

**RSU No. 5 Board of Directors Meeting
Wednesday, March 17, 2021 – 6:30 p.m.
Freeport High School - Cafeteria / Hybrid Remote Meeting
Meeting Minutes**

(NOTE: These Minutes are not official until approved by the Board of Directors. Such action, either to approve or amend and approve, is anticipated at the April 14, 2021 meeting).

1. CALLED TO ORDER:

Chair Michelle Ritcheson called the meeting to order at 6:33 p.m.

2. MEMBERS PRESENT: Jeremy Clough, Candace deCsipkes, Lindsey Furtney, Jennifer Galletta, Susana Hancock (attended remotely), Angela King-Horne, Elisabeth Munsen, Maura Pillsbury, Michelle Ritcheson, Valeria Steverlynck, Madelyn Vertenten, Brady Grogan, Student Representative

MEMBERS ABSENT: None

3. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE:

4. CONSIDERATION OF MINUTES:

None

5. ADJUSTMENTS TO THE AGENDA:

Add Item #14 Update on FHS going to 5 day a week in person learning.

6. GOOD NEWS AND RECOGNITION:

A. Report from Board's Student Representative - Brady Grogan

7. PUBLIC COMMENT:

None

8. REPORTS FROM SUPERINTENDENT:

A. Budget Update

9. PUBLIC INPUT:

A. Public Input on the FY22 Budget

None

10. ADMINISTRATOR REPORTS:

None

11. BOARD COMMENTS AND COMMITTEE REPORTS:

None

12. POLICY REVIEW:

None

13. UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

A. Board deliberations on the FY22 Budget.

14. NEW BUSINESS:

A. Update on FHS going to 5 day a week in person learning.

15. PERSONNEL:

None

16. PUBLIC COMMENT:

None

17. EXECUTIVE SESSION:

VOTED: To enter into Executive Session as outlined in 1 M.R.S.A § 405(6)(D) for the purpose of discussing Administrator negotiations for RSU5.

(Steeverlynck – Pillsbury) (11 – 0) The student representative voted with the majority.

Time In: 8:28 p.m.

Time Out: 9:29 p.m.

18. ACTION AS A RESULT OF EXECUTIVE SESSION:

A. VOTED: To authorize the Superintendent to execute contracts for the following administrators, as discussed in Executive Session. (Munsen - Clough) (11 – 0)

Julie Nickerson
Emily Grimm
Lisa Demick
Ray Grogan
Conor Walsh

Will Pidden
Kelli Rogers
Jen Gulko
Charlie Mellon

Craig Sickels
Gayle Wolotsky
Rick Kusturin
Bonnie Violette

Dennis Ouellette
Erin Dow.
Peter Wagner
Cynthia Alexander

19. ADJOURNMENT:

VOTED: To adjourn at 9:31 p.m. (Steeverlynck – Vertenten) (11 – 0)


Becky J. Foley Superintendent of Schools