

MINUTES
BEDFORD SCHOOL COMMITTEE
EXECUTIVE SESSION
May 12, 2020
Meeting Held Remotely via Zoom

1. Call to Order

At 8:48 p.m., a Roll Call Vote to Open Executive Session for Purpose of Contract Negotiations:

Mr. Brosgol YES
Ms. Santiago YES
Ms. Guay YES
Mr. Morrison YES
Ms. Scoville YES

Those in attendance included Jon Sills, Superintendent, Sarah Stanton, Town Manager, Julie Kirrane, Director of Finance and Colby Brundt, Esquire. outside counsel for Bedford Public Schools.

2. Superintendent Sills gave an update on a proposed three year contact contract with the Bedford Education Association and Mass Teachers Association. Proposed terms were agreed to on March 12, the day before schools were closed due to the pandemic. During this evening's meeting, there was a discussion about how the economic climate has changed dramatically since March 12th and the potential impact on town finances.

Mr. Morrison made the following Motion:

MOVED: A Motion to Reject the Memorandum of Understanding with the Bedford Education Association for Fiscal Years 2021-2023 with instructions to renegotiate terms given the current fiscal climate **MOTION SECONDED** by Daniel Brosgol

Roll Call Vote:

Mr. Brosgol YES
Ms. Santiago YES
Ms. Guay YES

Mr. Morrison YES
Ms. Scoville YES
Ms. Stanton YES

3. Superintendent Sills gave a personnel and budget update on the EDCO Collaborative. We discussed whether the district should continue as a member. No decision was made.

4. Adjournment

Mr. Morrison made the following motion:

MOVED: Motion to Adjourn at 10:17 p.m., Not to Reopen

MOTION SECONDED by Mr. Brosgol

Roll Call Vote:

Mr. Brosgol YES
Ms. Santiago YES
Ms. Guay YES
Mr. Morrison YES
Ms. Scoville YES