

Lamprey River Elementary School Building Committee

Wednesday, October 14, 2020,

6:30 PM Minutes

I. Call to Order

Ken called the meeting to order at 6:32 p.m. In attendance were: Ken Hajjar, Marjorie Whitmore, Todd Ledoux, Rick Senecal, Tina McCoy, Laura Yacek, Carlos Maldonado, Beth Clark, Mike Manley and Kyle Barker.

II. Proof of Posting

Tina posted; public notice noted.

III. Approval of Minutes: Minutes of September 9, 2020 were approved without revisions. Shelley made a motion, Rick seconded and all were in favor.

IV. November Meeting Date: It was decided that no meeting would be held in November. We will meet in early December so that Kyle can have a new plan.

V. Discussion of School Board Direction to Committee and Next Steps

The School Board approved a \$5,000.00 request for additional design by Kyle Barker. The School Board was clear that they were looking to put the 4th grade back into LRES. The School Board acknowledged the need for additional land; they didn't seem interested in sourcing land.

A K-4 school is strongly needed. Kyle reviewed the enrollment projections again. Before children enter school, families are leaving the district by either moving, enrolling in private or charter schools or home schooling. An important question raised is will IHGMS still be able to accommodate the 4th grade with a 20% retainage?

Discussion was had about the need to decide on building grade size. Kyle will prepare a report for K-4 as it seems that the School Board was more interested in that.

Discussion was had about a location for the school. Kyle is meeting with Amy Clark and he will discuss details relative to funding.

Kyle presented some information about using the high school land for building the elementary school. There are properties adjacent to the high school that would be very helpful to have.

Kyle will be emailing additional information to us.

V. Adjournment

Ken made a motion to adjourn meeting; seconded by Rick. All in favor and meeting adjourned at 7:13 p.m.

Shelley Roy, Secretary