

MAINE SCHOOL ADMINISTRATIVE DISTRICT NO. 40

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FACILITIES/TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE MEETING Thursday September 22, 2011 7:00 p.m.

Medomak Middle School

COMMITTEE	Х	Francis Cross	Х	Maggie Massengale	Х	Sandra O'Farrell
MEMBERS			Х	Bonnie Davis Micue (ex- officio)		
OTHERS:	Х	R. Scott Wyman	Х	Susan Pratt	Х	Guest Board Member, Danny Jackson and Bob England

MEETING MINUTES

I. Call to Order-Superintendent

The meeting was called to order at 7:04 p.m. by Superintendent Susan Pratt

1) Elect Chair

Motion to elect Maggie Massengale as committee chair by Francis Cross Seconded by Bonnie Davis Micue Vote: 2-0-1 (Maggie Massengale)

- 2) Declaration of Quorum: Quorum declared
- 3) Note absentees: All present, absence of Town of Washington member noted.
- 4) Approve minutes: None for approval

II. Report on Summer Work

1) Maintenance

Scott Wyman presented a Project Management summary of summer 2011 work that was accomplished throughout the school district. He indicated this format and process (PM) will be the norm in accomplishing work tasks and assignments. Mr. Wyman also discussed the purchase of a new (used) maintenance vehicle from state surplus. The committee questioned the total cost of the universal access bathroom at the High School. Mr. Wyman responded that the bill for the project had not yet been received from the contractor.

2) Food Service

Scott Wyman reported that the new cooler/freezer unit at the High School is completely installed and operational. Both new (old) stoves at Prescott Memorial School and Friendship Village School have been installed. Some problems exist with the thermostat and heating elements. Our maintenance crew is working to resolve the issues.

3) Transportation

Scott Wyman reported that all four new buses are on the road. The committee questioned how the new transportation software was working. Mr. Wyman reported that the system is very useful, but that the transportation director worked closely with the software support team at the vendor to make changes to the reference points from city blocks to rural country road directions and timing elements. Mr. Wyman will ask Gail Whittier to make a presentation at a future committee meeting.

III. Schedule Site Visits

All future meetings will be moved to 5:00 p.m. The following dates and locations for future meetings are: October 13th at Miller Elementary School, November 10th at Prescott Memorial School, December 8th at Friendship Village School, January12th at Union Elementary School, February 9th at Warren Community School, March 8th at Medomak Middle School, April 12th at Medomak Valley High School, and May 10th at the Bus Maintenance Garage.

IV. Future agenda items

Snowplowing Bids Fresh Fruits and Vegetables Transportation Software report

V. Next meeting October 13, 2011 5:00 p.m. at Miller Elementary School, Site Walk

VI. Other business None

VII. Adjournment Motion to adjourn at 7:59 p.m.: Francis Cross Seconded by: Bonnie Davis Micue Vote: Unanimous

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