

**Monadnock Regional School District (MRSD)**  
**Non-Public Session**  
**School Board Meeting Minutes**  
**October 20, 2015**  
**Monadnock Regional MS/HS, Swanzey, NH**

**Members Present:** Pat Bauries, Lisa Steadman, Bob Mitchell, James Carnie, Betty Tatro, Barry Faulkner, Mike Blair, Phyllis Peterson, Winston Wright, Scott Peters, Karen Wheeler, Joseph Smith and Nicholas Mosher.

**Also present:** L. Witte, Superintendent, J. Fortson, Business Manager and L. Aivaliotis Recording secretary.

**9:44 PM RSA 91-A:3, II (c) Matters which, if discussed in public, would likely affect adversely the reputation of any person.** L. Witte explained a paraprofessional is asking for unpaid leave. **MOTION:** P. Peterson **MOVED** to allow Victoria Tupper 4 days of unpaid leave. **SECOND:** M. Blair. **DISCUSSION:** The Board discussed this issue in depth. J. Carnie would suggest the Board take no action. *P. Peterson and M. Blair withdraw their motion.* There is no action on this issue and the Superintendent will send the letter. It was commented the Board needs to address this issue.

**MOTION:** J. Smith **MOVED** to accept the October 6, 2015 Sealed Non-Public Meeting Minutes as presented. **SECOND:** M. Blair. **VOTE:** 10.804/1.121/0/0/1.075 (no vote). **Motion passes.** It was suggested the Board should go through the sealed non-public meeting minutes.

The paraprofessional covering the extended leave of a staff member will stay in that position until the end of the year even if the staff member returns. It is in the best interest of the student.

L. Witte informed the Board there may be a hearing in the near future.

L. Witte updated the Board on the investigation as requested by the Board.

L. Witte explained a parent has requested allowing her three boys to continue to attend the Monadnock District even though they now live in Winchester. She explained they lived in the Monadnock District, recently moved to Winchester but will be moving back to the District at some point. **MOTION:** L. Steadman **MOVED** to allow the 3 boys to attend Monadnock until the end of the 2015-2016 school year with the condition the District receive documentation by November 13, 2015 with intent to move back in the District. **SECOND:** J. Smith. **VOTE:** 10.804/1.121/1.075/0. **Motion passes.**

**MOTION:** J. Smith **MOVED** to leave Non-Public Session. **SECOND:** P. Peterson **VOTE:** 13/0/0/0. **Motion passes.**

Respectfully submitted,  
Laura L. Aivaliotis