FACILITIES SUB COMMITTEE OF THE NEW BEDFORD SCHOOL COMMITTEE

PRESENT: MR. OLIVEIRA, DR. FINNERTY, MR. NOBREGA

ATTENDANCE: DR. DURKIN, DR. RABINOVITCH, AL OLIVEIRA, THOMAS TARPEY

1. Call to Order:

- 2. On a motion by Mr. Oliveira and seconded by Dr. Finnerty, the Committee voted to approve the minutes of August 5, 2014.
- 3. **Old Business**: Mr. Oliveira made the motion and was seconded by Dr. Finnerty to reconsider leasing rates for facilities
 - a. This is being revisited because it hasn't been approved by the Policy review, and the entire board.
 - b. Mr. Oliveira told the Committee he got some calls asking to hold the rates they are using.
 - c. Discussion was held explaining the difference between current rates and the new proposed rates.
 - d. Mr. Tarpey Athletic Director expressed his concern that the new rates would hurt New Bedford students that participate in camps.
 - e. The group discussed organizations that have asked for waivers of fees and agreed waivers should not be given.
 - f. Dr. Durkin recommended a roll out of the fees instead of a one-time large increase. She also asked that the Athletic Director and Facilities Director to collaboratively agree upon new rates and share at the next Facilities Sub-Committee meeting.
 - g. Mr. Oliveira asked for us to communicate to organizations that use our Facilities.

4. New Business:

- a. Al Oliveira shared information regarding Pulaski issues.
- b. Dr. Rabinovitch gave a report on our MSBA projects.
- c. A motion was made by Dr. Finnerty and seconded by Mr. Oliveira, to adjourn the meeting at 7:20 P.M.

Respectfully Submitted:

Dr. Barry Rabinovitch Business Manager