

## TOWN OF STRATTON SCHOOL BOARD MINUTES STRATTON TOWN OFFICE OCTOBER 5, 2017 - 7:00 P.M.

The Stratton School Board held its monthly meeting on Thursday, October 5, 2017 at the Stratton town office, the meeting was called to order at 7:04 P.M.

**ATTENDANCE:** Thomas Montemagni, (Chair), Lorraine Weeks-Newell (Secretary), Kent Young (Stratton Town Clerk), Allyson Marcucci (Stratton Treasurer), Melissa Walker (Act 46 Study Committee) and Ms. Andrea Fournier.

RESIDENCY APPLICATION: Ms. Fournier met with the Board to request tuition assistance for her two children who are attending school in Massachusetts. She provided her partially completed residency application along with a VT drivers license, UPS address label, Direct TV installation receipt and completed voter check list form. It was noted on the application that Ms. Fournier's children are attending school out of state. Stratton's Tuition Payment Policy Code F16, states that tuition payments will be made to any approved Vermont school. The complete tuition payment policy can be found on the Stratton website at www.townofstrattonvt.com. Chairman Montemagni will contact Superintendent William Anton at the WCSU to discuss the matter and special dispensation will be addressed at the November 2nd meeting when a full board is present.

A Residency application was submitted by Ms. Marianne Stevenish for tuition assistance for her son. She also provided documentation required to support her application. The Board has additional questions and would like to speak with Ms. Stevenish. She will be contacted and asked to attend its next meeting on November 2, 2017.

Ms. Claire MacGregor provided the Board with a copy of a VT Auto Registration Tax & Title Application. As was reported in past monthly minutes, the Board requests that she submit a VT drivers license and registration to complete her application for tuition assistance. Her file/application remains incomplete as of the October meeting.

## **ACT 46**

The Board addressed Act 46. At the meeting held on September 19, 2017 with Stratton, Winhall and Sandgate, it was voted by the attending districts that it would not be in the best interest to proceed with a merger to become one district. The Stratton board and study committee will continue to discuss the direction Stratton will take to meet the

requirements of the State as well as to continue to provide Stratton students a quality education.

## **BILLING:**

Burr & Burton Academy - 1st semester tuition - \$83,500.00

CK#4376

David net Young - mileage reimbursement - \$25.68

CK#4377

John Everitt - Act 46 Consultant - \$1,541.00

CK#4378

Long Trail School - 1st semester tuition - \$22,695.00 CK#4379

The Mountain School At Winhall - PreK - \$1,589.00

CK#4380

Windham Central Supervisory Union - Second quarter assessment - \$13, 857.25

CK#4381

Stratton Mountai School - 1st semester tuition - \$37825.00 CK#4382

The 10/5/2107 order was reviewed, approved and signed.

The total amount of the order was \$161,032.93.

## ADDITIONAL TUITION PAYMENT

Tuition payment for a new Stratton student was made to Maple Street School in the amount of \$6,748.00 on 9/11/17. The payment was contingent on the Board approving the residency application at the 10/5/2017 meeting.

As there was no other business, Lorraine Weeks Newell motioned to adjourn the meeting at 8:45. Thomas Montemagi seconded.

Respectfully submitted:

Lorraine Weeks Newell

Stratton School Board Secretary

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