

Per Principal Jenisch, the school is going to have RPF Associates perform a complete air quality test. The testing will be done quarterly over the entire school year.

Wednesday, August 6th Building Committee meeting.

The building committee is working with the following energy services companies (ESCO's) ; Honeywell, Johnson Controls, Noresco, and Ameresco on air quality concerns (Ed321.31), which states "projects intended to improve air quality or energy efficiency shall be eligible to receive school building aid in accordance with RSA 198:15-b, IV (g) and shall not be subject to the requirements of Ed321.27." This means they do not require a 2/3 majority to pass. They still like the design of the 11.2m renovation they proposed last year. Chris Bane said that out of 39 towns that had renovation projects up for consideration only 8 passed and none of them exceeded 10 million dollars. The taxpayer group suggested she contact those schools to find out what the scope of the renovation was and maybe consider talking to their design / build team. They also thought of doing the renovation in phases.

Follow up questions / discussion for the next Building Committee Meeting to be held on Wednesday, September 3, at 6 p.m.

- a new air venting system would need to dovetail with a future renovation design. What other (if any) renovation designs are open for consideration or are we going to get 'locked in' to the 11.2 million dollar design?
- Strafford Town statistics; median income, foreclosures, construction permits, homes that were bought and sold, elderly tax exemptions, population, unemployment rate

The oil cost for the new year is \$3.927 up \$1.528 from last year's cost of \$2.399. They are going to pre buy 15,500 gallons from Irving. The propane price is \$2.42 a gallon and they will buy 9500 gallons. The bio fuel cost for oil was 40 cents higher. Jason Grant suggested that the SAU work with Northwood to collective bargain on next years oil purchase.

There are 28 new students enrolled in the Strafford School.