

Deep River Elementary Facilities Meeting Minutes

March 29, 2022 8:30 AM, Held via Google Meet

Present:

Lauren Feltz , Principal

Pete Waz, Facilities Manager

Angus McDonald , First Selectman

Miriam Morrissey , Board of Education - Chair

Bob Grissom - Finance Director

Absent: Rob Ferretti, Board of Education Representative

- General Building Update
- Update regarding asbestos containment and abatement in media center:
 - As this is a town-funded and town-managed project, the update came from Angus McDonald. First Selectman reported that they are waiting to hear from Fuss & O'Neill whether they are going to do the work or refer us to other providers. Funds are available for the project to be undertaken this summer. Funds are budgeted through the Town of Deep River's current year budget and coming year's budget.
 - Questions raised about:
 - Can Parks & Rec can be using the building when abatement is underway?
 - What is the plan for moving the collection out of the library so they can access the flooring?

Discussed:

Roof:

- Wind damage to a vent cover which requires repair is in the works.
- Plan to conduct asbestos testing of library roof discussed. Currently planning to have that section of the roof replaced during summer recess.

Library: Plan to replace flooring discussed

Tree Planting: Eversource is donating and planting a tree near the property line.

Playground: No action has been taken since the previous meeting.

Refrigerator: Additional refrigerator has not yet been ordered.

Facilities Use: (Standing item) We continue to receive requests to use the facility. The gym is most frequently requested.

Energy Use: Energy use information has been sent to the business office for a future update to the Board of Education.

Opportunity for Public Comment: None

Meeting Ended 8:55 a.m.