

The School Building Committee  
Middleboro High School – Library  
September 16, 2015  
Approved Minutes

The meeting was called to order at 5:10 PM by Chairman Rob Desrosiers. Members present were Rob Desrosiers, Brian Giovanoni, Alan Harris, Brian Lynch, Judy MacDonald, Bob Nunes, Kathleen Piatelli, George Randall, Bob Whalen, Jennifer Wrynn and Rich Young. Absent were Paul Branagan, Ellen Driscoll, Allin Frawley, Diane Stewart and Jennifer Wolfe. Also present was Colleen Lieb, Recording Secretary.

The meeting began with a review of the August 26, 2015 minutes. There were no changes noted.

**Motion was made by B. Giovanoni and seconded by R. Young to approve the August 26, 2015 minutes as presented. All are in favor.**

Chairman R. Desrosiers spoke about the Press Release, which was in the local newspapers. There was a report of the attendance of the first High School tour, which was held on September 14, 2015. It was noted that there was no one from the public that attended. The Committee discusses the next High School tour, which will be on Saturday, September 19<sup>th</sup> at 9 AM.

Chairman R. Desrosiers spoke about his meeting with the Finance Committee to review Article 12 of the Special Town Meeting Warrant which is for the approval to borrow up to 1.4 million for the High School Building Feasibility Study. It was noted that the Finance Committee did give their recommendation of favorable action on the article. Chairman R. Desrosiers also spoke about his meeting with the Board of Selectmen on Article 12 and their recommendation of favorable action on the article. It was suggested that the Building Committee also vote on the Article.

**Motion was made by B. Giovanoni and seconded by R. Young to recommend favorable action on Article 12 of the Special Town Meeting Warrant. All are in favor.**

Member R. Young noted that the School Committee will be meeting on Thursday, September 16<sup>th</sup> and he will be asking the Committee to vote its recommendation on the article also.

Chairman R. Desrosiers spoke about the upcoming Outreach Meetings the Committee plans on holding for the public to come and hear about the study and the needs of the school. The date of September 30 has been confirmed with the Middleboro Public Library for 6 PM. It was agreed that the Committee will hold its regular meeting just prior in the Library meeting room at 5 PM. This meeting will be put onto the Library Calendar and it is hoped that members of the public will attend. Member B. Nunes spoke about the scheduling conflicts with the Oak Point club house so it was determined that an Outreach Meeting could not be held there prior to the Town Meeting.

Chairman R. Desrosiers spoke to the Committee about the Town Meeting presentation. It is agreed that there will be a handout available on the article and the Committee will answer any

questions that Town Meeting has on the article. It is noted that the article requires a 2/3rds vote to pass.

There was a review of the Draft Feasibility Study Proposal handout. There was discussion on doing a “Frequently Asked Questions” type handout to help answer questions on the project.

There is a review of the flyer that has been updated and is ready to be handed on out at the Middleboro Early Childhood Center (MECC) Open House. Chairman R. Desrosiers noted that he will be there to hand out the flyer and answer questions.

It was noted that Superintendent Lynch will be holding a Presentation Subcommittee meeting on Monday, September 21 at 2 PM at the Flora Clark School to go over what will be presented at Town Meeting.

Chairman R. Desrosiers asks if there are any questions on the bill for Secretarial Services in the amount of \$169.47.

**Motion was made by B. Giovanoni and seconded by R. Young to approve the bill for Secretarial Services in the amount of \$169.47. All are in favor.**

It is noted that the next meeting of the School Building Committee will be on Wednesday, September 23, 2015 at 5:00 PM at the Middleboro High School.

**Motion was made by B. Giovanoni and seconded by R. Young to adjourn at 6:00 PM. All are in favor.**

Respectfully submitted by,

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Colleen Lieb, Recording Secretary

Packet Items\*  
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1. Draft Minutes from 8/26/15 Mtg
2. Draft Feasibility Study Proposal
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