NORFOLK BOARD OF EDUCATION

Regular Meeting May 4, 2021

MINUTES

BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT: Ann DeCerbo, Sally Carr, Jill Hall, Virginia Coleman-Prisco,

Gordon Anderson, John DeShazo

BOARD MEMBERS ABSENT: Donna Rubin

ADMINISTRATION PRESENT: Mary Beth Iacobelli, Superintendent, Lauren Valentino, Principal

ADMINISTRATION ABSENT:

The meeting was called to order at 6:11 P.M.

<u>Public Comments</u>: Mrs. Amy Bennett addressed the board. Mrs. Bennett thanked the board, teachers, and administration for all of their hard work and effort in preparing for the students to have in person learning from the start of this school year. Ms. Bennett also expressed her concerns about moving forward with the multi-aged model for grades 5 and 6 next year.

<u>Motion by V. Coleman-Prisco seconded by S. Carr to approve the minutes of the regular meeting of April 6, 2020, J. DeShazo and G. Anderson Abstaining. Approved.</u>

Correspondence: Board Chair Ann DeCerbo shared with the board the Non-Lapsing Account/Education Fund Memorandum of Agreement. The Board of Finance voted to establish a non —lapsing account for the deposit of unexpended education funds from the 2020/2021 school year not to exceed 1% of the 2020/2021 budget.

Superintendent's Report: The superintendent shared her report with the board.

Principal's Report: The principal shared her report with the board.

Standing Committee Reports:

Sub-committee chairs reported out on the following meetings:

Curriculum and Technology

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Unfinished Business:

Second reading of the Homework Policy.

Motion by J. DeShazo **seconded by**. S. Carr to approve the Homework Policy.

UNANIMOUSLY APPROVED.

Motion by J. DeShazo, seconded by. G. Anderson to adjourn meeting @ 7:27p.m.

UNANIMOUSLY APPROVED.

Meeting adjourned @ 7:27 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Kathy Lippincott

BOE Secretary

THESE ARE NOT APPROVED MINUTES SUBJECT TO APPROVAL OR DISAPPROVAL AT THE NEXT MEETING.