SCHOOL UNION 69 FINANCE SUBCOMMITTEE MEETING

July 10, 2023 3:00 p.m. Via Zoom only: https://networkmaine.zoom.us/j/87274150806

FINANCE SUBCOMMITTEE MINUTES

In attendance: Jude Masseur, Hope; Carly Kincaid; Appleton and Emily Berry, Lincolnville. Also in attendance, Kate Clark, Superintendent.

- 1. The meeting was called to order at 3:11 pm.
- 2. Nominate and elect Chair-Carly Kincaid nominated Jude Masseur as Chair, seconded by Emily Berry. Vote was unanimous, and Jude Masseur accepted the position.
- 3. Explore solutions to the immediate needs of the central office.
- 4. Mrs. Clark reported on her research into outsourcing tasks; discussion with Joanne Allen, retired from Maine DOE finance team; options for contracting with a local district for services. Existing Education Service Centers in the state do not seem to have services that would match our needs. There is a possibility we could share some resources with a local district, we are still waiting on more information. No new applicants have come forward. It was decided that the job description should be updated.
- 5. Recommendations for next steps: meet with district potentially willing to share resources; update job descriptions.
- 6. Public Comment-Mr. Robert Bocko of Appleton encouraged creative thinking in solving this ongoing issue.
- 7. Carly Kincaid moved to adjourn the meeting, seconded by Jude Masseur. Vote: 3-0 in favor and the meeting adjourned at 3:54 pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Kate Clark