

Unofficial Minutes

Wentworth School Board
Meeting Minutes
Wentworth Elementary School
Wentworth, NH
July 31, 2006

Members Present: Mr. Morrison, Mrs. Gelsi, Mrs. Mack

Others Present: Mr. Charpentier, Mrs. Gaides

The meeting was called to order at 6:00 PM.

Non-Public Session: At 6:05 PM, it was moved by Mr. Morrison, seconded by Mrs. Gelsi that the Board move into non-public in accordance with RSA 91-A:3, IIC to discuss nominations.. The Board was polled, vote was unanimous.

Public Session: At 7:15 PM, it was moved by Mr. Morrison, seconded by Mrs. Gelsi, that the Board return to public session. The vote was unanimous.

Mr. Morrison moved to approve the slate of nominations:

Melissa LaChance: Grades 3-4 Long-Term Substitute Teacher

Andrew Schalm: Grades 6-8 Math/ Grade 6 Social Studies Teacher

Carmlina Fauteux: .20 Art Teacher

Marc Rondeau: .20 Physical Education Teacher

William Cabell: Middle School Special Education Aide

Ashley Deneau: 1:1 Aide

It was seconded by Mrs. Mack. The vote was unanimous.

A phone poll was conducted on August 31, 2006. Mrs. Gelsi and Mrs. Mack voted in favor of hiring Lauren Zimmerman for the Guidance Counselor position.

A phone poll was conducted on August 23, 2006. Mrs. Gelsi, Mrs. Mack and Mr. Morrison voted in favor of hiring Evie Spodnik for the para professional position.

The School Board discussed the request by Mr. Charpentier that school begins fifteen minutes earlier. The School Board approved the request. The School Board asked Mrs. Gaides to contact the school bus company.

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The School Board discussed the request by Mr. Charpentier for trimesters and the Northern Stage project for grades 5/6 (January – April, 2007). The requests were approved.

The School Board discussed the request for connecting classroom doors. They voted not to approve the request. The School Board approved the request for the teachers affected by the summer project to be compensated for one day to complete the process of returning all classroom materials (from the gym to the classroom).

Mrs. Gaides discussed with the School Board the request from the New Hampshire Department of Education for School Approval regarding the Library Media Standards. The School Board gave Mrs. Gaides permission to write the alternative compliance for minimum standards based on not having a library media center in the school. Additionally, if there are any deficiencies reported on the fire and health inspection reports, the school will receive a status of conditional approval until the deficiencies are corrected.

Adjournment: At 7:22 PM, it was moved by Mr. Morrison, and seconded by Mrs. Gelsi that there being no further business to come before the Board, that the meeting be adjourned. The vote was unanimous.

Respectfully Submitted,

Lee Morrison, Wentworth School Board Chairman