Minutes of the School Committee Open Budget Hearing Milton High Library March 20th, 2013

Committee Present: Glenn Pavlicek, Chair; Lynda-Lee Sheridan, Vice Chair; Mary Kelly, Leroy Walker, Becky Padera.

Staff Present: Mary Gormley, Superintendent; John Phelan, Assistant Superintendent for Curriculum & Personnel.

Call to Order

The Chair called the March 20th Open Budget Hearing of the School Committee to order at 7:03 pm

Approve Agenda: The agenda was approved.

Citizens Speak: There were no speakers.

Since there was nobody interested in speaking, the chairman entertained a motion to adjourn the Open Budget Hearing portion of the meeting.

Move: Mr. Walker Second: Ms. Sheridan

Vote: 5-0-0

The Open Budget portion of the meeting adjourned at 7:05

Minutes of the School Committee Regular Meeting Milton High Library March 20th, 2013

Committee Present: Glenn Pavlicek, Chair; Lynda-Lee Sheridan, Vice Chair; Mary Kelly, Leroy Walker, Becky Padera.

Staff Present: Mary Gormley, Superintendent; John Phelan, Assistant Superintendent for Curriculum & Personnel.

Call to Order The Chair called the March 20th meeting of the School Committee to order at 7:06 pm

Approve Agenda: The agenda (only one item) was approved.

Citizens Speak: There were no speakers.

Ms. Sheridan noted that there would not be a presentation given tonight on the budget, since there have already been numerous presentations. Ms. Sheridan wanted to let the public know that the School Committee members are open to hearing feedback. An audience member asked what the Warrant Committee number was. Mr. Pavlicek said the budget is \$900,000 short of our request. They are still actively working on this, but that is their current recommendation. Things will still be happening between now and Town Meeting. Mr. Walker noted that the final amount is \$1.9 million over level-budget figure. He also noted that School Committee members haven't voted yet what cuts will be made to the budget. That will take place on the 27th.

The chairman apologized to those who were in attendance, then entertained a motion to go into executive session for the purpose of Negotiation Strategy for Collective Bargaining and not to return to Open Session, but to adjourn directly from executive session.

Move; Ms. Sheridan Second: Mr. Walker Roll Call Vote: 5-0-0

The meeting was adjourned at 7:11 pm.