

**GROTON BOARD OF EDUCATION**  
**SPECIAL CURRICULUM COMMITTEE MEETING**  
Monday July 25, 2022 5:00 p.m. REMOTE MEETING

**Members Present:** Andrea Ackerman, Liz Porter

**Also Present:** Phil Piazza, Carmita Hodge, Kathleen Wilson, Peter Crumb

Porter called the meeting to order at 5:03 p.m.

1. Review of Minutes

Motion to Accept: Ackerman, Seconded by Porter to approve the minutes of June 13, 2022

MOTION PASSED UNANIMOUSLY

2. Review of curriculum timeline and calendar for both revisions and new courses

Phil shared the document and outlined a plan to notify all staff about the dates and deadlines for curriculum in order for courses to be included in the course catalog and instituted for the 2023-24 school year. Dates will be shared with principals and department heads/chairs.

3. Review P 6146 Graduation Requirements

This item was tabled for a future meeting.

4. Program of Studies Audit outline

Phil will continue to review courses being offered in our buildings, cross-referencing them with our documented BOE-approved curriculum. This is ongoing and status reports will be given monthly to this committee.

5. Review of updated and new curricula

Introduction to Economics (FHS) - this updated curriculum was presented by Peter Crum and approved unanimously (with minor grammatical and formatting updates to document).

Personal Finance (MYP) - course proposal was presented by Kathy Wilson and approved to move forward with curriculum development.

Scope of Science (MYP) - course proposal was presented by Kathy Wilson and approved to move forward for curriculum development.

6. Referral List - the list will be revised with the following changes:

- a. remove R2022-7
- b. Change R2022-15 - Grad Requirements Status Report to August/September

7. Review Future Meeting Dates

Next meeting to be held at 5pm on Aug 22, 2022

8. Adjournment

The meeting adjourned at 5:47 p.m.