



Georgetown School Committee
Thursday, May 20, 2020 6:30PM
Virtual ZOOM Meeting
Regular Session Minutes

Barbie Linares, Chairman
Michael Hinchliffe, Vice Chairman
Cheryl Lachendro, Clerk
Pamela Lundquist
Suzanne MacDonald

Virtual Attendance:

Barbie Linares Superintendent Jacobs Jack Tiano
Michael Hinchliffe Suzanne Sutherland Margaret Maher
Cheryl Lachendro Dan Richards
Pam Lundquist
Suzanne MacDonald

This meeting was conducted using ZOOM Technology. Chair Linares called the meeting to order at 6:33PM.

1. Call To Order:

Barbie Linares - present
Michael Hinchliffe - present
Suzanne MacDonald - present
Cheryl Lachendro - present
Pamela Lundquist - present

2. Consent Agenda

Chair Linares read the items included in the Consent Agenda for May 20, 2020 which were the Budget & Finance Subcommittee Minutes of 5/6/20 and Acceptance of Warrant #47V20 and #48P20.

MOTION: Michael Hinchliffe (S. MacDonald second) motion to approve the consent agenda as presented. Roll call vote was taken.

Barbie Linares - yes
Michael Hinchliffe - yes
Suzanne MacDonald - yes
Cheryl Lachendro - yes
Pamela Lundquist - yes
Motion carried (5-0)

3. Student Representative

Student representatives, Olivia Billington and Caitlin Reale, came before the Committee to give an update on the senior class. Olivia mentioned that some students were having an issue with the credit/no credit format, since some students are very grade motivated.

5. Administrative Reports

- a) Superintendent's Report
- 2020 Graduation Update

Superintendent Jacobs announced to the Committee the graduation plans for the class of 2020. The graduation will take place on June 13th at 10:00AM rain or shine. Unfortunately, the jumbotron can only be rented for that 1 day, therefore, if it rains, we could not postpone it. They are looking into plan B, which would be renting tents, in case of rain. It will be held at the St. Mary's Church parking lot. There will be a stage set up and chairs lined up for the graduate 6 feet apart. In addition, there will be a jumbotron located at the front. Families will arrive in cars and will be parked similar to a drive-in movie theater. The families can then tune in to an assigned radio station where the entire graduation ceremony will be broadcast. In addition, the ceremony will be shown on the jumbotron so that everyone in their cars can see the graduates accept their diplomas. As the graduates cross the stage to receive their diploma, they will also receive a bag that will have all their awards in it.

10. New Business

a) Approval of Model UN Club Stipend

Superintendent Jacobs announced that it was brought to her attention that the Model UN Club stipend should be in alignment with the DECA advisor. This has now been renegotiated with the Union and set at \$2,473.

MOTION: Cheryl Lachendro (S. MacDonald second) motion to approve the stipend in the amount of \$2,473 for the Advisor to the Model UN Club beginning in the school year 2019-2020. Roll call vote was taken.

Barbie Linares - yes

Michael Hinchliffe - yes

Suzanne MacDonald - yes

Cheryl Lachendro - yes

Pamela Lundquist - yes

Motion carried (5-0)

b) Approval of Quilting Club Advisor Stipend

Superintendent Jacobs announced that the Quilting Club stipend was listed as a pilot stipend and not an established one. This has been renegotiated with the Union and set at \$1,412.

MOTION: Suzanne MacDonald (C. Lachendro second) motion to approve the stipend in the amount of \$1,412 for the Advisor to the Quilting Club Advisor. Roll call vote was taken.

Barbie Linares - yes

Michael Hinchliffe - yes

Suzanne MacDonald - yes

Cheryl Lachendro - yes

Pamela Lundquist - yes

Motion carried (5-0)

c) Acceptance of Donations from Anonymous Donor for Food Services

Chair Linares announced that we have received three donations totaling the amount of \$791 from an anonymous donor for the food services program. The Superintendent added that since the schools will be closed through the summer, the donations will be used to support the food pantry and then continue donations in the fall for the food services program.

MOTION: Suzanne MacDonald (C. Lachendro second) motion to accept the generous donation from an anonymous donor in the amount of \$791 for the food services program, with gratitude. Roll call vote was taken.

Barbie Linares - yes

Michael Hinchliffe - yes

Suzanne MacDonald - yes

Cheryl Lachendro - yes
Pamela Lundquist - yes
Motion carried (5-0)

MOTION: Michael Hinchliffe (S. MacDonald second) motion to adjourn at 7:33PM. Roll call vote was taken.

Barbie Linares - yes
Michael Hinchliffe - yes
Suzanne MacDonald - yes
Cheryl Lachendro - yes
Pamela Lundquist - yes
Motion carried (5-0)

*Respectfully Submitted,
Nancy Weiss, School Committee Secretary*