**Community Relations Subcommittee**

 **Subcommittee Meeting**

 **January 3, 2018**

 **Final Minutes**

MEMBERS PRESENT: Kim Sherwood, Hagan Rivers, Arete Pascucci

OTHERS PRESENT: Kevin Lyons

**Call to Order:** Kim Sherwood called the meeting to order at 6:05 p.m. in the Administration Building of Masconomet.

**Reviewed and Approved Minutes of November 29, 2017 and December 13, 2017 meetings**

**Senior Holiday Concert Update:** Arete Pascucci and Kim Sherwood reported that the concert was well attended and enjoyed. About 80 Seniors dined on box lunches provided by our sponsor, Salem Five Bank of Middleton. The Administration will mail a formal thank you for their donation and Kim Sherwood will send their local representative, Harikila Hjikuria a personal note as well. Photos will be sent to the Tritown Transcript for publication.

**Staff Generated Newspaper Articles.** Kevin Lyons reported that the Mission to Mars article was submitted to the newspaper, for publication. Kevin Lyons presented a draft version of the Vision 2025 article. The subcommittee was asked to review it outside the meeting and submit any edits to him prior to the next scheduled subcommittee meeting.

**Discussion of Bill Daggett talk at Masco.** Kim Sherwood asked for more information on the upcoming talk by educator Bill Daggett. Kevin Lyons indicated he was speaking at a joint professional education day for both Masco and the Tritown Union and his fee would be paid for by the Tritown Union.

**Future Subcommittee Generated Article Topics.** The Committee briefly discussed writing an article on the new ClearGov data tool, and the thought that Bill Hodges, Chair of the Budget Subcommitte might first plan to relay the news to town officials so they have advance notice. Kim Sherwood will present this thought to the full school committee later this evening.

**Old or New Business:** None

**Next meeting*:*** Wednesday, January 17, 2017 at 6pm.

**Adjournment:** A motion was made by Hagan Rivers at 6:43 pm.

**Documents**: Mission to Mars final article and Vision 2025 draft article