

**MAYNARD PUBLIC SCHOOLS  
MINUTES OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE MEETING  
COOLIDGE SCHOOL  
AUGUST 11, 2004**

Present: A. Pratt, P. Howes, M. Wood, M. Brannelly, W. Kohlman  
Administrators: M. Masterson, J. Lent, R. Brooks, B. McLaughlin

Chairperson began the work session at 7:00 p.m.

Each Principal in turn outlined his/her objectives under the multi-year goals. School Committee members asked questions. There was give-and-take on a series of issues. The School Committee specifically wanted an objective to cover "student wellness". The Goals for the year were affirmed, with the possibility of adding a Goal related to facilities.

There was consensus on the importance of maintaining the curriculum initiatives now in place. The Committee wants an update on specific building activities and indicators not later than the second meeting in October, preferably the first.

Pete shared some communication from the Coolidge Task Force. A group in town wants to upgrade the "Coolidge" playground. The SC was not prepared to decide the issue of selling/not selling the Coolidge, particularly in light of having not yet heard the Task Force's report.

The Committee agreed to another work session on facilities next Thursday, 8/19 at 6:00 p.m.

The meeting ended approximately 9:00 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Dr. Mark R. Masterson  
Superintendent of Schools