

**APPROVED**

**TOWN OF STRATTON VERMONT  
STRATTON SCHOOL BOARD  
TUESDAY, AUGUST 6, 2019  
STRATTON TOWN OFFICE**

The Stratton School Board held a regular monthly meeting at the Stratton Town Office on Tuesday, August 6, 2019. The meeting was called to order at 5:03pm.

**ATTENDING:**

Chairman-	Thomas Montemagni
Vice Chair-	Allison Young
Secretary-	Lorraine M. Weeks Newell

Melissa Faucher  
Jessica Baron  
Robert Lahue  
Michael Culver  
Alyson Peterson

**MODIFICATIONS:**

- None

**APPROVE SCHOOL BOARD MEETING MINUTES FOR JULY 2, 2019:**

- Lorraine Newell motioned to approve minutes. Tom Montemagni seconded. All concur. Motion carried.

**ADDRESS RESIDENCY APPLICATIONS FOR TUITION ASSISTANCE:**

- Melissa Faucher requested tuition assistance for her 5<sup>th</sup> grader. Employer letter presented. Board will make inquiries regarding the situation and Ms. Faucher will provide residency affidavit and documentation.

**REVIEW/APPROVE ORDER:**

- Billing received, reviewed, approved and signed with the exceptions of check# 1006.

**CONTINUE DISCUSSION OF STRATTON SCHOOL DISTRICT RESIDENCY APPLICATION PROCESS:**

- Review of August 5, 2019 work session
  - o Motion made by Lorraine Weeks-Newell to accept the approval of 16 applications for Stratton residency. Tom Montemagni second. All concur. Motion carried. Letter to applicants of approval to be sent.
  - o 6 families who previously requested assistance did not submit an application. Letter to be sent to those families indicating a deadline of August 24<sup>th</sup>, 2019 to be considered for tuition payments for the 2019-2020 school year.
  - o 4 applications require more information. Hearings to be scheduled. Letters to be sent to those families regarding same.
  - o 11 applications are lacking documentation. Letter to be sent to those families regarding same with request to deliver the documents by August 24<sup>th</sup>, 2019.
- Review of updated residency affidavit

**ADDRESS ANY OTHER SCHOOL CORRESPONDENCE BROUGHT BEFORE THE BOARD:**

- Letters had been sent to area secondary schools regarding their school profiles. Responses received from BUHS, Mt. Anthony Union, BBA, and Leland & Gray. Profiles pending from SMS, Green Mountain and Twin Valley.

**ANY OTHER BUSINESS THAT CAN LEGALLY COME BEFORE THE BOARD:**

- Collected further documentation from one of the pending applications. Set to be reviewed on August 28, 2019.
- Adjustments made to the residency affidavit. These changes to go into effect August 24, 2019.
  - o Lorraine Weeks Newell made a motion to approve the revised residency application as of August 24, 2019. Tom Montemagni motioned to approve. All concur. Motion carried.
- Allison Young attended a WCSU meeting on July 24, 2019
  - o Brought information regarding Act 173 before the Board.
  - o Presented a potential calendar change for future school years.

Work session confirmed for Wednesday, August 28, 2019 at 9am.  
Monthly meeting confirmed for Tuesday, September 3, 2019 at 6pm.  
Meeting adjourned 6:42.

Minutes prepared by: Allison S. Young

