

GREENFIELD PUBLIC SCHOOLS
SCHOOL COMMITTEE MEETING

MINUTES

April 14, 2009

Voted and approved May 14, 2009

Attendance: Dalton Athey, Chairman; Members Greg Aubin, Maryelen Calderwood, Mayor Forgey, John Lunt. Also present, Attorney Peter Smith and Superintendent Hollins.

I. Call to Order
With a quorum present, the Chairman called the meeting to order at 7:14 p.m.

II. Executive Session
Motion by Athey; 2nd Lunt: To go into executive session for the purposes of discussing contract matters. Passed. Unanimous.
The committee discussed the GEA contract at length.
Motion by Aubin; 2nd Lunt: To ratify the contract from the Greenfield Education Association subject to clarification from the GEA on Article XIV, #10, Article V, Section G, and Article V, B1 and C, and subject to an additional \$240,000 appropriation above the Superintendent's recommendation for FY10 to fund the contract. Passed. Unanimous with 5 members present.

At 9:42 p.m. John Lunt left the meeting.

The committee discussed the paraprofessional contract.

Motion by Aubin, 2nd Calderwood: To ratify the terms of the tentative proposal with paraprofessionals subject to an additional appropriation of \$40,000 above the Superintendent's recommended budget for 2010. Passed. Unanimous.

III. Adjournment
Motion by Aubin, 2nd Calderwood. To adjourn.
Unanimous.