CURRICULUM ASSESSMENT AND PROGRAM EVALUATION COMMITTEE Tuesday, March 15, 2016 Curriculum Room, Town School Office 5:45 p.m. MINUTES

The CAPE subcommittee was called to order at 5:45 pm

Present: Bob Belden, Colette Sturm, Assistant Superintendent Dr. Maureen Ruby and CES Principal Dr. Krys Salon

Dr. Ruby presented on the Open Court Reading Foundations K-3 program. Krys Salon shared support for the program from herself and Ms. Dymond.

Additionally, Dr. Ruby requested that CAPE retroactively approve the Teachers College Units of Study Reading and Units of Study Writing for K-4. These programs were purchased in summer 2015 and implemented during 2015-16. Next, Dr. Ruby requested extending Units of Study Reading to Grade 5 and Units of Study Writing through Grade 8. Professional development would be provided to support implementation of these programs.

Dr. Ruby concluded her presentation with an update on the work of the K-12 Math Committee, Next Generation Science Standards professional development K-12, and upcoming work of a Social Studies Committee with Mr. Stephen Armstrong, the state social studies consultant.

CAPE agreed to forward Dr. Ruby's recommendation to the Board of Education.

Respectfully Submitted,

Colette Sturm, Chairman CAPE Subcommittee