

## PENTUCKET REGIONAL SCHOOL COMMITTEE

Pentucket Regional High School  
March 17, 2009

Members Present: Chairman Atwood, Mrs. Moran, Mrs. Kastrinelis, Mrs. Conner, Mr. D'Amore, Mr. Willett, Mrs. McGrail, and Ms. Eichhorst

Also Present: Dr. Livingston, Dr. Hart, and Ms. McWilliams

Call to Order: Chairman Atwood called the meeting to order at 7:45 p.m. Students from the High School Fine and Performing Arts were in attendance. They played music for members from 7:15 – 7:30. Students were then recognized and received awards.

Roll Call: Roll call was taken. The majority vote was 4.0. Dr. Treado was absent.

### Agenda

#### Motion/Vote

It was moved by Mrs. Moran and seconded by Mrs. Eichhorst to accept the agenda as amended. The amendments were to discuss/comment the lead custodians' reduction, the French program update, the MASC regional transportations meeting, the Special Education Director's search team, an additional meeting in April and to add the math curriculum at the middle and high school as a future agenda item. Motion carried. (unanimous approval)

### Minutes

#### Motion/Vote

It was moved by Mrs. Moran and seconded by Mrs. Eichhorst to approve the business meeting minutes of March 3, 2009. Motion carried. (unanimous approval)

#### Motion/Vote

It was moved by Mrs. Moran and seconded by Mrs. Eichhorst to approve the finance subcommittee minutes of February 24, 2009. Motion carried. (unanimous approval)

### Correspondence

#### Motion/Vote

It was moved by Mrs. Moran and seconded by Mrs. Eichhorst to accept and file the correspondence. Motion carried. (unanimous approval)

#### Motion/Vote

It was moved by Mrs. Kastrinelis and seconded by Mr. D'Amore to extend an invitation to the Merrimac Selectmen to come to the next School Committee meeting to discuss their issues. Motion carried. (for: McGrail, Willett, D'Amore, Kastrinelis, Atwood, Eichhorst, Conner)(opposed: Moran)(for: 6.8)(opposed: 1.1)

### New Business

#### Lead Custodians' Reduction

#### Motion/Vote

It was moved by Mrs. Conner and seconded by Mr. Willett to restore the \$23,000 deduction for lead custodians. Motion failed. (for: Conner, D'Amore, Willett)(opposed: Moran, McGrail, Atwood, Eichhorst, Kastrinelis)(for: 3.0)(opposed: 4.9)

### School Calendar 2009 – 2010

#### Amendment/Motion/Vote

It was moved by Mrs. Conner and seconded by Mr. Willett to reduce the early release days to ten (10) from twenty (20). Motion failed. (for: Conner, Willett, McGrail)(opposed: Kastrinelis, D'Amore, Atwood, Eichhorst, Moran)(for: 3.0)(opposed: 4.9)

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Motion/Vote

It was moved by Mrs. Moran and second by Mrs. Eichhorst to approve the calendar as amended.

Meeting Communication to the Public

Adjournment

Motion/Vote

Respectfully submitted,

Marianne Naffah  
Recording Secretary