

**Monadnock Regional School District
School Board Meeting Minutes
Special Meeting Ballot Counting
March 16, 2021
ZOOM Virtual Meeting, Swanzey, NH**

Members Present at the counting: Kristine Noonan, Dan LeClair, Cheryl McDaniel-Thomas, Colleen Toomey and Scott Peters.

Also Present at the counting: Lillian Sutton (District Clerk), Bill Hutwelker(Moderator), Adam Hopkins (Budget Committee Chair) and Jack Rooney (Keene Sentinel)

Also Present Via Zoom: Superintendent Witte, Winston Wright and Laura Aivaliotis.

S. Peters opened the meeting at 5:00 PM.

1. Counting of the Ballots: L. Sutton and Bill Hutwelker organized the members present to count the ballots. The members were divided into teams. Each team was given 50 ballots and recorded the results from the individual towns. B. Hutwelker and L. Sutton moved around the room answering questions and making sure the process was being done correctly. As the evening moved along it was explained that the Gilsum numbers checked out. They matched the original numbers that were given on the day of the election. The members continued to recount the other towns. There were no results yet to the public on the remaining towns. The ballots will again be resealed when the counting is finished. S. Peters explained at one point the members would be wrapping up and the results would be disclosed at tonight's Board Meeting.

Election Night Results:

1104-yes

1108-no

96-blank

Recount Night Results:

1111-yes

1117-no

77-blank

2. S. Peters closed the meeting at 6:43 PM in order for Board Members to get ready for the Zoom Board Meeting.

Respectfully submitted,

Laura L. Aivaliotis

Recording Secretary