

SCHOOL ADMINISTRATIVE UNIT 50
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The SAU 50 School Board met on Wednesday, November 14, at 6:30 p.m. at Rye Junior High School, Rye, New Hampshire.

School Board Members Present: John Balboni, Alyson Baryjames, Randy Bunnell, Deb Crapo, Maria Emory, Margaret Honda, Mark Joyce, Randy Lynch, Jeanne Moynahan (Chair), Jack O'Reilly, Chris Russo, Daphne Schwab, Paula Tssetsilas, Patrick Walsh

School Board Members Not Present: Scott Marion, Richard Spaulding

Administrators: Salvatore Petralia – Superintendent
Kelli Killen – Assistant Superintendent
Amy R. Ransom–Business Administrator
Sarah Reinhardt – Special Education Director

Visitors: None

Call to Order

Jeanne Moynahan called the meeting to order at 6:34 PM.

SECRETARY'S REPORT

APPROVAL OF PUBLIC MINUTES

On a motion Ms. Crapo, seconded by Mr. Bunnell, the Board approved the public minutes from the October 3, 2018 SAU 50 Joint Board meeting. Vote: 11:0:3; Ms. Schwab, Ms. Crapo and Mr. O'Reilly abstained.

On a motion Ms. Honda, seconded by Mr. Bunnell, the Board approved the non-public minutes from the October 3, 2018 SAU 50 Joint Board meeting. Vote: 11:0:3; Ms. Schwab, Ms. Crapo and Mr. O'Reilly abstained.

COMMUNICATIONS

Mr. Petralia had no communications to share with the Board.

REPORTS

Business Administrator's Report

Ms. Ransom presented the SAU 50 Operating Budget. Included in the budget were items such as a Technology Administrator, percentage raises for staff, and discussion regarding the change in the Database Administrator position.

Mr. Bunnell questioned the Longevity Salary for certain Central Office personnel. Ms. Ransom explained that the Longevity Salary is explained in more detail within the staff handbook. She noted that it is broken out as it is not factored from the base.

Mr. Lynch questioned how districts pay for tuition students. Ms. Ransom indicated they were included within the SAU 50 budget as part of the calculations for all students.

A question arose in regard to the state reporting of Pre-K and Kindergarten students. It was noted the state uses the identifying numbers thirteen and fourteen rather than the terms Pre-K and K.

The new Collaboration Committee was discussed. It was determined that Board members should send names of those interested in joining the committee to Ms. Moynahan.

Unfinished Business

Area Agreement/Lister Academy

Mr. Petralia presented a letter sent to Superintendent Zdravec of Portsmouth, regarding the Robert J. Lister Agreement. Ms. Reinhardt reviewed with members the current history of students that have utilized the services under the Lister Academy. She noted that students have participated in both a full and half day program.

AGENDA PLANNING

- December 19, 2018 SAU Joint Board Meeting at 6:30 p.m. at Rye Junior High School
- March 27, 2019 SAU 50 Joint Board Meeting at 6:30 p.m. at Greenland Central School
- May 22, 2019 SAU 50 Joint Board Meeting at 6:30 p.m. at Maude H. Trefethen School

The Board took a straw vote to approve the SAU50 Preliminary 2019-2020 Operating Budget as presented by Amy Ransom. The vote was 11:3:0

NON PUBLIC


On a motion by Ms. Emory, seconded by Mr. Lynch the Board entered in to non-public session at 5:39 p.m. in accordance with RSA 91-A3 II (a).

On a motion by Mr. O'Reilly, seconded by Ms. Honda the Board voted to return to public session at 6:40 p.m.

ADJOURNMENT

On a motion by Dr. Joyce, seconded by, Ms. Crapo, the Board adjourned at 7:22 p.m. Vote: 12:0

Respectfully Submitted,
Sarah Reinhardt
Special Education Director
November 15, 2018



Patrick Walsh Scott Marion
Secretary Vice-Chair

12/19/18
Date