

**Monadnock Regional School District
School Board Meeting Minutes
Non-Public Session
November 1, 2022
MRMHS Library/Zoom, Swanzey, NH**

Members Present: Lisa Steadman, Scott Peters, Kristen Noonan via Zoom, Dan LeClair, Michelle Connor, Colleen Toomey, Eric Stanley, Jennifer Strimbeck and Brian Bohannon.
Absent: Nick Mosher, Betty Tatro and Cheryl McDaniel-Thomas.

Also Present: J. Rathbun, Assistant Superintendent, C. Woods, Director of Student Service and J. Morin, Business Administrator.

8:00 PM Non-Public Session RSA 91-A:3 II (c) Matters which, if discussed in public, would likely adversely affect the reputation of any person:

Issue #1: Mark Polifrone, Music/Chorus Teacher will be retiring from MRMHS in June 2024. The 18-month notice was given.

Issue #2: Cheryl Wagner has given her resignation. The position has already been filled.

Issue #3: J. Rathbun has informed the Board that a staff member who lives in another district would like his child to attend the MRSD. This would be the 7th student asking to attend the MRSD this year. It is in the MRSD Policy that after allowing 5 students a year to attend MRSD any additional requests would have to go before the Board. J. Rathbun explained that there is a staffing concern. E. Stanley said that it is a positive thing to have students of staff attend this district. S. Peters agreed but the Board would like to discuss this with the administration.

MOTION: S. Peters **MOVED** to have the administration research staffing capacity to support this impact honoring the employee request to enroll their child in the district (7th student this year above the maximum 5 student policy. **SECOND:** K. Noonan. **DISCUSSION:** The Board discussed the concern of class size and staffing. This motion will ask the administration to research that concern. **VOTE:** 8.302/1.132/0/3.567. **Motion passes.**

MOTION: C. Toomey **MOVED** to leave non-public session. **SECOND:** M. Connor **VOTE:** 9.863/0/0/3.317. **Motion passes.**

Respectfully submitted,

**Laura L. Aivaliotis
MRSD Recording Secretary**