

Timberlane Regional School Board

Atkinson, Danville, Plaistow and Sandown
New Hampshire

TRSB meeting
Immediately follow the Deliberative Session
February 5, 2009

Performing Arts Center
Plaistow, NH

Call to Order

At the office of the Superintendent of Schools, Mr. Baldwin called the meeting of the Timberlane Regional School District School Board to order at 9:30 PM.

Timberlane Regional School Board Roll Call

Lori Aubrey, William Baldwin (Chair), Stephen Brown (Vice-Chair), Arlene Champey, Robert Collins, Elizabeth Kosta, Michael Mascola (9:40 PM), Lisa Withee.

Administrators Present:

Richard La Salle	Superintendent of Schools
Charles Coker	Director of Secondary Education
George Stokinger	Business Administrator (9:40 PM)
Donald Woodworth	Principal – Timberlane Regional High School

Mr. Baldwin asked the board's thoughts on the deliberative session.

All members agreed the Sandown consolidation project appeared to be the highlight of the meeting and communication to the voters would be an important aspect in bringing this project to fruition. The board noted that the Sandown Central School and its land are part of the District which is owned by all four towns. The decision would not be made by Sandown alone; however the Town of Sandown would be given special consideration with all options for the land and building. They reviewed the points brought up by residents.

Mr. Collins inquired about the curriculum process for altering courses. Mr. La Salle iterated the process for curriculum changes and the considerations that any change would address. The discussion continued outlining documentation of the curriculum, scheduling, core curriculum courses and the culture of the schools. Mr. La Salle addressed the rigor of instruction, the importance of challenging students as well as the college choices of seniors.

Having no other business to present Mr. Baldwin adjourned the meeting at 10:35 PM.

Respectfully Submitted,



Nancy Danahy
TRSB Clerk