## Lowell High School Site Council 2/26/2025 In-person, LHS Room D1008

Non-voting Members Present:

- Mike Fiato (Chair)
- Christin Maniscalco

## Members Present:

- Emily Steinberg
- Katie Maniscalco
- Brady Bond
- Lynne Bond
- Jason Silverberg
- Amanda Perrin
- Bethany Peters
- Jack Newcomb

## **Meeting Minutes**

6:02 PM - Meeting begins; Informal introductions among SSC members

6:03 PM - Motion made to accept meeting minutes from January 26, 2025, by Emily Steinberg, seconded by Lynne Bond

6:04 PM - Introduction of new Library Media Specialist (Mike Fiato, HOS - SSC Chair)

6:06 PM - Introduction (Chrisitn Monihan, Library Media Specialist)

- Visions for library usage for students.
- Resourceful and strategic planning for increased fiscal efficiency in media usage/subscription services.
- Planning for the new library space.
- Planning for the need for an additional librarian(s) after full build-out.

## 6:24 PM - Update on NEASC Accreditation (Jack Newcomb)

 Some targets have been met, while many infrastructure-based targets are impossible to meet as of right now.

- Library and Auditorium requirements are not being met at all (facilities are actively under construction.)
- Refocus on the importance of tying in the QUIP goals and NEASC requirements.

6:29 PM - Introduction to Executive Budget Summary and member review period (Mike Fiato)

6:37 PM - Line item explanation of Key Strategic Investments (Mike Fiato)

- Teacher Leadership and Accreditation
- Academic and Career Pathway Development
- Equity and MLL Supports
- Absenteeism Reduction
- Open discussion of athletic programming and facilities maintenance.

6:59 PM - Budget amendment made by Amanda Perrin, 3 Safety and Security staffing requests to 5, agreed to by all members present.

7:03 PM - Precaution regarding the loss of licensure and certifications amongst various staff members (Mike Fiato)

7:08 PM - The next meeting will be held on March 12th.

Motion made to adjourn meeting made by Jason Silverberg at 7:10, seconded by Jack Newcomb, and duly voted on and agreed to by the Council.