

THE GLOUCESTER PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Our mission is for all students to be successful, engaged, lifelong learners.

School Committee Meeting Minutes

Wednesday, August 9, 2017

District Office Conference Room

2 Blackburn Drive, Gloucester, MA 01930

5:00 p.m.

Members Present

Jonathan Pope, Chairman
Kathy Clancy, Vice Chairperson
Melissa Teixeira
Tony Gross
Michelle Sweet

Administration Present

Dr. Richard Safier, Superintendent
Gregg Bach, Asst. Superintendent
Tom Lafleur, CPA, Director of
Finance and Operations

Recorded by Cape Ann TV

- I. **CALL TO ORDER** – Chairman Pope called the meeting to order at 5:00 p.m. and stated the mission of the Gloucester Public Schools.
- II. **SALUTE TO THE FLAG**
- III. **ORAL COMMUNICATIONS** – None.
- IV. **COMMENTS FROM THE CHAIRPERSON** – None.
- V. **CONSENT AGENDA** – None.
- VI. **ACTION**
 - A. **Acceptance of Grants** – Mr. Lafleur reported that the Title I grant is up and the rest of the grants are down.
 - 1. DESE FY2018 Title I, Part A Grant in the amount of \$550,010.00
 - 2. DESE Title II English Language Acquisition Grant in the amount of \$588.00
 - 3. DESE FY2018 Massachusetts 21st Century Community Learning Centers Grant in the amount of \$47,048.00
 - 4. Massachusetts Department of Public Health FY2018 Essential School Health Grant in the amount of \$80,900.00
 - 5. Commonwealth of Massachusetts FY2018 Carl D. Perkins Career and Technical Education Allocation Grant in the amount of \$23,917.00

After discussion, on a motion by Kathy Clancy, seconded by Ms. Sweet, it was unanimously

VOTED: 5 in favor, 0 opposed to accept the above-referenced grants.

On a motion by Mr. Gross, seconded by Ms. Teixeira, it was unanimously

VOTED: 0 in favor, 5 opposed to reconsider the vote to accept the above-referenced grants.

VII. ADJOURNMENT – On a motion by Ms. Sweet, seconded by Mr. Gross, it was unanimously

VOTED: 5 in favor, 0 opposed to adjourn the School Committee Meeting of August 9, 2017 at 5:05 p.m.

All reference documents and reports are filed in the Superintendent's office.

*Maria Puglisi
Recording Secretary*