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**BRISTOL BOARD OF EDUCATION
Bristol, Connecticut
Wednesday, April 6, 2022 – 7:00 p.m.
Regular Meeting Minutes**

The regular meeting of the Bristol Board of Education was held on Wednesday, April 6, 2022, at 7:00 p.m. at the Board of Education auditorium and via the Zoom Meeting Platform.

PRESENT: Commissioners: Eric Carlson, Jennifer Dube, Kristen Giantonio, John Sklenka, Todd Sturgeon, Dante Tagariello, Karen Vibert (virtual), and Christopher Wilson (virtual); **ALSO PRESENT:** Dr. Catherine Carbone, Superintendent, Dr. Michael Dietter, Deputy Superintendent, Jill Browne, Business Director, and Jolene Lusitani, Council Liaison

EXCUSED: Commissioner Shelby Pons

CALL TO ORDER/PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE/ MOMENT OF SILENCE

Chair Dube called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m. and asked attendees to stand for the Pledge of Allegiance. Chair Dube asked attendees to join her in a moment of silence for Rita Southey a Secretary for the Adult Education/Alternative Education program from 1980 to 2011 and Nancy Webster a Secretary at Memorial Boulevard School from 1981 to 2005.

Chair Dube read the meeting norms.

- *All participants will actively participate, engage in the work of the meeting, and have an equal voice and airtime.*
- *Assume positive intentions by respecting and honoring the diversity of opinions, beliefs, and perspectives.*
- *Cultivate trust by being honest and focusing on ideas, practices, and the work...not people.*
- *Norms will be upheld during all meetings and in all interactions outside of formal meetings.*

VOTE TO CONVENE INTO EXECUTIVE SESSION

Chair Dube called for a motion to convene into Executive Session for the purpose of discussing documents related to stipends within the Bristol Federation of Teachers contract for years 2022-2025. Chair Dube invited Dr. Carbone and Dr. Galloway, to join the Board in Executive Session.

On a motion by John Sklenka and a second by Dante Tagariello, the Board of Education unanimously voted to Convene into Executive Session for the purpose of discussing: documents related to stipends within the Bristol Federation of Teachers contract for years 2022-2025. (7:02)

EXECUTIVE SESSION

PRESENT: Commissioners: Eric Carlson, Jennifer Dube, Kristen Giantonio, John Sklenka Todd Sturgeon, Dante Tagariello, Karen Vibert (virtual), and Christopher Wilson (virtual); **ALSO PRESENT:** Dr. Catherine Carbone, Superintendent, and Dr. Sam Galloway, Director of Talent Management

Called to Order: 7:04 p.m.

Documents related to stipends within the Bristol Federation of Teachers contract for years 2022-2025. Dr. Galloway shared information regarding the Stipend Committee discussion and next steps.

RECONVENE INTO PUBLIC SESSION

Chair Dube called for a motion to Reconvene into Public Session

On a motion by Dante Tagariello and a second by Kristen Giantonio, the Board of Education unanimously voted to Reconvene into Public Session (7:09)

STAFF and STUDENT RECOGNITION

The Board recognized the following staff and students. Staff and students were present online and in person to be recognized by the board.

Bristol Central - Boys Basketball

Bristol Central Boys Indoor Track

Model U.N. Student Presentation – Bristol Eastern

Greene-Hills Odyssey of the Mind Teams

Fund for Teachers Fellowship Grant Recipient - Shelly Nocera – Bristol Eastern

Art and Music Student Recognition

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

March 2, 2022 – Regular Meeting

On a motion by Dante Tagariello and a second by Kristen Giantonio, the Board of Education voted to approve the March 2, 2022, Regular Minutes as written. Commissioner John Sklenka abstained.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Communications – Commissioner Giantonio reported that the committee met and reviewed the BPS logo and rebranding feedback from the survey that was sent out to the community. Community survey options were also discussed, the committee will be exploring alternate survey options (other than Goggle) for future parent surveys. The committee was shown the Bristol Public Schools website redesign.

Finance – Commissioner Tagariello reported that the Finance committee met on March 9 and had a very short meeting. Commissioner Tagariello reported on items specifically related to the expense lines, there were a couple of overages in certain areas, the areas include General Character Line, Transportation, Maintenance, and Special Services. In the General Character and the Maintenance lines, we did expect those to trend downward closer to the budget; regarding Transportation, we are currently in negotiations with First Student to apply adjustments to that line because they missed several routes, meaning they were not compliant with their existing contract. Regarding Special Services, we had four additional outplacements creating an overage. The City had received the Excess Cost Grant, it was not adjusted into the additional revenue lines at the time of the report so we will expect to see that next month. The cafeteria is showing a healthy balance of \$600,000 at the time of the report. Lastly, we had implemented a budget freeze that was ongoing, and the only expenses that we are currently allowed are food, direct support, special services, and repairs

Operations - Commissioner Carlson reported that the committee met on March 9. The committee discussed the Chippens Hill underground storage tank and reviewed two design options; the above ground, lead time is 14 to 16 weeks, while with the underground tank there is 14-month lead time. The Edgewood roof project, the committee approved a motion to complete the temporary patch not to exceed \$60,000. The full roof will be replaced next summer. The committee discussed the kickoff meeting with DRA Architects in which we looked at different option layouts and discussed the high school culinary

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arts project. The committee also received an update on the traffic study progress at Hubbell, Southside, and Greene-Hills. Dr. Dietter gave an update on the BAIMS Mutual Use Agreement. The administration is working on a list of blackout dates and the rental agreement is still being worked on. We anticipate a draft version next month.

Policy - Commissioner Giantonio reported that the committee met and discussed a revision to Policy 6146 – Graduation Requirement that will appear later on the agenda. The committee also discussed three (3) existing policies #1324 – Fundraising; #1325 – Advertising and #3280 – Gifts, Donations, and Bequests. There were several community members present that evening from our booster clubs. It was decided that in the April time slot for regular policy and communications committee meetings we would have a booster club workshop instead; to allow for discussion of these policies, and hear ideas and feedback from our community.

STUDENT REPRESENTATIVE REPORTS

Bristol Central – Fatima Aamir – Junior Representative from Bristol Central reported on recent activities from BC, highlights from the report included the boys’ basketball team playing at Mohegan Sun and winning the State Championship for Division II. Many spring sports have started such as tennis, lacrosse softball, and track. Administrators and students participated in Read Across America Day at South Side School; Ms. Banda’s transitional program is making cards for various occasions for purchase; the National Honor Society enrolled new members, the induction ceremony will be held at the end of April. Students across the State have submitted proposals to improve their schools and win \$20,000 to fund them. BCHS had five (5) finalists, and they are waiting for the winners to be announced. The Class of 2023 took the state administration of the digital version of the SAT. 100 BC students took the Apple test to earn the seal of biliteracy. The theater department staged an amazing production of The Lion King.

Bristol Eastern – Pushpita Hossain – Junior Representative from Bristol Eastern reported on recent activities from BE, highlights from the report included congratulations to student Ella Nichols for becoming an NHSCA wrestling Champion last month, and a spring sports update was given. The Model UN team had a successful four-day trip to New York City in between the many meetings with peers from many different places the team did quite a bit of sightseeing. BEHS held its first cultural day on March 25. It was student-driven and hosted by the Diversity Club. Students attended school in their culture’s clothing and country’s flag, students participated in a parade around the school and ended the day with booths, music, and dancing during the last block of the day. Pushpita shared information on a variety of school clubs and upcoming activities. SATs were held for Juniors from March 22 to March 25. Junior students were assigned days to complete their tests within given time periods. These standardized tests were quite different as we have transitioned from paper to digital. Classes are wrapping up their units as they prepare for AP exams. Students and staff are looking forward to the April break.

SUPERINTENDENT REPORT - Dr. Carbone presented the monthly Superintendent Report. Dr. Carbone shared information with the Board regarding the following topics: Scholars in grades 3-8 will participate in the Smarter Balance Statewide Testing window from April 25 through May 27 individual schools will communicate the assessment calendar and dates of testing in the coming weeks. The last day of school and the high school graduation date will be voted on later this evening. Barring any unforeseen circumstances, the last day of classes will be Wednesday, June 15, 2022. Parents will be receiving information regarding summer school. Summer School dates for Extended School Year are July 5 to August 4 and the General Program are July 6 - August 10. Bristol Public Schools has been notified that an additional allocation to the 21st Century After School/Summer School Grants have been awarded. Ivy Drive, South Side, Hubbell, Northeast, and Bristol Eastern were awarded grant monies. In total, \$560,000

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has been awarded to extend the school year and summer school this year and next. Lieutenant Governor Bysiewicz, State Department of Education Commissioner Russell-Tucker, and Mayor Caggiano visited Bristol Central to recognize the five (5) Voice 4 Change submissions from Bristol Central. The 54 winners and the five (5) Commissioner’s Choice Award winners will be awarded this Friday 4/8 at 10:15 a.m. you can watch the awards live on YouTube, Dr. Carbone will send out the link, later this week. Dr. Carbone also shared a BAIMS Update, the fourth lottery pull is underway. 232 scholars in Grades 6-8 have already confirmed their enrollment for next year. The school’s mission and vision have been developed by the staff led by the newly appointed principal Dr. Sarli. We have begun the process to select a mascot, student submissions have been accepted and the selections will be narrowed down to two options and they will be sent out for a final selection. We are rounding out the hiring of staff.

CONSENT AGENDA

Chair Dube called for approval of the Consent Agenda which included Items X.A.1. through X.A.2.

On a motion by Eric Carlson and a second by John Sklenka, the Board of Education voted to approve the Consent Agenda which included Items X.A.1. through X.A.2. Commissioners Giantonio, Sturgeon, and Tagariello opposed the vote.

PERSONNEL

X.A.1. Teacher Resignations

Buzinsky, Roxanne - WB - Art Teacher - effective June 15, 2022
Capozzi, Tracy - EDGE/NEMS - Speech and Language Pathologist - effective March 9, 2022
Ende, Alexandria - WB - Grade 4 Teacher - effective June 15, 2022
Felsky, Lainey - STAF - Speech and Language Pathologist - effective June 15, 2022
Hasler, Kristen - BCHS - Chemistry/Biology Teacher - effective June 15, 2022
Huntley, Loretta - BCHS - On-Track Coordinator - effective June 15, 2022
Kearney, Katie - WB - Grade 8 Science Teacher - effective June 15, 2022
Twiggs, Tina - BCHS - Family and Consumer Science - effective June 15, 2022
Uraco, Rachel - ID - Grade 4 Teacher - effective June 15, 2022

On a motion by Eric Carlson and a second by John Sklenka, the Board of Education voted to approve the Teacher Resignations.

*Eric Carlson – Yea
Jennifer Dube – Yea
Kristen Giantonio – Nay
John Sklenka – Yea
Todd Sturgeon – Nay
Dante Tagariello – Nay
Karen Vibert – Yea
Christopher Wilson – Yea*

X.A.2. New Teacher Hires

Brewer, James - CHMS - 6-8 Science Teacher - effective August 23, 2022
Coer, Jessica - EPH - Grade 3 Teacher - effective March 17, 2022
Humerick, Jacob - BAIMS - Instrumental Teacher - effective August 23, 2022
MacDonald, Scott - BAIMS - 6-8 ELA Teacher - effective August 23, 2022
Mamuya, LaShay - BAIMS - Middle School Math Teacher - effective August 23, 2022

X.A.2. New Teacher Hires – cont’d

On a motion by Eric Carlson and a second by John Sklenka, the Board of Education voted to approve the Teacher Resignations.

- Eric Carlson – Yea*
- Jennifer Dube – Yea*
- Kristen Giantonio – Nay*
- John Sklenka – Yea*
- Todd Sturgeon – Nay*
- Dante Tagariello – Nay*
- Karen Vibert – Yea*
- Christopher Wilson – Yea*

PUBLIC COMMENT

The following public comment was read into the record:

Amy Greaves – 17 Summer Glen – addressed the Board regarding the no-confidence petition, SEL, and DEI.

The following public comments were given virtually or in person.

- Morris Patton – 49 Field Street – addressed the Board regarding the ongoing no-confidence petition.
- Craig Minor – 88 Anderson Avenue – addressed the Board regarding the consent agenda process.
- Michelle McKenney – 87 Collins Road – addressed the Board regarding literacy instruction.
- Tom Baril – 498 East Road – addressed the Board regarding R.G. I. (Radical Gender Ideology) gender issue.
- Deborah Baril – 498 East Road – addressed the Board regarding R.G. I. (Radical Gender Ideology) gender issue.
- Emily Bailey – 41 Leon Road – addressed the Board regarding Healthy Balanced Curriculum.
- Jennifer VanGorder – 272 Candlewood Drive – addressed the Board regarding the virtual open house.
- Kristen Bevins – 41 Leon Road – addressed the Board regarding school communications.
- Richard Saporito – 212 Stafford Avenue – addressed the Board regarding curriculum.

DELIBERATED ITEMS/DISTRICT LEADERSHIP TEAM REPORTS

High School Graduation Date and End of Year Closing Date

Dr. Galloway presented the High School Graduation Date and End of Year Closing Date.

Traditionally, the closing day of school, as well as the high school graduation date, has been set at the April Board meeting. Based on the summary of closing dates and upon completion of 181 school days, the last day of school for the 2021-2022 school year will be Wednesday, June 15, 2022. (This date will be subject to change in the event additional emergency closing days are required in the interim to the end of the school year). High school graduations will be scheduled for the evening of Wednesday, June 15, 2022.

On a motion by Karen Vibert and a second by John Sklenka, the Board of Education unanimously voted to approve the high school graduation date and the last day of the 2021-2022 school year as Wednesday, June 15, 2022, following completion of the 181 school days. This date may be subject to change in the event additional emergency closing days are required in the interim to the end of the school year.

NEMS Authorization of Preparation of Schematic Drawings

Timothy Callahan presented the Northeast Middle School Authorization of Preparation of Schematic Drawings. The State of CT requires the Board of Education and City Council to approve the preparation of schematic drawings and outline specifications. This motion is needed as part of the application process

NEMS Authorization of Preparation of Schematic Drawings – cont’d

On a motion by Eric Carlson and a second by John Sklenka, the Board of Education unanimously resolves to authorize at least the preparation of schematic drawings and outline specifications for the Northeast Middle School project located at 530 Stevens Street in Bristol, CT, and to forward on to City Council for action.

Approve FF&E package for BAIMS (Revised)

Dr. Dietter presented the Revised Approval of the FF&E package for BAIMS. This was approved in January. However, due to changes in the technology package, the state is requesting reapproval. In order for the State to grant approval for us to post a Request for Proposal, the Board of Education must move to approve the Furniture, Fixture, and Equipment (FF&E) package for the Bristol Arts & Innovation Magnet School. Please be advised, that the BAIMS FF&E package has been vetted and approved by the BAIMS building committee, and is well within the allocated budget for the project.

On a motion by Dante Tagariello and a second by Eric Carlson, the Board of Education unanimously resolves to certify these FF&E - TECHNOLOGY final plans and project manuals as prepared for bidding dated 1/21/22 - REVISED 4/1/22 - and the professional cost estimate, completed in accordance with Level 3 of ASTM International Standard E1557, Standard of Classification of Building Elements and Related Sitework-UNIFORMAT II for this project, dated 1/21/22 - REVISED 4/1/22 - for the Memorial Boulevard Intradistrict Arts Magnet School Renovation Project have, been reviewed and are approved.

Vote to Approve Stipend Committee Recommendations

Dr. Galloway presented the Vote to Approve Stipend Committee Recommendations. As discussed during the Stipend Committee meetings, the recommended Bristol Federation of Teachers stipends have been established and require a Board vote.

On a motion by Karen Vibert and a second by John Sklenka, the Board of Education unanimously voted to approve the recommended Bristol Federation of Teachers Stipends for contract years 2022-2025.

Vote to Approve New Bristol Public Schools Logo

Dr. Carbone presented the Vote to Approve the New Bristol Public Schools Logo. At last month's Communications Committee meeting, the administration shared logo options with commissioners. Two options were selected and students, families, administrators, and staff were surveyed. 45% of all respondents voted for Option 1 (Navy "Bristol") and the Communications and Community Relations Committee voted to bring Option 1 to the Board for a vote. Once approved, the new logo and color scheme will be used across the district beginning July 1, 2022.

On a motion by John Sklenka and a second by Kristen Giantonio, the Board of Education unanimously voted to approve logo Option #1 as the new logo for the Bristol Public Schools effective July 1, 2022.

Special Services Leadership Team Report

Dr. Kimberly Culkin presented the monthly Special Services Leadership Team Report. Dr. Culkin acknowledged that today, April 6th is National Paraeducator Appreciation Day and thanked the Bristol Public School para educators for all that they do for our students and our community. Dr. Culkin provided the commissioners with the monthly Special Services enrollment data. As of March 1, 2022, 1,694 of 8,089 Bristol students are identified as students requiring Special Education programming. This enrollment reflects 20.94% of the total BPS student population. During the month of February, three (3) of the 31 newly registered students were identified as students with special needs at the time of registration. During the month of February, no students newly enrolled in Bristol Public Schools were receiving their programs and services through an out-of-district special education school program at the time of enrollment. As of March 1, 2022, 122 of our 1,694 identified students require out-of-district

Special Services Leadership Team Report – cont’d

placements at special education school programs and 71 students require special education programming services at other public out-of-district schools such as magnet schools. These numbers reflect one (1) additional private out-of-district program placement and no change in a public school placement as compared to overall out-of-district placements the previous month. Dr. Culkin shared we will soon have our flagship sensory room completed at Ivy Drive School. This room was made possible by the use of ESSER funding and in partnership with Kulture City. Kulture City is a nonprofit organization based out of Birmingham, Alabama that is committed to spreading awareness for Sensory Sensitivity for those with Autism, Dementia, PTSD, or other like conditions. Its mission is to create a world where all individuals regardless of their disabilities/sensory needs can be accepted and included. The Kulture City organization is known to us thanks to a connection through Brian Burke, our Communications Director. Brian has helped to coordinate the start of a partnership aimed at bringing to life sensory rooms in multiple locations across BPS. Commissioners were provided pictures of the room in process. For those who are not familiar with what a sensory room is, a sensory room is a space designed to help an individual with sensory issues learn to regulate their brain’s negative reactions to external stimuli by developing coping skills for these experiences. In some cases, it may be a whole room, or it can simply be a space set aside in a corner of a larger room. Sensory spaces typically built by Kulture City are mostly found at large venues such as stadiums, zoos, aquariums, and nature centers, across the country and around the globe. The sensory room at Ivy Drive is the optimal size space according to our Kulture City partners. Bristol Public Schools will be the first in a public school setting in New England and outside of Alabama.

Commissioner Tagariello inquired about who would replace items if they were to break. Dr. Culkin will look further into replacements.

CURRICULUM REVISION

Middle School Theater (Grades 6-8) (Second Reading)

Dr. Samantha Sarli presented the Middle School Theater (Grades 6-8) Curriculum. This is the middle school concentration and exploratory curriculum. Concentration students meet every other day for 80 minutes all year long, exploratory students will engage in theater once every four days, for 40 minutes, for a full semester (equivalent to approximately 24 classes). There are 9 units of study in 6th and 7th grade, and 8 units of study for 8th grade for the concentration curriculum. The exploratory curriculum takes 2 units from each grade level to round out the exploratory theater pathway.

Theater (Grades 6) Curriculum Revision

On a motion by Todd Sturgeon and a second by Kristen Giantonio, the Board of Education unanimously voted to approve Grade 6 Theater Curriculum.

Theater (Grades 7) Curriculum Revision

On a motion by Todd Sturgeon and a second by John Sklenka, the Board of Education unanimously voted to approve Grade 7 Theater Curriculum.

Theater (Grades 8) Curriculum Revision

On a motion by Todd Sturgeon and a second by Kristen Giantonio, the Board of Education unanimously voted to approve Grade 8 Theater Curriculum.

POLICY REVISION

Policy 6146 - Graduation Requirements

Dr. Dieter presented Policy 6146 - Graduation Requirements. The proposed revisions ensure alignment with Connecticut State Department of Education requirements for the class of 2023 and clarify world language credit regarding seal of biliteracy.

Policy 6146 - Graduation Requirements – cont’d

On a motion by Kristen Giantonio and a second by Todd Sturgeon, the Board of Education unanimously voted to approve Policy 6146 - Graduation Requirements.

NEW BUSINESS

No New Business to come before the Board.

BUILDING REPORTS

MBIAMS Update

Dr. Dieter provided the Memorial Boulevard Intradistrict Arts Magnet School Update. The project continues toward completion. The turnover date continues to be June 1. As a reminder, the turnover marks the date in which our Bristol Public Schools employees will have access to spaces for training on the various facilities and systems and general operations, this is not the date that we will occupy the building with our students. Dr. Dieter had the pleasure of giving a tour to 20 future BAIMS teachers. This was the first occasion this group has been in the space together as a cohort. The excitement and energy will certainly fuel our success through the next few months as the tasks of outfitting classrooms, operationalizing program-specific procedures, and ultimately welcoming students and families becomes a reality. Dr. Dieter offered a special thanks to our Office of Teaching and Learning Supervisors and Director as well as our Bristol Public Schools Tech department and other teacher leaders that provided feedback regarding our FF&E lists. This was an enormous undertaking and it was organized by Tara Landon and Mr. Callahan. The final FF&E procurement process is now underway with your motion this evening, and we look forward to transitioning into that process and our close collaboration with Roger Rousseau at City Hall to make the program a reality for September. Pictures were cycling through for Commissioners to see. Dr. Dieter offered to give a tour to any Board Members that would like to see the building.

Northeast Middle School Project

Mr. Callahan gave a report regarding the Northeast Middle School Project. As you know we have hired QA&M and D’Amato Downes to help us with this project. We are meeting with the State tomorrow to review where we have been and where we are going in terms of this project. That means we are going to be reviewing the facilities plans, we are going to be reviewing the demographic studies, we are going to talk about how we have done our due diligence on the existing condition documentation and now we are bringing forward this project, which is the second piece. As the Boulevard fades, we will move into this project. Tomorrow we have a chance to meet with everybody to explain what it's going to be so that we can get into the pipeline for June 30th. We will be submitting paperwork which is a schematic design and Ed Spec for this project. Local approvals will be on the 16th, it would be the joint CIP Approval of the \$75.4. Local approvals of the schematic plans, Ed Specs, and estimates by the Board of Education, City Council, and Building Committee will be from May 17th to June 14th and we will be submitting the O49, the document for getting your grant on June 20, 2022.

Commissioner Carlson shared that he recently toured Northeast Middle School and he can see why we need a new school.

Edgewood Roof Project

Mr. Callahan gave a report regarding the Edgewood Roof Project. This is moving along well. We just spent time at Friar Architects. We have our schematic design, we have a layout. Currently, we are at 1.3 million and we are hoping that the budget holds the day as they are going through the estimating right now. We anticipate with a lot of these projects that numbers are going to be kind of interesting. Also getting projects done on time and materials delivered on time has been a struggle lately and Mr. Callahan thinks it is going to continue to be our struggle so we will keep the Board posted on anything that goes on with these schools.

BCHS & BEHS Culinary Arts Lab Project

Mr. Callahan gave a report on the BCHS & BEHS Culinary Arts Lab Project. DRA has been hired for the BCHS & BEHS culinary arts project. We have \$500,000 set aside for Eastern and \$470,000 set aside for Central and they are working on plans. They did pick up some existing condition documents. We had a long arduous contract signing we just got that cleared. We are going to be meeting with them to get this project going.

ESSER/ARF Funds

Mr. Callahan gave a report on the ESSER/ARF Funds that he is working on. We have set up an ESSER/ARF committee. We have 6.9 million set aside for Chippens and 1.6 million set aside for Hubbell. We will hold our first meeting tomorrow night (4/7/22) and will be starting with the RFP process for engineering for those services so we will be going out to get the RFP, working with Roger Rousseau, and then we will be interviewing and hiring engineers to do these projects.

Liaison Reports

Commissioner Carlson gave a report from Northeast Middle School. NEMS and AVID ran a drive to collect supplies for Ukraine, they raised three (3) carloads of supplies. Bob Maxon from NBC-30 came to visit the Green Team as they were getting ready for their winter unit, he shared his experiences growing up in Upstate New York.

Information

Commissioner Vibert shared information with the Board. There is a Facebook Mountain View Community page. There are Mountain View school members, but it also has residents from the area. The group got together a few weeks ago and decided they are going to start doing cleanups. They spent several hours and they cleaned up seven (7) huge garbage bags of trash on the Mountain View grounds. They plan on going back because Mountain View has a very large backyard. Commissioner Vibert thanked the group on behalf of the Board. She is reporting this because it is a great organization and through her, they are putting out a call to other Facebook community groups to plan similar activities in their area; let's get all of our school grounds cleaned up.

ADJOURNMENT

With no other business to come before the board, the Board of Education meeting was adjourned. (9:14 p.m.)

Respectfully Submitted,



Susan Everett, Recording Secretary
Bristol Board of Education