

FAIRHAVEN SCHOOL COMMITTEE MINUTES
February 8, 2017

MEMBERS PRESENT: Mrs. Kuechler, Mr. Monroe, Mrs. Powers
Mrs. McKenna, Mr. Veitch, Mr. McNamara

MEMBERS ABSENT:

STAFF PRESENT: Dr. Baldwin, Mrs. Tavares

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OTHERS PRESENT: Kimberly Leblanc, FEA President, Diane Hahn, Parent, Ann
Lacasse Elliott, Staff, Mary Jane Muello, Staff, Alyssa
Botelho, Student Advisory Representative

The meeting was called to order by the Chair at 6:30 p.m.

The Chair informed the audience that the meeting was being videotaped.

Roll Call: McNamara, Powers, Veitch, McKenna, Monroe, Kuechler

Motion made by Mr. Monroe and seconded by Mr. McNamara to approve the January 25, 2017 regular session School Committee minutes. Voted 6-0 unanimously. In an amended vote taken at the end of the meeting, the vote was changed to 4-0-2 Mrs. McKenna and Mrs. Kuechler abstained

Mrs. Diane Hahn spoke during the public comment section regarding her opinion on the state and federal issues.

Alyssa Botelho, Student Representative informed the School Committee of recent and upcoming events taking place at FHS.

The Class of 2017 gave the School Committee a presentation regarding the new cap and gown decision.

The School Committee received a presentation from the FHS CAD Department.

The School Committee received and placed on file the February 1st monthly enrollment.

Dr. Baldwin gave the School Committee an update regarding the capital planning process.

Dr. Baldwin gave the School Committee a presentation regarding the Fairhaven-Acushnet regionalization study.

Dr. Baldwin gave the School Committee an update regarding the next-generation MCAS.

The next School Committee meeting is March 8, 2017

Motion made by Mr. McNamara and seconded by Mr. Monroe to rescind the original vote taken on the approval of the January 25th meeting to reflect that both Mrs. McKenna and Mrs. Kuechler abstained. Voted 6-0 unanimously

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Motion made by Mr. Veitch and seconded by Mr. Monroe to approve the FHS Robotics Club trip to Worcester, MA. Voted 6-0 unanimously

Motion made by Mr. McNamara and seconded by Mr. Monroe to adjourn the regular School Committee meeting, go into executive session to discuss contractual issues and not return into regular session. Roll Call: McNamara-yes, Powers-yes, McKenna-yes, Veitch-yes, Monroe-yes, Kuechler-yes. Voted 6-0 unanimously

Adjourned 8:00p.m.

Robert Baldwin, Ed.D
Secretary to the School Committee
Fairhaven Public Schools