

**SHREWSBURY PUBLIC SCHOOLS
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MINUTES OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE EXECUTIVE SESSION

**Principal's Conference Room
Shrewsbury High School
64 Holden Street
Shrewsbury, Massachusetts**

Wednesday, April 3, 2019

Present: Mr. Jason Palitsch, Chairperson; Ms. Erin Canzano, Vice Chairperson; Ms. Sandra Fryc, Secretary; Dr. Dale Magee; Mr. Jon Wensky; Dr. Joseph Sawyer, Superintendent of Schools; Ms. Amy Clouter, Assistant Superintendent for Curriculum, Instruction, & Assessment; Ms. Barbara Malone, Director of Human Resources; Mr. Patrick Collins, Assistant Superintendent for Finance & Operations; and Ms. Meg Belsito, Assistant Superintendent for Student Services

Executive Session was opened by Mr. Palitsch at 7:17 pm.

Topic I

Ms. Malone, Dr. Sawyer, Mr. Collins, Ms. Clouter, Mr. Wensky and Ms. Fryc provided the committee with an update on contract negotiations with the Shrewsbury Education Association (SEA).

At the next negotiation session scheduled on April 4, 2019 the issue of financials will be addressed. The committee received input regarding Cost of Living and Longevity increases. The committee expressed particular concern with the third year of the proposed contract (2021-2022) as the new Beal School will open requiring a significant increase in the budget for personnel to staff the new school.

Adjournment

On a motion from Ms. Canzano, seconded by Dr. Magee, executive session was adjourned into open session at 7:42 pm. Roll call votes were as follows: Dr. Magee, yes; Ms. Canzano, yes; Mr. Wensky, yes; Ms. Fryc, yes; and Mr. Palitsch, yes.

Respectfully submitted,

Ms. Sandra Fryc, Secretary