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Emergency Representative Meeting Council Minutes

October 31, 2002

I. Call to Order at 3:45PM

II. Correspondence: A letter of resignation was read by President Dennis Grieco. The letter stated that Dennis would be retiring from the teaching profession as of 12/1/02 to accept the position of NJEA-NEA UniServe Field Representative - Region 21 (Essex County). A motion was made by rep Len Sobel to accept the letter of resignation. Pam Boright seconds the motion, and Council passed the motion.

III. New Business:

1. Nominations for the position of Negotiations Chairperson - Custodian-Maintenance and Teacher/Secretary/Paraprofessional: As per the Constitution, the president of the Association shall recommend committee chairpersons with Executive Council voting on the president's recommendation. Vice President Joanne DiPaola recommended custodian Thomas Monaco as negotiation chairperson for the Custodial/Maintenance Unit. This was second by Dennis Grieco, and passed by Executive Council. Vice President Joanne DiPaola recommended Cindy Apalinski as chairperson for the Teacher/Secretary/Paraprofessional Unit, second by Dennis Grieco and passed by Executive Council.

2. Nomination for the position of LEA Vice President: As per the Constitution/Bylaws of the Association, Rep Council shall appoint an individual to fill a vacancy on Executive Council (Vice President) for the remainder of the term of the vacant position. Upon a recommendation by Joanne DiPaola, Pam Boright made a motion to nominate Cindy Apalinski as Vice President as of 12/1/02, second by Joann Bolduc. Motion passed with a majority vote with one opposed.

Respectfully Submitted,

Elizabeth A Ogureck
LEA Secretary