

**EDUCATION COMMITTEE**  
**AGENDA**  
**October 19th, 2016**

- I. Agenda Changes
  
- II. Adoption of Minutes
  - 1. August 17<sup>th</sup> 2016
  
- III. School Board Updates
  
- IV. General Information
  
- V. Next Meeting Date: November 16th, 2016
  
- VI. Adjournment

**EDUCATION COMMITTEE  
MINUTES  
October 19th, 2016**

Mr. Hudson called the meeting to order at 4:30 P.M. Committee members present included Paul Kelley and Wayne Healy.

Also Present: Jim Hudson, Mayor; John Edwards, Town Manager; Karen Barrow, Town Clerk; Mrs. Laura Abel, School Superintendent and members of the School Board Staff.

**I. Agenda Changes**

There were no changes made to the agenda.

**II. Adoption of Minutes**

August 17<sup>th</sup> 2016

Mr. Healy made a motion to adopt the minutes, seconded by Mr. Kelley. Upon a unanimous vote, the motion was approved.

**III. School Board Updates**

Mrs. Abel presented the attached "By the Numbers" information regarding the statistics for the schools and advised that the enrollment number is now 795, this time last year the enrollment was 749.

Mr. Hudson asked what the enrollment numbers are for King and Queen and King William.

Mrs. Abel advised that she meets once a month with the King William and King and Queen superintends and both school systems are experiencing some issues and the enrolment numbers are down for both school systems.

Mrs. Abel gave the following update: 1) The drainage and track replacement project should be complete in November. 2) The HVAC project is currently underway, there were some delays due to the firewall, but we are now moving forward with the project. 3) The school system has just received a safety grant in the amount of \$44,000.00 with a 25% match.

Dr. David Daniels advised that the safety grant is not listed in any of the attached reports, it was just awarded. The funds will be used to update some old security equipment and software for the security systems.

Mr. Edwards advised that the Police Department used to be able to access the cameras, will the Police Department be able to access the new system.



Dr. Daniels advised that the Police Department will be able to access the web site and view any the cameras. Dr. Daniels then presented the attached report for the current school year projects and activities.

Linda Minor advised that some of the activities the students are engaged in involves the use of their soft skills; how they communicate; how they plan; how they problem solve and how they collaborate. One project involved the students doing a presentation on a Community Service project.

Mrs. Abel advised that "Pink Out Day" will be this Friday at 1:30 P.M. at the football field. We will do a collaboration of school staff, students and Town employees to make a large pink ribbon of people and take a picture, the same as last year.

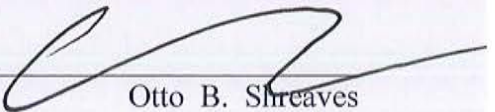
**IV. General Information**

There was nothing to report under General Information

**V. Next Meeting Date:** November 16th, 2016

**VI. Adjournment**

There being no further business the meeting was adjourned at 5:15 p.m.

  
Otto B. Shreaves  
Chairman

ATTEST:

  
Karen M. Barrow  
Town Clerk



## West Point Public Schools

Additional Grant Awards/Reimbursement Funds

Resolution

October 18, 2016

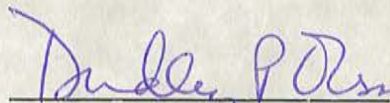
WHEREAS, West Point Public Schools received additional funds in the amount of \$8,500 for the Title I Academic Achievement Grant; and

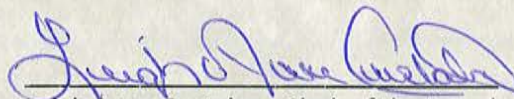
WHEREAS, West Point Public Schools received additional funds in the amount of \$44,000 for the School Security Equipment Grant; and

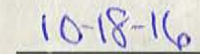
WHEREAS, West Point Public Schools received additional funds in the amount of \$970.50 for the Title II Part A English as a Second Language Endorsement Program for Selected Teachers; and

WHEREAS, West Point Public Schools received additional funds in the amount of \$26,984.06 for the Vocational Education Program; be it

RESOLVED, the West Point School Board requests approval and appropriation in the FY 2016 West Point School Board operating account from the Town Council of West Point in the amount of \$80,454.56.

  
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Dudley P. Olsson, Chairman

  
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Leigh Anne Custalow, Clerk of the Board

  
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Date