

**TOWN OF WALPOLE
HOOPER TRUSTEES MEETING
JANUARY 21, 2021**

Hooper Trustees Present: Peggy Pschirrer (Chair); Cheryl Mayberry; Steven Dalessio

CALL TO ORDER: Mrs. Pschirrer called this Hooper Trustees meeting via Zoom to order at 7:14 PM. The Hooper Trustees are in three separate locations. Mrs. Sarah Downing, Manager of Administration, is in the Walpole Town Hall, and Mrs. Regina Borden, Recording Secretary, is by telephone at a separate location. This meeting is being recorded.

HOOPER TRUSTEES MINUTES:

HOOPER TRUSTEES MEETING – December 17, 2020: Mr. Dalessio moved to accept the Minutes of the Hooper Trustees meeting of December 17, 2020, as submitted. Seconded by Ms. Mayberry. Mrs. Pschirrer asked if there were any questions or comments. There were none. On a voice roll call vote with Mr. Dalessio, Ms. Mayberry and Mrs. Pschirrer in favor, the Minutes were approved.

HOOPER BUSINESS:

Letter of Interest for Hooper Institute Board: Mr. Dalessio moved to accept the Letter of Interest from Mrs. Suzanne Nadeau to be a member of the Hooper Institute Board of Directors. Seconded by Ms. Mayberry. Mrs. Pschirrer asked if there were any questions or comments. There were none. On a voice roll call vote with Mr. Dalessio, Ms. Mayberry and Mrs. Pschirrer in favor, the motion was approved.

Mrs. Pschirrer talked with Mrs. Helen Dalbeck who is excited about Mrs. Nadeau being on the Board. They plan on having a meeting in March. Mr. Dalessio reported that they talked at great length about fundraising at the last meeting. They also talked about an idea that the Hooper would couple with the 4-H Program to have education pods at the Town Hall. It would give parents a break from the remote learning. The 4-H people would be the monitors. However the 4-H declined because of COVID restrictions. They were starting to see parents go to one parent's house; there was some collaboration in Town. The Selectboard feels that everything is going well at the Hooper Institute.


ADJOURNMENT:

Mr. Dalessio moved to adjourn this Hooper Trustees meeting. Seconded by Ms. Mayberry. Mrs. Pschirrer asked if there were any questions or comments. There were none. On a voice roll call vote with Mr. Dalessio, Ms. Mayberry and Mrs. Pschirrer in favor, the meeting was adjourned at 7:20 PM.

Respectfully submitted,
Regina Borden, Recording Secretary


Peggy L. Pschirrer, Chair


Cheryl Mayberry


Steven Dalessio

(Note: These are unapproved Minutes. Corrections will be found in the Minutes of the next Hooper Trustees meeting.)