

MINUTES – WAYLAND SCHOOL COMMITTEE
Executive Session – June 9, 2021

An Executive Session of the Wayland School Committee was held remotely on Wednesday, June 9, 2021, at 7:57 p.m.

Present and participating remotely were:

Jeanne Downs, Chair
Ellen Grieco, Vice Chair
Jess Polizzotti
Kim Reichelt
Chris Ryan

Also participating remotely were:

Arthur Unobskey
Superintendent

Parry Graham
Assistant Superintendent

1. Executive Session:

Subsequent to a roll call vote in regular session on a motion duly made by Jeanne Downs, seconded by Ellen Grieco, the School Committee voted unanimously (5-0) to enter executive session at 7:57 p.m. for purposes of (a) discussing strategy with respect to collective bargaining with the Wayland Teachers Association (WTA), as permitted by M.G.L. c.30A, §21(a)(3) as discussion in open session may have a detrimental effect on the negotiating position of the School Committee; (b) discussing strategy with respect to litigation Stephen Cass v. Wayland School Committee et al pursuant to M.G.L. c.30A, §21(a)(3), as discussion in open session may have a detrimental effect on the litigating position of the School Committee; (c) reviewing executive session minutes for possible declassification as listed on the agenda, as permitted by M.G.L. c.30A, §22; and (d) approval of the following executive session minutes, as permitted by M.G.L. c.30A, §22: May 12, 2021. A roll call vote was taken as follows:

<u>Roll Call</u>	<u>Yes</u>	<u>No</u>
Jeanne Downs, Chair	X	
Ellen Grieco, Vice Chair	X	
Jessica Polizzotti	X	
Kim Reichelt	X	
Chris Ryan	X	

The School Committee will be joined by Arthur Unobskey, Superintendent of Schools, Parry Graham, Assistant Superintendent, and Diane Marobella, recording secretary.

The School Committee will adjourn in executive session and will not reconvene in open session.

2. Discussion regarding Strategy related to Collective Bargaining with Wayland Teachers Association (WTA), pursuant to M.G.L. c.30A, §21(a)(3):

After discussion at the May 26 School Committee meeting, Parry returned to the WTA and proposed an increase in some stipends for this year only. He is waiting for the WTA President to respond.

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4. **Review of Executive Session Minutes for Possible declassification as Listed on the Agenda, pursuant to M.G.L. c.30A, §22:**

The School Committee reviewed the following minutes for possible declassification and redactions: September 16, 2020, September 23, 2020, September 30, 2020, October 14, 2020, October 21, 2020, November 4, 2020, November 18, 2020, and December 18, 2020. The minutes will be released to the public after redactions are made.

5. **Approval of Executive Session Minutes, pursuant to M.G.L. c.30A, §22: May 12, 2021:**

Upon a motion duly made by Kim Reichelt, seconded by Ellen Grieco, the School Committee voted unanimously (5-0) to approve the May 12, 2021 minutes. A roll call vote was taken as follows:

<u>Roll Call</u>	<u>Yes</u>	<u>No</u>
Jeanne Downs, Chair	X	
Ellen Grieco, Vice Chair	X	
Jess Polizzotti	X	
Kim Reichelt	X	
Chris Ryan	X	

5. **Adjournment:**

Upon a motion duly made by Jeanne Downs, seconded by Chris Ryan, the School Committee voted unanimously (5-0) to adjourn at 8:19 p.m. A roll call vote was taken as follows:

<u>Roll Call</u>	<u>Yes</u>	<u>No</u>
Jeanne Downs, Chair	X	
Ellen Grieco, Vice Chair	X	
Jess Polizzotti	X	
Kim Reichelt	X	
Chris Ryan	X	

Respectfully submitted,

Jeanne Downs, Chair
Wayland School Committee

Corresponding Documentation:

1. Executive Session Minutes: September 16, 2020, September 23, 2020, September 30, 2020, October 14, 2020, October 21, 2020, November 4, 2020, November 18, 2020, and December 18, 2020
2. Executive Session Minutes of May 12, 2021