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PEMBROKE SCHOOL COMMITTEE MEETING

Tuesday, April 29, 2025

North Pembroke Elementary School Library

Immediately following Public Budget Hearing

Call to Order

Mrs. Glennon called the meeting to order at 7:18 P.M.

Present from Administration: Erin Obey, Superintendent; Marybeth Brust, Assistant Superintendent; Jessica DeLorenzo, Director of Student Services

Present from Committee: Allison Glennon, Vice Chair; Katrina Delaney, Clerk; David Boyle and Susan Bollinger
Absent: Patrick Chilcott

Pledge of Allegiance

Public Comment

Mr. Don Bryant thanked the committee for addressing the issue of biological men in women's sports and emphasized the importance of open discussion. He expressed concern about the risk of victim-shaming the young girl injured in the Dighton-Rehoboth school district, cautioning against language that places responsibility on her. He noted she followed regulations and suggested moving away from blaming her. As the committee prepares for their next meeting, he urged them to focus on constructive recommendations to the MIAA while being mindful of this sensitive issue.

Acknowledge & Schedule Visitors

Mrs. Glennon welcomed the audience members.

Adjustments to the Agenda

None

Communications

Mrs. Obey said there has been an open meeting law complaint that has been filed, and the committee will discuss it at the next meeting.

Approval of Bill Schedule

Warrants were circulated electronically.

Future Meeting Dates and Topics

5/6 and 5/13 – before Town Meeting at PHS

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Voting No: none

Abstaining: none
Absent: Patrick Chilcott

APPROVED: May 13, 2025

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