

BOARD OF EDUCATION SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 1J, MULTNOMAH COUNTY, OREGON

JUNE 14, 2016 MEETING OVERVIEW

Ms. Reagan commented that employees all over the District were afraid for their health. There needs to be consideration for all employees in this District. The Board needs to step forward and follow through with the obligation. Mr. Carman added that he was pretty sure the investigation will address the lack of funds to address maintenance issues; money has been taken from school maintenance and the Board needs to change that direction. Mr. Christensen stated that he is concerned that the District continues to be reactionary. We are in this position as a result of continued underfunding of the Maintenance Department. Boots on the ground gets the work done; we need to increase staffing levels of people who actually do the work, not add more managers. The District has 8.5 million square feet of facilities, yet only two painters on staff. All you've done is allow buildings to deteriorate. The cuts you have made in the past are affecting the classrooms today.

Superintendent Smith stated that staff will re-engage on the discussion around reimbursement for employee lead testing.

Reports

Update on Water and Air Quality Actions

The Board approved the following items:

Business Agenda

Adjourn

Chair Koehler adjourned the meeting at 7:51pm.

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