

Members Present: Lisa Svede, Julie Tanbari, Debbie Alles, Kerry Rodrigue, Pattie Andrews, Rachel Bryan, Tonya Brier, James O'Tremba

James O'Tremba opened the meeting at approximately 4:05 pm. Newton has received their staffing for the year and Mr. O'Tremba that Newton will receive an increase of almost two teachers for the 2018-19 school year. This is due to the fact that the projected student enrollment was at 645 for the fall, this is an increase of 42 students. The scheduling process will begin and once that is completed we will be able to know what areas we will need to hire new teachers in. Mr. O'Tremba reported that this will more than likely be in the area of Math and Language Arts.

Mr. O'Tremba also reported that he had not yet received his annual budget but was expecting that to also increase as it is based on the number of students in the building each year.

Tonya Brier reported that the DAC did not meet the previous evening and that the DAC meeting would be held on February 21st. Tonya shared the meeting agenda for the 21st which included Culture and Climate Survey for the district, Graduation Guidelines and a panel of High School students that would respond to any questions that DAC members would have.

Mr. O'Tremba invited the committee members to attend the next PTO meeting and Mr. Ewert, Superintendent of LPS will be presenting to our PTO. Our next accountability meeting is scheduled for March 22nd, however we may cancel that meeting due to the PTO meeting with Mr. Ewert. This is the last scheduled meeting of the year. Mr. O'Tremba will notify committee members ahead of time if the meeting on March 22nd will be cancelled.

The meeting was adjourned at 5:07 pm.