SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT FOR October 10, 2017 Cape Elizabeth, Maine

A regular business meeting of the School Board was held on Tuesday, October 10, 2017 at 7:00 p.m. in the Cape Elizabeth Town Hall Council Chambers. An executive session immediately preceded.

School Board members present: Heather Altenburg

Kimberly Carr

Susana Measelle Hubbs, Vice-Chair

Barbara Powers

Elizabeth Scifres, Chair

John Voltz

Alison Ingalls, Student Representative

Howard P. Colter, Interim Superintendent of Schools

Absent: Joanna Morrissey

Emily Healy, Student Representative

Ms. Scifres called the meeting to order at 7:08 pm.

1. ADJUSTMENTS TO AGENDA - none

2. APPROVAL OF SCHOOL BOARD MINUTES -

- a) Executive Session, Tuesday, September 12, 2017
- b) Regular Business, Tuesday, September 12, 2017
- c) Workshop, Tuesday, September 26, 2017
- d) Special Business, Tuesday, September 26, 2017
- Ms. Powers made a motion to approve the slate of minutes as presented. Ms. Altenburg seconded. (Approved 6-0)
- 3. <u>COMMENTS BY STUDENT REPRESENTATIVES</u> High school representative, Ali Ingalls, spoke briefly on items of interest from the students' perspective.
- 4. **COMMENTS FROM PUBLIC ON AGENDA ITEMS** [per SBoard Policy BEDH] —

Chris Straw (Shore Rd) - speaking to agenda item 5c. Stated his belief that the board appropriately approved a full-time curriculum director during the last budget cycle... Would like to see data results explored thoroughly, specifically relating to class of 2025 (current 5th grade) math scores.

5. COMMUNICATIONS

- a) **Portland Arts & Technology High School (PATHS) program student(s)** Student Andy Erskine spoke briefly about his learning opportunities at PATHS' culinary program.
- b) Principals' Update postponed in lieu of MEA presentation
- c) **2016-17 Maine Education Assessment (MEA) Results** Director of Teaching and Learning Cathy Stankard presented the district's latest MEA assessment data results.

She will return to a future meeting to speak more specifically on how this data will influence instruction and increase students' learning.

- d) Superintendent's Report Superintendent Colter updated the Board on items of interest and provided an overview of current student enrollment. The Town Manager would like all town board members, including the school board, to begin using town-issued email accounts. The School Nutrition department has initiated a 'backpack' program to provide healthy, non-perishable food to students and their families during weekends or school breaks. If you or someone you know would like to participate in the backpack program, please contact a member of your school's administration (principal, nurse, counselor or nutrition director). Increasingly, area school districts seem to be moving to later start times.
- e) Superintendent Search Update Ms. Scifres announced the 2018 superintendent search has been launched. Interested candidates can get more information about the timeline, process, and district by visiting the home page of the district web site www.cape.k12.me.us. It is hoped that interviewing will be scheduled during mid-November with a candidate nomination in December 2017.

6. NEW BUSINESS

- a) Consideration to approve the Cape Elizabeth School Department's Administrators' Performance Evaluation and Professional Growth (P-PEPG) Plan. Ms. Measelle Hubbs motioned to approve the plan as presented. Ms. Powers seconded. (Approved 6-0)
- b) Consideration and action to approve the following 2017-18 administrative, athletic, and extra curricular personnel nominations.
 - Ms. Powers motioned for approval of the slate as presented. Mr. Voltz seconded. (Approved 7/3+

HIGH SCHOOL

Drama Performance - Fall Christine Marshall Drama Performance - Spring Christine Marshall Freshman co-Advisor Sarah McKeown Freshman co-Advisor Marie Cross Gay Straight Alliance Advisor Kevin St. Jarre Sophomore Advisor Tom Kohan Theater Management Christine Marshall Visual Arts - Semester 1 Sarah Collins Visual Arts - Semester 2 Sarah Collins **Theater Class Productions Dick Mullen** Basketball, Boys' varsity Jim Ray Basketball, Boys' JV Kevin Fogg Basketball, Girls' varsity Chris Casterella

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Basketball, Girls' JV Tom Robinson

Basketball, Unified Sarah Boeckel

Swimming, Head Ben Raymond

Swimming, Asst David Croft

Ice Hockey, Boys' varsity Matthew Buotte

Ice Hockey, Girls' varsity Bob Mills

Ice Hockey, Girls' varsity Kevin Joy

Indoor Track, Head Doug Worthley

Indoor Track, Asst Andrew Lupien

Alpine Ski, Head Jeff Davis

Indoor Track, Strength Coach Mike McLaughlin (booster-funded)

Basketball, First Team Connor Hasson (booster-funded)

Diving Coach Michael Bartley (booster-funded)

Alpine Ski Asst. Claude Lemelin (booster-funded)

Ice Hockey, Boys' varsity asst. Lane Feldman (booster-funded)

Ice Hockey, Boys' varsity asst. Joe Hetrick (booster-funded)

MIDDLE SCHOOL

Debate Carrie Newton

Robotics (gr 5-6) Tom Charltray

Boys 8th Basketball Joey Doane

Boys 7th Basketball Joe Doane

Boys Exp Basketball David Shields

DISTRICT PLCSS

Mentor for Beth Neuts Kim Huchel

Mentor for Jake Haugevik Cheryl Joys

Mentor for Julie Merriam Mary Dulac

Mentor for Ginger Raspiller Chris Newell

- c) Consideration and action to approve the following policy as presented Ms. Powers motioned for approval as presented. Ms. Altenburg seconded. (Approved 6-0)
 - JJJ: High School Co-curricular and Extracurricular Activities Eligibility and Code of Conduct
- d) Consideration to approve a CEHS Model UN/World Affairs Council Trip to Boston College Model UN Conference (EagleMUNC) in Boston, MA March 16-18, 2018 Ms. Measelle Hubbs motioned for approval. Ms. Powers seconded. (Approved 6-0)

- e) Consideration to approve a CEHS Model UN/World Affairs Council Trip to Dartmouth College Model UN Conference (DartMUNC) in Hanover, NH April 6-8, 2018 Ms. Measelle Hubbs motioned for approval. Ms. Powers seconded. (Approved 6-0)
- f) Consideration to approve the following job description Ms. Powers motioned for approval of the amended job description as presented. Mr. Voltz seconded. (Approved 6-0) Cathy Stankard handed out a revised version of this new, administrative curricular job description and defended the importance of having proficiency-based education positions at the Middle School. Stipends will be funded through a grant during the 2017-18 school year.
 - Content Leader Middle School
- 7. <u>COMMITTEE REPORTS</u> Ms. Measelle Hubbs reported that the next Town Comprehensive Plan meeting would be October 23. Superintendent Search committee will begin shortly.
- 8. <u>SCHOOL BOARD AGENDA REQUESTS</u> Consideration of future workshop on school (late) start times, perhaps in association with calendar development and wellness, was proposed by John Voltz.
- 9. <u>ANNOUNCEMENTS OF UPCOMING MEETINGS</u> The Policy Committee will meet next on Tuesday, October 24 immediately prior to that evening's regularly scheduled **School Board Workshop** which begins at 6:30pm in the CEHS Library.
- 10. <u>ADJOURNMENT</u> Ms. Measelle Hubbs made a motion to adjourn. Ms. Powers seconded. (Approved 7-0)

The meeting was adjourned at 8:35 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Howard P. Colter

Interim Superintendent of Schools