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RYE SCHOOL DISTRICT

The Rye School Board will meet on Wednesday, January 20, 2010, at 6:00 p.m., at the Rye Junior High School.

MEETING AGENDA

I. CALL TO ORDER: 6:00 p.m. – Ian Grant, Chairperson

II. SECRETARY’S REPORT

- A. Approval of the public minutes of December 16, 2009 and public and non-public minutes of January 11, 2010
- B. Communications

III. REPORTS

- A. Superintendent
 - PHS Introduction to Business
 - PHS report – Tom Southworth
- B. Principals
 - Rye Elementary School Report
 - Rye Junior High School Report
- C. Financial
 - Manifest
 - Upcoming dates of importance:
 - School Budget Deliberative Session – Wednesday, February 3, 2010, 6:30 p.m. at RJH
(*Snow date Thursday, February 4, 2010, 6:30 p.m.*)
 - Filing period for school district positions – January 20, 2010, 8:00 a.m. – January 29, 2010, 5:00 p.m. at Rye Town Hall.
 - Open school district positions – school board member (2), school district treasurer
- D. Other
 - February Community Newsletter
 - Annual Report

IV. UNFINISHED BUSINESS

- A. Calendar of Policy Action – January
- B. Other
- C. Goals – survey update

V. RECOGNITION OF GROUPS OR INDIVIDUAL VISITORS (not before 7:00 p.m.)

Peter Sawtell, *Rye Recreation After School Program*, will provide an update on the program.

VI. STANDING COMMITTEES

- A. Policies
- B. Physical Plant
 - Rye Elementary School
 - Rye Junior High School
- C. Special Issues
- D. Rye Education Foundation
- E. Portsmouth High School
 - Secondary School Advisory meeting
- F. Parent Teacher Association
- G. Rye Recreation
- H. Communications
- I. Curriculum
- J. Budget

VII. NEW BUSINESS

- Maternity leave request

VIII. PUBLIC COMMENT SECTION *(please see reverse side)*

IX. NONPUBLIC SESSION

RSA 91-A:3

X. ADJOURNMENT

RYE SCHOOL BOARD

VISITOR PARTICIPATION AT MEETINGS

Welcome to this evening's board meeting.

If you wish to be heard by the board, please note the *Public Comment Sessions* on the agenda. The comment session at the beginning of the meeting is to accommodate visitors who wish to address the school board on general issues or who do not wish to stay for the entire meeting. The comment session at the end of the meeting provides an opportunity for those staying for the meeting to comment on the work of the board.

To ensure that the time devoted to comments does not interfere with the board's ability to complete its agenda; the comment periods are limited to ten minutes, unless extended by vote of the school board. Individuals are asked to limit their comments so that all who wish to speak can be heard. Written input to the board is encouraged. Materials received seven days prior to the board meeting will be disseminated to the board in its pre-meeting packet.

Visitors should not expect a board response to their comments since the board may not have discussed or taken a position on the matter. The superintendent, without speaking for the board, may offer clarification, as appropriate. If the board already has a position or policy on the matter, the chairperson may state the board's position.

The Rye School Board meets in regular session on the third Wednesday of the month with special meetings called as necessary. The board appreciates your attendance this evening and invites your continued interest in its work on behalf of the children and residents of the Town of Rye.

RYE SCHOOL BOARD

Betty Anderson
Peggy Balboni
Ian Grant
Jeanne Moynahan
Michael Schwartz

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

George A. Cushing, PhD

PRINCIPAL

Rye Elementary School
Patricia Lane Richardson

Rye Junior High School
Chris Pollet

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Linda Walsh