Town of Stonington K-12 Building Sub-Committee **Meeting Minutes** Monday, March 30, 2015 7:00pm Pawcatuck Middle School, Pawcatuck, CT

Members Present: Rob Marseglia, Chairman; Bill Sternberg, Vice Chairman; Julie Holland, Secretary: and

George Crouse

Members Absent: June Strunk, Deborah Downie, Rob Sundman, Kathy Sanford and Mike Fauerbach

Recording Secretary: Sandy Tissiere

Guests and Citizens: Kathy Irvine, Assistant Principal, West Broad/West Vine Street Campus; and

interested citizens

1. Call to Order

Chairman Marseglia called the meeting to order at 7:15pm.

2. Presentation of Elementary School Modernization Plan

Chairman Marseglia welcomed the audience to the community informational meeting for the Elementary Schools Modernization Plan. He told the audience that comments could be made and questions could be asked during the presentation. Mr. Marseglia presented a slide show on the final committee recommendation for the Elementary Schools Modernization Plan. The presentation included the steps taken, the options considered, the role of the architect in the determination of a final decision and projected costs.

Some audience members voiced their concerns about not having a plan for use of the West Broad Street School after the children are moved to West Vine Street School. Mr. Marseglia explained that one of the options considered was moving Central Office, perhaps to the West Broad Street School; however, the final decision was to wait until the elementary project was completed to conduct a study regarding the best place for its location. First Selectman Crouse addressed the audience telling them West Broad Street School is a historical treasure of the community and the best use would be found for it. An audience member voiced concern over the location of the parking lot in the West Vine Street test-fit plan. The committee addressed this with the answer the test-fit plan was not an actual design and where the parking lot would be actually located could be reconsidered.

The committee reminded the audience that other community meetings were planned for Wednesday, March 26 at the Stonington Community Center, and Monday, March 30 at Pawcatuck Middle School.

3. Adjourn

The following motion was made by Bill Sternberg and seconded by Julie Holland:

Motion: To adjourn the meeting at 8:15pm.

All: Ave

Julie Holland, Seci