CHELMSFORD SCHOOL COMMITTEE REGULAR MEETING August 9, 2022 Meeting Minutes

Members Present: Ms. Donna Newcomb (Chair), Mr. Jeffery Doherty (Vice Chair), Mr. Dennis King (Secretary), Mr. John Moses and Ms. Maria Santos. Mr. Moses arrived at 5:54 p.m.

Also present: Dr. Jay Lang (Superintendent), and Dr. Linda Hirsch (Assistant Superintendent).

Call to Order

5:32 p.m.

Pledge of Allegiance

Chair Opening Statement

Chair Newcomb noted there are no public speakers registered to provide comment under public participation. Ms. Newcomb moved to begin new business with the sole item being to discuss the school committee goals for the 2022/23 school year.

New Business

1. Workshop: 2022/23 School Committee Goals

Ms. Newcomb indicated she was compiling a review of the progress toward the established 2021/22 school committee goals and will present the review at the next meeting on August 16, 2022. A discussion entailed around establishing goals, or interim goals, for the start of the 2022/23 school year while initiatives and metrics for growth and progress monitoring are established as a result of the recent strategic plan development. Committee members expressed interest in continuing the work with District Management Group (DMGroup) through the implementation in operationalization phase of the strategic plan over the next five years. Members felt it prudent to take the lead from DMGroup on the strategic plan with regard to the establishment of school committee goals for the coming year so they are in alignment with the district, school and department goals. The school committee will work with DMGroup to review potential interim goals for the fall of 2022 while the final five-year goals are being established.

Mr. King motioned to adjourn at 6:10 p.m. The motion was seconded by Mr. Moses. Approved.

Respectfully Submitted,

Jay Lang, Ed.D.
Superintendent of Schools