SHREWSBURY PUBLIC SCHOOLS 100 MAPLE AVENUE SHREWSBURY, MASSACHUSETTS

MINUTES OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE EXECUTIVE SESSION Conference Room A

Shrewsbury Town Hall Wednesday, February 3, 2016

Present: Mr. John Samia, Chairperson; Ms. Sandy Fryc, Vice Chairperson; Ms. Erin Canzano, Secretary; Dr. Dale Magee; Dr. Joseph Sawyer, Superintendent of Schools; Ms. Mary Beth Banios, Assistant Superintendent of Schools; and Mr. Patrick Collins, Assistant Superintendent for Finances and Operations. Absent: Ms. Barb Malone, Director of Human Resources, Mr. Jon Wensky.

Executive session was opened by John Samia at 8:38 pm.

Negotiations with Shrewsbury Education Association, Unit A

John Samia and Sandy Fryc updated the committee about the recent meeting with the SEA. In this meeting, the SEA presented the bulk of their requests; most related to professional development, working conditions for educators and directors, and cost of living increases. Patrick Collins provided the committee with a memo detailing cost models for the cost of living increases and then gave a broad idea of what a number of the other requests might have on the budget. He would do further more detailed analysis for future negotiation sessions. The committee then discussed at length the impact of these requests on the school budget and on working conditions.

Adjournment

On a motion from Dr. Dale Magee, seconded by Sandy Fryc, the executive session was adjourned into open session at 9:43 pm. Roll call votes are as follows: Erin Canzano, yes; Sandy Fryc, yes; Dr. Dale Magee, yes and John Samia, yes.

On a motion from Dr. Dale Magee, seconded by Sandy Fryc, open session was adjourned at 9:44 pm. Roll call votes are as follows: Erin Canzano, yes; Sandy Fryc, yes; Dr. Dale Magee, yes and John Samia, yes.

Respectfully submitted, Erin H. Canzano, Secretary Documents referenced:

1. Memo from Patrick Collins re: Unit A Cost Models