SHREWSBURY PUBLIC SCHOOLS 100 MAPLE AVENUE SHREWSBURY, MASSACHUSETTS

MINUTES OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE EXECUTIVE SESSION Conference Room A Town Hall

Wednesday, October 15, 2014

Present: Present: Dr. Dale Magee, Chairperson; Mr. Jason Palitsch, Vice Chairperson; Ms. Erin Canzano, Secretary; Ms. Sandy Fryc; Mr. John Samia; Dr. Joseph Sawyer, Superintendent of Schools; Ms. Mary Beth Banios, Assistant Superintendent; and Ms. Barb Malone, Director of Human Resources.

Executive Session was convened by Dr. Dale Magee at 8:31 p.m.

Before Ms. Malone presented to the committee about negotiations, she provided the committee with informational updates about the possibility of the Shrewsbury Paraprofessional Association including the Extended Day staff into their association, and the possibility of the decertification of the Food Services union.

Negotiations with Shrewsbury Education Association – Unit A

Ms. Malone updated the committee about the ongoing meetings occurring between the Shrewsbury Education Association and central office administration in regards to stipends. An outline of objectives has been shared and agreed to in the first meeting, and in the second meeting, the work has begun at the elementary and middle levels to assess and evaluate the status of stipends. In further meetings, the stipends at the high school, including athletics and performing arts, will be evaluated. Ms. Malone will return to the committee at a future date with updated information.

Adjournment

On a motion from Jason Palitsch, seconded by Dale Magee, the executive session was adjourned into open session at 8:48 p.m. The vote was as follows: Erin Canzano, yes; Jason Palitsch, yes; Sandy Fryc, yes; John Samia, yes; Dr. Dale Magee, yes.

On a motion from Jason Palitsch, seconded by Sandy Fryc, the meeting was adjourned at 8:49 p.m. On a roll call vote: Erin Canzano, yes; Jason Palitsch, yes; Sandy Fryc, yes; John Samia, yes; Dr. Dale Magee, yes.

Respectfully submitted,

Erin H. Canzano, Secretary

Document referenced:

1) Memo from Ms. Barb Malone regarding negotiations with Shrewsbury Education Association Stipend Negotiations