VII. To see if the Board will approve the Superintendent’s appointment of the Summer Food Service Program positions

Motion: To approve the Superintendent’s appointment of the Summer Food Service Program positions.

Food Manager:
Lori Arsenault \$23.00/hour

Certified Assistants:
Barbara Brown \$15.50/hour
Kristy Nutting \$15.50/hour

Uncertified Assistants:
Sheila Baker \$12.00/hour
Tammy Demers \$12.00/hour
Kristen Harmon \$12.20/hour

Motioned by: Kevin Gregory **Seconded by:** Richard Angotti

Board Discussion:

Same salaries as last year, except the minimum wage increase for the uncertified assistants.

Staff is working on how the lunches will be distributed this summer.

Voted: 5 - Yes 0 - No 0 - Abs

VIII. To see if the Board will approve the 2020-2021 school budget

Motion: To approve the 2020-2021 school budget discussion.

Motioned by: Kevin Gregory **Seconded by:** Hilary Emery

Board Discussion:

The Region Committee voted last Tuesday so the budget can be reduced by \$30,000 in the Region III section. The Superintendent suggested the \$30,000 be moved to the Nurse's lines in the event of costs relating to COVID19.

Richard Angotti voiced he prefers a reduction of \$30,000 in the budget. Kevin Gregory agreed that the \$30,000 be taken off. That brings us to \$27,000 over last year's budget.

Voted: 5 - Yes 0 - No 0 - Abs

Motion: To approve the 2020-2021 school budget with the amendment of the \$30,000.

Motioned by: Kevin Gregory **Seconded by:** Peter Jamieson

Board Discussion:

The amount of the budget over next year is \$27,142.

The Board discussed presenting the budget to the Town Council.

Voted: 5 - Yes 0 - No 0 - Abs

IX. Adjournment

Meeting adjourned at 5:10 PM

Motion by: Peter Jamieson **Seconded by:** Kevin Gregory

Voted: 5 – Yes 0 - No 0 - Abs

UPCOMING MEETINGS:

Tuesday, June 16, 2020

Tuesday, June 30, 2020

Respectfully submitted,

Francis N. Boynton
Superintendent of Schools