AMITY REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 5 BOARD OF EDUCATION CURRICULUM COMMITTEE MAY 3, 2021 MEETING MINUTES 4:30 p.m. Virtual Meeting

COMMITTEE MEMBERS PRESENT: Shannan Carlson, Carla Eichler, Robyn Berke,

George Howard, Andrea Hubbard

COMMITTEE MEMBERS ABSENT: None

STAFF MEMBERS PRESENT: Dr. E. Marie McPadden

1. Call to Order

Ms. Carlson called the meeting to order at 4:32 p.m.

2. Discussion and Possible Action on Minutes

a. Curriculum Committee Meeting – March 1, 2021

MOTION by Mr. Howard; Second Ms. Hubbard, to approve minutes as submitted VOTES IN FAVOR, 3 (Eichler, Howard, Hubbard)
ABSTAINED, 2 (Berke, Carlson)
MOTION CARRIED

3. Public Comment

Ms. Carlson summarized two public comments both from Woodbridge residents. Dr. McPadden will follow up with Social Studies Department Chair and Administration.

4. Discussion of SBA and NGSS State Testing

Dr. McPadden provided an update on the Smarter Balanced Assessments and the Next Generation Science Standards State testing.

5. Discussion of Readers Workshop Training

Dr. McPadden provided a brief overview of the Readers Workshop training scheduled for May 12, 2021 for all middle school ELA and Reading Specialists.

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6. Discussion of Amity Youth Survey Administration

Dr. McPadden provided an update on the BOWDAAC Youth Survey, which will be administered to all 7th, 9th, and 11th graders during the second week of May.

7. Discussion of Gold Pen Awards May 6, 2021

One teacher from each school has been chosen in recognition of their value to the Amity community. This is truly a significant award, honoring teachers chosen by their peers.

8. Adjourn

MOTION by Ms. Berke, second Carla Eichler, to adjourn meeting VOTES IN FAVOR, 5 (unanimous)
MOTION CARRIED

Meeting adjourned at 4:56 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Dr. E. Marie McPadden
Director of Curriculum & Staff Development