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Minutes
Machias School Committee
Wednesday, February 2, 2022
Machias Memorial High School
4:00 PM

Attendance: Teresa Saddler, Richard Shaw, William Weaver, Joleen Nicely,
Calia Burke.

Others Present: Nicole Case, Sue Dow, Mary Maker, Mitchell Look, Scott Porter.

I. Call to order at 3:59 p.m. by Teresa Saddler.

II. **Approval of the minutes of January 12, 2022.**

Motion by Calia Burke to approve the minutes of January 12, 2022.

Second: William Weaver; Vote: 5-0.

III. **Agenda Adjustments:**

The Superintendent informed the School Committee that the budget meeting with the Machias Selectmen has been scheduled for Wednesday, April 27, 2022.

IV. **Public Comment:** None.

V. **Principals' Reports:**

RMG: Enclosed.

MMHS: Enclosed.

VI. **New Business:**

1. Full Plates/Full Potential Project (JMG Students):

The Full Plates/Full Potential Project presentation has been postponed until the next Machias School Committee meeting.

2. Federal Vaccination Law Update:

The Superintendent informed the School Committee that the United States Supreme Court did not uphold President Biden's 100 employee vaccination mandate.

3. COVID Updates:

The Superintendent spoke regarding current COVID conditions on the Machias Campus. He also informed the School Committee regarding recent Maine CDC Standard Operating Procedure changes.

4. Roof Project Update:

The Superintendent informed the School Committee the Revolving Renovation application for the Rose M. Gaffney roof project has been approved by the Maine Department of Education. The Superintendent will be working with the Architect to develop bid specifications.

5. FY 23 State Subsidy Levels:

The Superintendent informed the School Committee that the Town of Machias will receive \$2,222,653.23 in State subsidy in FY 23.

6. 22/23 CTE Programs:

The Superintendent informed the School Committee that CTE will receive \$2,133,551.77 in State subsidy.

7. Executive Session: Negotiations: 1 M.R.S.A. § 405(6)(D):

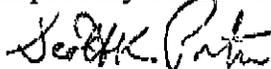
Motion to enter into Executive Session at 4:35 p.m. by Teresa Saddler.
Second: Joleen Nicely; Vote: 5-0.

Declared out of Executive Session at 4:40 p.m. by Teresa Saddler.

VII. Adjournment:

Motion to adjourn at 4:41 p.m. by Teresa Saddler.
Second: William Weaver; Vote: 5-0.

Respectfully Submitted,



Scott K. Porter

Superintendent of Schools

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Machias Bay Area School System

Principal Message: Feb. 7, 2022

Chad, Mike R. and myself continue to meeting with the school safety committee around Risk Assessment and reviewing our school safety plans

We are still participating in the Outdoor Ed program in grade 5, Britney Foster from 4-H University of Maine Coop Extension worked with the 7th grade with a theme of environmental Education

Caitlyn Roy, gr. 5 teacher, has been selected to receive the 2021 Hess Toy Truck Stem kit for her classroom.

We finished NWEA testing last week. NAEP testing is February 15th for grade 4.

Playoffs will begin this week in winter sports.

We had another very successful COVID clinic on campus recently.

Our JMG/ Specials classes have delivered a variety of supplies to the ARK.

The students are making valentines for Marshalls and the Veterans home.

Several kids are taking advantage of the mitten tree. Lori is very thankful for the supplies that you gave her.

Thank you for everything you do.

MMHS Principal's Report February 2, 2022

Enrollment

- ◆ 163

ESSER III

- ◆ First Phase of Groundwork
 - Internet has been restored

Athletics

- ◆ Basketball & Cheering
 - Boys 12-0
 - Girls 10-4 First 10 win season since
 - Cheering - no competition

Professional Development

Lead Water Testing

Layers of Protection

- ◆ Handwashing
- ◆ Pooled Testing (# participants growing)
- ◆ Masks
- ◆ Distancing

Covid Concerns

- ◆ Staffing
- ◆ Report Cards

Quarantine

- ◆ Currently 19 active positive cases