

NEA-NH  
Western Region Council Meeting  
“Remote Session”  
Monday, November 16, 2020

Future dates: December 14, 2020, January 25, 2021, March 15, 2021, April 12, 2021 and May 24, 2021

The following members were in attendance:

Jen Aiken – Fall Mountain SS, Jen Bewersdorf – Kearsarge EA, Kelly Boardman – Plainfield EA, Pamala Custer – Hanover EA, Gwyn Dessert – Hanover SS, Lisa Ferrigno – Newport SS, Andrew Gamble – Lebanon EA, Kevin Hicks – Fall Mountain TA, Karen Ladd -NEA Univserv Director, Donna Beth Murphy – Kearsarge EA, Kim Saunders – Lebanon SS, Theresa Scott – Newport SS, Jarrod Shaheen – Hanover EA, Cathy Stephens - Fall Mountain TA, Casey Sylvain – Grantham EA, Tammy Yates – Sugar River EA

- Review and approval of the minutes from September 21, 2020: Motion by Donna Beth, Seconded by Peggy: Approved, pending 2 minor revisions: remove dollar sign from membership number and remove the incomplete sentence from the treasurer’s report (first bullet point, “began with last year’s numbers and tried to”...)
- Treasurer’s Report:
  - No changes due to the fact that there has not been any spending
- Uniserv Director Update: Karen Ladd
  - Cornish – Making great progress, nearing an agreement
  - Fall Mountain Teachers – recent meeting, seems to be going well. Perhaps no future meetings needed
  - Lempster SS – Also in progress, seeing forward movement
  - Newport – waiting ratification
  - Plainfield – Currently holding a meeting at this moment
  - Plainfield SS – Nearing ratification
  - Unity – Currently bargaining
- This Wednesday is National ESP day: Karen shared a few suggestions as to how to celebrate this with your local ESP personnel
- [edvotes.neanh.org](http://edvotes.neanh.org): website to access in order to submit MOM grant
- Karen mentioned the Hustle APP in order to push out political information to a large number of people in a fast and efficient manner. Can be done through text messages or the website
- All of the information regarding the MOM grant will be available in the “*Insider*”
- Executive Board Update: Jen Bewersdorf
  - No new report as there was no meeting held since last council meeting
- 6:15: Motion to adjourn → Kevin Hicks: Seconded by → Terrie: Passed!