

WESTBROOK BOARD OF EDUCATION
EDUCATE, CHALLENGE, & INSPIRE

WESTBROOK BOARD OF EDUCATION Monday, January 10, 2022 @ 6:00 p.m. WHS Library Special Board of Education Meeting

Members present: K. Walker, D. Perreault, C. Kuehlewind, Z. Hayden, M. Luft, M. Palumbo, S. Greaves, M. Esposito, and A. Miesse

Also Present: Superintendent Kristina J. Martineau; Business Manager, Lesley Wysocki; Administrator Ruth Rose

MINUTES

- I. CALL TO ORDER** – The Special Meeting of the Westbrook BOE was called to order at 6:01 p.m. by Kim Walker, Chair.

MOTION by C. Kuehlewind to move into Executive Session and invite Superintendent Martineau and Business Manager, Lesley Wysocki.

- II. EXECUTIVE SESSION** – Collective Bargaining Strategy
A. Discussion on Retirement Incentives for Eligible Retirees

Discussion of matters that would result in the disclosure of exempt matters.

MOTION to move to Regular Session at 6:18 p.m. Vote unanimous.

III. REGULAR SESSION

- A. Retirement Incentives

MOTION by D. Perreault and SECOND by C. Kuehlewind to approve the Retirement Incentives as presented. Vote unanimous.

IV. BUDGET DEVELOPMENT WORKSHOP #2

Superintendent Martineau's budget proposal was reviewed and discussed. The following questions were generated and responses will be posted online prior to workshop #3:

1. What programs have been added and what's to come at Daisy/WMS/WHS?
2. What is the Daisy lunch/recess schedule/coverage needs?
3. What AP courses have been added and what is planned?
4. Will we continue to look at a math interventionist paraprofessional at Daisy?

- V. PUBLIC COMMENT** – Sherri Poi, parent, expressed concern and questions about staffing levels and services for ELL students, including if we had budgeted enough certified bilingual staff.

- VI. ADJOURN:** MOTION to adjourn at 7:40 pm. by M. Palumbo and SECOND by D. Perreault. Vote unanimous.