

**Rochester School Board**  
**Regular School Board Minutes**  
August 8, 2019  
City Council Chambers

**DRAFT**

**Members Present:**

Mr. Matthew Pappas, Vice  
Chair  
Mrs. Karen Stokes  
Mrs. Anne Grassie  
Ms. Julie Brown  
Mrs. Audrey Stevens  
Mr. Joseph Devine  
Mr. Nathaniel Byrne

**Members Absent:**

Mr. Paul Lynch  
Mrs. Amy Malone  
Mr. Raymond Turner  
Mr. Robert Watson  
Mr. Matthew Beaulieu  
Mrs. Sarah Harrington

**Also Present:**

Mr. Kyle Repucci, Superintendent  
Mrs. Linda Bartlett, Business  
Administrator  
Ms. Cherie Mann  
Guests & Public

Mr. Pappas called the meeting to order at 7:01 p.m. on a roll call with a quorum present. Members participated in the pledge of allegiance.

Last Minutes                Ms. Brown moved, second by Mrs. Stevens, the Board approve the minutes of the July 11, 2019 Regular School Board meeting. The motion carried unanimously.

**Superintendent's Report**

Mr. Kyle Repucci, Superintendent of Schools, thanked Dave Totty, Facilities Director, and his staff for all their hard work cleaning the buildings and getting them ready for the 2019-2020 school year; they are all doing a great job. He also thanked Ray Turner for his work making a draft web page for the 5 Year Strategic Plan Committee; he had great ideas for how to make it better. Mr. Repucci gave an update on the open positions at this time.

**Public Comment**

Three 8<sup>th</sup> grade students at the Rochester Middle School shared that they will be welcoming the new 6<sup>th</sup> graders on their first day of school and invited the School Board members to join them on August 28<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 a.m. by the gym.

**Committee Reports**

***Building Committee:***

No action required.

***Instruction Committee:***

No action required.

***Personnel Committee:***

Contract Renewal                Ms. Brown moved, second by Mrs. Grassie, the Board approve the contract renewal of Katherine Newbegin, School Counselor.  
  
The motion carried unanimously.

Extra-Curricular/Co-Curricular

Ms. Brown moved, second by Mrs. Stevens, the Board approve the following Extra-Curricular/Co-Curricular nominations:

Robert Fortier .....Golf, JV  
Daniel Bastien..... (\$1.00) Soccer Club, MS  
Steve Gero .....Soccer, JV (B)  
Nicholas Cobb ..... Soccer, Freshman (B)  
Alison Gilbert ..... (\$1.00) Track-Cross Country, Varsity Asst.  
Abra Andrews..... Art Club Advisor, HS  
Ron Goodwin.....Auditorium Stage Manager  
Joanne Houston.....Auditorium Stage Manager  
Joanne Houston.....Band Director  
Jeremy Jason..... Chess Club  
Joanne Houston..... Drama, HS  
Cheryl Richardson ..... Drama, Musical Director  
Ronald Goodwin..... Drama, Technical Director  
Donna Martin.....Drama, Choreographer  
Cheryl Richardson ..... Band, Drill Master  
Tammy Kane ..... (\$1.00) Future Educators Exploring Teaching (FEET)  
Tracey Mitropoulos ..... FBLA Advisor  
Peter Sajko..... French Honor Society  
Karen Enscoe..... Graduation Coordinator  
Lee Sims ..... Granite State Challenge Team  
Lisa Kumph ..... Health Occ. Advisor (HOSA)  
Kaitlin Lindsay .....Interact Club Co-Advisor  
Caitlen Madore .....Interact Club Co-Advisor  
Jennifer Daly..... Jewelry Club  
Susan Zoller.....Latin Club/Honor Society  
Nancy Clark.....Literary Magazine  
John Vasalle..... Mu alpha Theta Advisor  
Marissa Corbin .....National Honor Society Co-Advisor  
Taylor Ramsey.....National Honor Society Co-Advisor  
Sean Kenney .....National Technology Honor Society Co-Advisor  
Tracey Mitropoulos .....National Technology Honor Society Co-Advisor  
Allison Gilbert..... Outing Club  
Patrick Kelcourse..... Robotics Club  
Brei Famulari..... Gifted and Talented (SEARCH)  
Susan Mann .....Spanish National Honor Society  
Lauren Jerr ..... Student Council, HS  
Arianna Ragonese..... Student Council, HS  
Erin Kelly ..... Yearbook Advisor, HS  
Tyler Nutter ..... Yearbook Advisor, HS  
Jenna Buinicky ..... Drama Coach  
Rachel Allen .....Jump Rope Club Co-Advisor  
Heather Griffin .....Jump Rope Club Co-Advisor  
Melissa Arsenault ..... Yearbook Advisor

The motion carried unanimously.

Resignation Mrs. Stevens moved, second by Mrs. Stokes, the Board approve the resignation of Abigail Henderson, Para-Educator.

The motion carried unanimously.

Nominations Mrs. Stevens moved, second by Mrs. Grassie, the Board approve the following nominations:

Melissa Colby.....Part-time Guidance Counselor  
Meghan Elliott.....Special Education Teacher  
Colleen McCormack..... Elementary Teacher

The motion carried unanimously.

***Special Services Committee:***

Mrs. Stokes moved, second by Mrs. Grassie, the Board adopt the 2019-2020 bus routes as presented.

The motion carried unanimously.

***Finance Committee:***

Mr. Pappas moved, second by Mrs. Stokes, the Board approve \$20,000 for Extra-Curricular/Co-Curricular stipend increases for the 2019-2020 school year.

The motion carried unanimously.

Mr. Pappas moved, second by Mrs. Stokes, the Board approve the STA proposed two year extension to our current agreement.

The motion carried unanimously.

***Discipline Committee:***

Ms. Brown moved, second by Mrs. Stevens, the Board accept the Committee's recommendations as set out in the backup\* regarding the cases heard at the July 31, 2019 and August 5, 2019 meetings. The motion carried unanimously.

*\*(In accordance with the federal FERPA, 20 U.S.C.§1232 (g) the backup materials are not part of the publicly available minutes.)*

***Policy Committee:***

Second Reading

Mrs. Grassie moved, second by Mrs. Stokes, the Board approve the second reading and adoption of the following policies:

- KG-R – Community Use of School Facilities
- KG-R1 – Rochester School Department Facility Rental Fee Schedule
- EDDBA – Maintenance and Control of Instructional Materials *(as amended)*
- EDC - Authorized Use of School-Owned Materials *(as amended)*
- EEA - Student Transportation Services
- EEAC - School Bus Safety Program
- EEACB – Surveillance Camera on School Buses
- EEACB-1 – Use of Surveillance Camera
- EEACC-R – Student Conduct on School Buses/Bus Regulations

The motion carried unanimously.

**Committee Report – Special Committees**

5-Year Strategic Plan No action required.

CTE/JBC No action required. The next meeting is scheduled for August 26, 2019 at 7:00 p.m. with a tour at 6:30 p.m.

**Old Business**           None.

**New Business**       None.

**Other**                 None.

**Adjournment**

Mr. Pappas moved, second by Mrs. Stokes, to adjourn the meeting at 7:17 p.m.  
The motion carried unanimously.

Respectfully submitted,

Kyle M. Repucci  
Board Secretary