

**MOOSABEC COMMUNITY SCHOOL DISTRICT  
SCHOOL COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES**

Jonesport, Maine  
August 22, 2023

PLEASE NOTE THAT THE MINUTES ARE NOT FINAL UNTIL APPROVED AT THE NEXT MEETING.

A meeting of the Moosabec CSD School Committee was held at Jonesport-Beals High School on August 22, 2023 with members present as follows: Mariner Bunker, Adam Merchant, Bethanie Beal (5:26 p.m.), Morgan Monroe, Renee Chandler, Marie Johnson, Nick Faulkingham and Rebecca Stanwood. Also present were members of the public and Superintendent of Schools Lewis Collins.

1. Call to Order and Pledge

The Chairman called the meeting to order at 5:03 p.m.

2. Approval of Minutes of June 14, 2023

The School Committee voted (7-0-0) to approve the minutes of June 14, 2023.

3. Public Comment (Limited to 20 minutes)

A community member raised concerns about girls vaping in the bathroom. Principal Swain noted that he would be vigilant in assuring that does not happen in this next school year.

4. Dress Code/Cell Phone - Discussion

Principal Swain and Superintendent Collins informed the Board that there would be full implementation of these policies in this next school year.

5. AD Stipend

The School Committee voted (8-0-0) to increase the base stipend for Athletic Director from \$12,000 to \$15,000 effective with this school year.

6. Teacher Nomination

The Superintendent nominated the following for a first year probationary contract for the 2023-2024 year:

Jennifer Reynolds – Math/English  
Daniel Campbell – Physical Education/Athletic Director

The School Committee voted (8-0-0) to approve the nomination.

7. Special Education Coordinator

The Superintendent recommended Kathryn Beal for the position of special education coordinator for the 2023-2024 year.

The School Committee voted (8-0-0) to approve the recommendation.

8. Guidance Secretary

The Superintendent recommended Tracy Ingersoll for the position of guidance secretary for the 2023-2024 year at 30 hours per week for 43 weeks.

9. Miscellaneous

A letter was read from Barbara Cirone resigning from her position as school secretary effective June 30, 2023.

The School Committee voted (8-0-0) to accept the resignation with regret.

10. Adjournment

The School Committee adjourned at 5:55 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Lewis Collins  
Superintendent of Schools