

DEDHAM PUBLIC SCHOOLS SCHOOL COMMITTEE MEETING

EXECUTIVE SESSION MINUTES

November 16, 2016

MEMBERS OF THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE PRESENT:

Susan Butler, Chair
Mayanne Briggs, Vice-Chair
Kevin Coughlin
Lisa Laprade
Tom Ryan (arrived 6:45 p.m.)
Tracey White

MEMBERS OF THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE ABSENT:

Steve Bilafer

MEMBERS OF THE ADMINISTRATION PRESENT:

Michael Welch, Superintendent
Ian Kelly, Assistant Superintendent
Samuel Rippin, Assistant Superintendent for Business and Finance

OTHERS PRESENT:

Kevin Bresnahan, Dedham Public Schools Attorney

Meeting Location: Avery Elementary School

Executive Session commenced at 6:40 p.m.

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Supt. Welch announced that the Paraprofessional Contract had been ratified by the Union. Supt. Welch passed out the new salary schedule. The Committee reviewed the salary schedule. The contract is a three year contract adding additional steps giving larger raise increases to veteran paraprofessionals. There are also two additional days of Professional Development added to the contract. Mr. Rippin said the cost of the contract is 8.25% over three years and it does fit into the budget.

Ms. Laprade motioned to ratify the tentative agreement between the paraprofessional union and the school committee for FY17 through FY19, Mr. Coughlin second; a roll call vote was taken-

Susan Butler- Yes
Mayanne Briggs- Yes
Kevin Coughlin- Yes
Lisa Laprade- Yes
Tom Ryan- Yes
Tracey White- Yes

The vote was 6 to 0.

Mr. Briggs motioned to end Executive Session, Mr. Coughlin second; a roll call vote was taken-

Susan Butler- Yes
Mayanne Briggs- Yes
Kevin Coughlin- Yes
Lisa Laprade- Yes
Tom Ryan- Yes
Tracey White- Yes

Executive session ended: 8:00 p.m.