

Maine Consolidated School District #10

Special Board Meeting

April 22, 2021

Scott McClung called the meeting to order at 3:38 pm. Scott McClung, Kirsten Ironside and Brienne McDowell were all present.

Brienne McDowell motioned to accept the agenda as presented. Kirsten Ironside 2nd the motion. 3-0 motion carries

The Pledge of Allegiance was said and a moment of silence observed.

Brienne McDowell motioned to consider and discuss Executive Order 2021-10. Kirsten Ironside 2nd the motion. Scott McClung mentioned that he spoke to as many people as possible to get their feeling on this order. He stated that he wanted to do what was in the best interest of the students. Dr. Williams gave an update on staff concerns as well as not knowing what exactly the state or county are planning to do. He also informed the board that there was a feeling that Speech, OT and Psych services will have to be remote for the balance of the year if we drop the mask mitigation, although this is not confirmed. He also stated that the county has been trending down. There was much emotional discussion from the staff. Scott McClung motioned to rescind the mask mandate 6/9 so that the students can have the last day of school mask free. Brienne McDowell 2nd the motion. 2-1 motion carries. Kirsten motioned to rescind mask mandate immediately. Scott McClung 2nd the motion. 1-2 motion fails. Kirsten Ironside stated that she did not feel that the board did what was best for our students in this action.

Brienne McDowell motioned to adjourn at 4:46 pm. Kirsten Ironside 2nd the motion. 3-0 motion carries.