Windsor Central Supervisory Union Windsor Central Unified Union School District Board of Directors Monthly Meeting February 27, 2023, 6:30 p.m., WUHSMS Teagle Library Zoom meeting recording

Board Members Present:

Barnard: Carin Park (virtual) Bridgewater: Lara Bowers Killington: Katie Reed Jim Haff Plymouth: Elliot Rubin Pomfret: Bob Crean (virtual) Reading: Anna Sessa (virtual) Woodstock: Ben Ford Keri Bristow Matt Stout (virtual) Sam DiNatale (virtual)

Pittsfield:

Ray Rice (virtual)

Superintendent: Sherry Sousa Interim Director of Student Support Services: Shayna Kalnitsky Director of HR: Linda Loprete (virtual) Principals/Administration: Mary Guggenberger (virtual), Maggie Mills (virtual), Melissa Zoerheide, Garon Smail, John Hansen (virtual), Aaron Cinquemani, Cody Tancreti Recording Secretary: Rayna Bishop Other: Marianne Ralph

- 1. **Call to Order**: Keri Bristow called the meeting to order at 6:36 p.m. Motion to accept the agenda by Jim Haff, seconded by Ben Ford. All in favor.
- 2. Public Comment: Public comment was heard until 6:56 p.m.
- 3. School Board Director Appointment: A recently vacated Woodstock representative seat will not appear on the upcoming ballot for the Annual meeting due to the timing of the vacancy. Motion to appoint Marianne Ralph. Moved: Jim Haff. Seconded: Anna Sessa. All in favor. Per 16 V.S.A. §731(a)(1), Marianne will serve until a successor is elected.
- 4. **Discussion on community concerns from Feb. 6th**: Reiteration of board suggestions from the Feb. 6th board meeting.
- 5. **Presentation of** <u>Safety Planning and Preparation</u>. Sherry, Cody, Mary, and Shayna presented on the safety plans and protocols of the district. Motion by Katie Reed to have Sherry audit staffing needs at each school by the April meeting. Seconded by Jim Haff. All in favor.
- 6. Policy- First reading: <u>WCSU School Crisis Prevention & Response</u> policy. Jim Haff moves to adopt at the March 13th meeting. Seconded: Anna Sessa. Discussion ensued. Jim withdraws his motion with Anna's approval. Motion by Jim to move to a second reading. Anna seconds. All in favor.
- 7. **Open Meeting Law Violation Complaint** Motion by Ben Ford to deny the complaint, with the caveat that the board schedules an OML training. Seconded by Bob Crean. All in favor. Keri will write a formal response to the complainant.
- 8. **Public comment**: Additional public comment was heard.
- 9. Adjourn: Motion to adjourn at 10:04 p.m. Moved: Jim Haff. Seconded: Bob Crean. All in favor.