



HAMDEN BOARD OF EDUCATION
SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 14, 2020
SPECIAL MEETING MINUTES

Arturo Perez-Cabello, Board Chair, called the meeting to order at 7:03 P.M.

Board Members: Arturo Perez-Cabello, Melinda Saller, Lynn Campo, Christopher Daur, Melinda Kaplan, Gail Mitchell, Walter Morton IV., Roxana Walker-Canton, and Gary Walsh

Ex-Officio Mayor Curt Balzano Leng was also in attendance.

Student Representative: Darius Cummings

Staff: Jody Goeler, Tom Ariola, Gary Highsmith, Karen Kaplan, and Christopher Melillo

INFORMATION ITEMS

The Superintendent, along with Theresa Ott, Christopher Melillo, Karen Kaplan, Sue Smey and Gary Highsmith, presented a recommendation to move students to a remote learning platform starting on November 23rd and returning on January 19, 2021.

The following Board members asked questions about the remote learning platform: Saller, Kaplan, Mitchell, Daur, Walker-Canton, Walsh, Mayor Leng, and Morton IV.

ACTION ITEMS

1. Move to approve the Superintendent's recommendation to move students to a remote learning platform starting on November 23rd and returning on January 19, 2021.
Saller
Seconded by: Morton IV.
Unanimous
2. Move to approve of CSDE RFP 816: Low-Performing Schools Bond Funding in the amount of \$199,994
Saller
Seconded by: Mitchell
Unanimous

ADJOURNMENT

3. Move to adjourn at 8:57 P.M.
Saller
Seconded by: Morton IV.
Unanimous

Respectfully Submitted,
Melinda Saller, Board Secretary