

WATERBURY BOARD OF EDUCATION

Monday, February 25, 2008 at 5:30 p.m.

(For the March 3, 2008 Board Meeting - MINUTES ATTACHED)

COMMITTEE MEETING

The Board of Education Committee meetings were held on Monday, February 25, 2008 at West Side Middle School, 483 Chase Parkway, Waterbury, Connecticut, starting at 5:33 p.m.

PRESENT: President Hayes (left from 6:44 to 7:51 p.m.), Commissioners D'Angelo, Flaherty-Merritt, Harvey, Laccone, Pinto (5:44 p.m.), Stango, Sweeney, Theriault, and White.

ALSO PRESENT: Superintendent Snead, Assistant Superintendent Cullinan (5:44 p.m.), Chief Operating Officer Paul Guidone, Director of Personnel Ron Frost, School Business Administrator Paul Mazzaccaro, and School Inspector Herbert Greengas.

Reports were submitted to the various committees of the Board and discussed.

ADJOURNMENT

The Committee meetings adjourned at 8:08 p.m. for a Special Meeting. The Board of Education went into Executive Session at 8:47 p.m. for discussion concerning the appointment, employment, health, or dismissal of a public officer or employee and returned at 9:30 p.m. No votes were taken. Present were all Commissioners, Dr. Snead, Mrs. Cullinan, Mr. Guidone, and Mr. Frost.

Respectfully submitted,

Carrie A. Swain, Clerk
Board of Education

WATERBURY BOARD OF EDUCATION

MINUTES ~ REGULAR MEETING

Monday, March 3, 2008 at 6:30 p.m.

Waterbury Arts Magnet School, 16 South Elm Street, Waterbury, Connecticut

PRESENT: President Hayes (left at 7:05 p.m.), Commissioners Paul D'Angelo, Flaherty-Merritt, Harvey, Laccone, Pinto, Stango, Sweeney, Theriault, and White.

ALSO PRESENT: Superintendent Snead, Assistant Superintendents Cullinan and Sequeira, Chief Operating Officer Paul Guidone, Director of Personnel Ron Frost, School Business Administrator Paul Mazzaccaro, and School Inspector Herbert Greengas.

MEETING CALLED TO ORDER

President Hayes called the meeting to order at 6:37 p.m. with a moment of silence and a prayer and Superintendent Snead led everyone in the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

SUPERINTENDENT: Special prayer for the family of the student here at WAMS, prayer for Maurice Mosley's wife, and Barbara Bouley.

ROLL CALL

CLERK: Commissioner D'Angelo.

D'ANGELO: Present.

CLERK: Commissioner Flaherty-Merritt.

FLAHERTY-MERRITT: Present.

CLERK: Commissioner Harvey.

HARVEY: Here

CLERK: Commissioner Laccone.

LACCONO: Here.

CLERK: Commissioner Pinto.

PINTO: Here.

CLERK: Commissioner Stango.

STANGO: Here.

CLERK: Commissioner Sweeney.

SWEENEY: Here.

CLERK: Commissioner Theriault.

THERIAULT: Here.

CLERK: Commissioner White.

WHITE: Here.

CLERK: President Hayes.

HAYES: Here.

COMMUNICATIONS:

Upon a motion by Commissioner Harvey and duly seconded by Commissioner Sweeney, it was voted unanimously to receive and place on file the following communications:

1. Copy of communications dated February 14, 2008 from Civil Service to William Rotar and Cynthia Testa certifying them for the position of Paraprofessional.
2. Communication dated February 15, 2008 from School Administrators of Waterbury regarding the WTA's survey.
3. Copy of communication dated February 19, 2008 from Civil Service to Joshua Holley certifying him for the position of Maintainer II.
4. Copy of communications dated February 21, 2008 to Melissa Brinton certifying her for the position of Paraprofessional; George D'Agostino for the position of Student Registration Coordinator; and Melva Nevers for the position of Administrative Support Specialist I.
5. Copy of communications dated February 26, 2008 from Civil Service certifying Anne Russo for the position of Paraprofessional; Judith Pierpont for the position of ABA Behavioral Therapist; and Maximina Yates for the position of Administrative Support Specialist I.
6. Copy of communication dated February 26, 2008 from Barbara Carrington-Lawlor to Officer Tripp thanking him for arranging the appearance of Berkeley Knights Drill Team.
7. Copy of Hopeville School's five year Progress Report submittal to the New England Association of Schools & Colleges (NEASC).

HAYES: Motion is made and seconded. All in favor, opposed.

PUBLIC ADDRESSES THE BOARD:

Upon a motion by Commissioner D'Angelo and duly seconded by Commissioner Stango, it was voted unanimously to suspend the regular order of business to allow the public to address the Board at 6:40 p.m.

Donna Vignali, 26 Lakeside Blvd. East, had the following comments: In a letter I sent to the Board of Education dated February 27, 2008, I requested that the WTA be placed on the next Board of Education workshop agenda. I am here tonight to ensure that you have received this letter. WTA would like the opportunity to speak to the Board of Education about the concerns brought forward concerning Bucks Hill School and the ineffective leadership which is affecting the learning environment. Thank you.

John Theriault, 40 Brackenridge Drive, had the following comments: Recently a proposal was submitted to the City of Waterbury to build a power plant in the South End. Because of variety of concerns, regarding environmental and safety issues, the Board of Education was asked to send a letter to the State of Connecticut Siting council stating that they were not in favor of the power plant being building in the South End. After much debate the Board passed a motion on Monday, February 18, 2008, seven to two, with one abstention, that a position statement be sent to the Siting council indicating they were not in favor of the power plant in the proposed location. The following Friday, February 22, 2008, Mayor Michael Jarjura decided to veto the position statement. On the same day, a letter was sent to the Clerk of the Board, signed by three Commissioners, requesting a special meeting to override the Mayor's veto. The special meeting was held on Monday, February 25, 2008 and because of strong armed politics the Board voted six to three with one abstention, falling one vote short of overriding the Mayor's veto. The change of heart from one Commissioner, "I voted with my heart last week, now I'm voting with my head", prevented the override. It has often been said that this Board is a Board that is bipartisan, a Board made up of dedicated democrats, republicans, and independents working long hours and unselfishly giving of their time, talent, and energy to improve the educational system in Waterbury, Connecticut. After reviewing the vote last evening we can be assured that hypocrisy and back room politics are well on this Board. A chameleon is a lizard that changes its color to suit its environment and this Board has some political chameleons that do the same thing. Recently I was chastised as being a race hustler because I chose to take the side of the Hispanic community in their fight to defeat FirstLight's proposed power plant to be built in the South End. I found the comment very interesting but also insulting. Yes I am guilty as charged of defending the Hispanic community and yes I am also guilty of fighting for the students in 28 schools, nearly 10,000 of them, within two miles of this plant. And yes I am also guilty for fighting for the health and well being of all the citizens and neighborhoods in this great City. And yes I am guilty of exercising my right of free speech just as the other Board members voted for or against this proposal. In summary, I like the Mayor, am an elected official representing the City of Waterbury. I have never called the Mayor names and always treated him with the utmost respect. I think that the Mayor need only look at his own record of land-grabbing and inside trading as an indication of how successful he has been in representing the people of Waterbury. Thank you for your kind attention.

HAYES: Is there anyone else wishing to address the Board?

Upon a motion by Commissioner D'Angelo and duly seconded by Commissioner Sweeney, it was voted unanimously to return to the regular order of business at 6:45 p.m.

HAYES: Motion has been made and seconded. All in favor, opposed.

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT: Good evening. At least it's starting to warm up; hopefully we've seen the last of snow days; we don't need any more of those. Students are taking CMT and CAPT tests beginning this week. Several schools held rallies and other activities last week to help encourage students to do well.

Many of our schools also participated in Read Across America activities last week, such as inviting Celebrity Readers to come in and read to the students.

We hosted a State Department of Education "Conversation" on high school reform last Tuesday. This event was well attended, with several questions asked by those in attendance and answered by Commissioner Mark McQuillan.

I visited several schools in the past week, including Carrington, Bunker Hill, Barnard, and Woodrow Wilson. At Woodrow Wilson, I was made aware of a major leak occurring in the roof over the cafeteria. I contacted Herb Greengas, who immediately sent out a carpenter to examine the roof and begin the process of making repairs. We discovered the rain was actually coming in through the mortar in the brick walls. The school inspector's office is now working on getting this fixed. I was very pleased with the immediate response. At Carrington, the Principal showed me a room adjacent to the library that is going to be cleaned out and used as a new computer lab. The school has already received the computers for this space, but needed assistance from the school inspector's office for getting it painted and other minor work. Herb was able to make arrangements for this to be taken care of the next day.

I would also like to take this opportunity to commend our schools and students for their appropriate response to the bank robbery incident last week. We placed several schools in lockdown, including Kennedy, West Side, Tinker, Barnard, and Brooklyn, and each responded promptly and without panic.

Rotella's All Star Chorus will perform for the State House of Representatives this Wednesday, March 5, in honor of the school's selection as a national magnet school of the year last year. The performance was arranged by Representative Selim Noujaim, who explained he invited the chorus to perform to help show just how talented Waterbury's students are.

PRESIDENT'S COMMENTS: Under my comments, first I'm going to be leaving shortly because we have all three of our teams in basketball playing in the State Tournament, I'm going to be going up to Wilby. Kennedy is playing out of town and Crosby is playing at home as well. Kennedy girls when I left last week didn't fare so well. They made a comeback but they weren't successful. Just briefly, I wasn't planning to make any comments but I feel compelled when some comments were made especially in direction of someone who is very near and dear to me who has served on this Board for many, many years who has sometimes changes her mind on a lot of different things but always does what she thinks is right. And there is no, it's very

disrespectful for a member of this Board whether speaking here or from there to make those kind of comments directed towards such a great public servant and I take exception at that and I also would like to consider this Board as still continuing to work together for what's in the best interest of the children as we always have. There's gonna be times that we disagree but when we disagree we should respect those who disagree with us. So let's get to our committee reports.

REPORTS

1. COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

1.1 Upon a motion by Commissioner White and duly seconded by Commissioner Harvey, it was voted unanimously to approve for West Side Middle School to submit a CommPACT School Application.

HAYES: Motion is made and seconded. Any discussion?

STANGO: I intend fully to support this resolution but I'm a little surprised that we did not have more information on West Side in particular, their application at the last Workshop. Some mention was made, I knew it was coming down the line, but I don't know all the particulars of it. I'm going to vote for it because I think it's very important and we are in need of it. However, I'm wondering Dr. if we can see that application at some point in time.

WHITE: We have the application here. This is the complete application?

CLERK: Yes.

WHITE: I can just pass it around.

STANGO: I had no idea it was that thick.

HAYES: We were up against a deadline on this.

GUIDONE: We just received that packet about 2:00 on Friday and it's due today.

HAYES: Any other discussion?

SUPERINTENDENT: We anticipated that question that you have at our cabinet meeting last week but Charles hasn't finished completing the application that's why we couldn't bring it to you. But we thought it would help the application if there was an endorsement, official endorsement from the Board of Ed.

STANGO: Just one more question – Dr., do you foresee another school applying in this process?

SUPERINTENDENT: There are some schools interested but they haven't decided to go forward this year yet.

HAYES: Any further discussion? Hearing none – all in favor, opposed, motion passed unanimously.

2. COMMITTEE ON GRANTS

2.1 Upon a motion by Commissioner Harvey and duly seconded by Commissioner D'Angelo, it was voted unanimously to approve for Wilby High School to participate in the CT National Math & Science Initiative "Project Opening Doors" per the attached agreement.

HAYES: Motion is made and seconded. Any discussion? Hearing none – all in favor, opposed, motion passed unanimously.

2.2 Upon a motion by Commissioner Harvey and duly seconded by Commissioner D'Angelo, it was voted unanimously to approve to approve to apply for the 2008 Motorola Foundation Innovation Generation Grant for Wilby High School.

HAYES: Motion is made and seconded. Any discussion? Hearing none – all in favor, opposed, motion passed unanimously.

2.3 Upon a motion by Commissioner Harvey and duly seconded by Commissioner D'Angelo, it was voted unanimously to approve to apply for the Connecticut Community foundation Motherread/Fatheread Grant Reapplication for Chase Family Resource Center.

HAYES: Motion is made and seconded. Any discussion? Hearing none – all in favor, opposed, motion passed unanimously.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

Upon a motion by Commissioner D'Angelo and duly seconded by Commissioner White, it was voted unanimously to go into Executive Session at 6:55 p.m. to discuss the appointment, employment, performance, health, or dismissal of a public officer or employee.

HAYES: Motion is made and seconded. All in favor, opposed.

Present were all Commissioners, Dr. Snead, Mrs. Cullinan, Dr. Sequeira, Mr. Guidone, and Mr. Frost. No votes were taken.

Upon a motion by Commissioner D'Angelo and duly seconded by Commissioner Flaherty-Merritt, it was voted unanimously to return to the regular order of business at 7:10 p.m.

(Note: President Hayes left at 7:05, Vice President White presumed the Chair)

WHITE: All in favor.

3. COMMITTEE ON SCHOOL PERSONNEL

- 3.1 Upon a motion by Commissioner Harvey and duly seconded by Commissioner Sweeney, it was voted unanimously to approve that the Superintendent of Schools be authorized to notify teachers of the non-renewal of their employment contracts in accordance with Connecticut General Statute's section 10-151.**

WHITE: Any discussion?

SWEENEY: Does that need to not non-tenure?

CLERK: I believe that's what that section references.

FROST: I don't believe so.

WHITE: Any other discussion? All in favor, opposed.

- 3.2 Upon a motion by Commissioner Harvey and duly seconded by Commissioner D'Angelo, it was voted unanimously to approve the job specifications for and new Civil Service position of Senior Human Resources Generalist.**

WHITE: Discussion? All in favor, opposed, motion passes.

- 3.3 Upon a motion by Commissioner Harvey and duly seconded by Commissioner Pinto, it was voted unanimously to approve the job specifications for and new grant funded position of Speech-Language Pathology Assistant.**

WHITE: Discussion? All in favor, opposed, motion passes.

4. COMMITTEE ON FOOD SERVICE

- 4.1 Upon a motion by Commissioner D'Angelo and duly seconded by Commissioner Harvey, it was voted unanimously to approve a contract with Gar-San Corporation for a new Walk-in Freezer at the Food Service Department.**

WHITE: Discussion. All in favor, opposed.

5. COMMITTEE ON LEGISLATION

- 5.1 Upon a motion by Commissioner Sweeney and duly seconded by Commissioner D'Angelo, it was voted unanimously to approve the following position statement regarding the Early Reading Success Grant - Proposed Bill No. 12, LCO No. 36; Proposed Bill No. 227, LCO No. 1099; and Proposed Bill No. 5375, LCO No. 1034:**

AN ACT CONCERNING THE EARLY READING SUCCESS GRANT:

Requesting that the appropriation to the Department of Education for the early reading success grant be increased/restored/funded.

To promote literacy by restoring funding to the early reading success grant program.

The Waterbury Board of Education supports Proposed Bills No.12, 227, and 5375 seeking increase/restoration of funding for the Early Reading Success Grant. Attached documentation details the positive impact on Waterbury students through utilization of Early Reading Success Grant funding.

WHITE: Discussion?

HARVEY: I am questioning the wording of this grant. I support it, but I'm just questioning why we have increased, restored, funded. I thought it was supposed to be restored.

SWEENEY: After we had our initial discussion and presented at the Workshop for proposed bill #12; two more bills were introduced into the Education Committee at the State level and those would be proposed bill 227 and proposed bill 5375. I asked Carrie to attach them in your packet for an explanation. They all seek to restore the proposed funding in some way, shape or form and after discussion with President Hayes, felt that rather than come back to you with two more position statements that we role it all into one and I revised the wording as such.

WHITE: And as you see they are attached to our motion, the motion in your packet. Any more discussion? All in favor, opposed.

6. COMMITTEE ON GRIEVANCES

6.1 Upon a motion by Commissioner Stango and duly seconded by Commissioner Harvey, with Commissioner Flaherty-Merritt voting "no", it was voted that WTA Grievance #07-08-10 be denied.

WHITE: Discussion? All in favor, opposed, motion passes nine to one.

7. COMMITTEE ON SCHOOL ACTIVITIES

7.1 Upon a motion by Commissioner Laccone and duly seconded by Commissioner D'Angelo, it was voted to approve the use of school facilities by school organizations and/or City departments, as listed.

WHITE: Discussion? All in favor, opposed, motion passes.

7.2 Upon a motion by Commissioner Laccone and duly seconded by Commissioner D'Angelo, it was voted to approve the use of school facilities by outside organizations with fees as outlined in their attached Use of Building Permit and subject to the receipt of all necessary deposits, insurance information, and/or lifeguard/CPR certifications, as listed.

WHITE: Discussion? All in favor, all opposed, motion passes.

7.3 Upon a motion by Commissioner Laccone and duly seconded by Commissioner D'Angelo, it was voted that the request of the Unity Dance Ensemble for a waiver of custodial fees for their use of Rotella Magnet School in the approximate amount of \$378.00 be approved.

WHITE: Discussion? All in favor, opposed, motion passes.

7.4 Upon a motion by Commissioner Laccone and duly seconded by Commissioner D'Angelo, it was voted that the request of the Long Hill Bible Church Youth Board for a waiver of custodial fees for their use of Wilson School in the approximate amount of \$252.00 be approved.

WHITE: Discussion? All in favor, opposed, motion passes.

7.5 Upon a motion by Commissioner Laccone and duly seconded by Commissioner D'Angelo, it was voted, with Commissioner Theriault voting "no", to approve that permission be granted to S. Danner, WMS, and three chaperones to take 22 students to Millinocket, ME from June 4 – 8, 2008 to climb Mt. Katahdin.

WHITE: Discussion?

THERIAULT: I still have some reservations about this. I did look it over; I don't see a lot of precedent for doing something like this outside of doing it through the Boy Scouts themselves. Us directly sponsoring this, I'll use my favorite word once again; I'm a little trepidatious about this. So I'll be voting no on it, is this a vote or is it just notification? I will vote no on this because I really don't think it's really reaching out a little too far for this Board and there's no precedent for it. Thank you.

WHITE: Are there any other comments on this? I think this is something new for our system; we've never done anything like this before but I'm sure that if the parents have the faith in the people that are taking the students, the teachers at the school, I did call, talk to more people, and I'm, I know, not that I'm assuming, I know that if any unusual circumstances arise you will know enough to stop and do what has to be done.

THERIAULT: I also think that we are setting a precedent here, establishing a precedent for other situations like this that will come before us so that's why I'm a little bit uneasy about it.

WHITE: I do understand but we're voting on it and everyone can vote their mind. Is everyone ready to vote? Any more discussion? All in favor, opposed. Nine – one motion passes.

FLAHERTY-MERRITT: Eight to one.

WHITE: I'm sorry.

8. SUPERINTENDENT'S NOTIFICATION TO THE BOARD

Upon a motion by Commissioner D'Angelo and duly seconded by Commissioner Sweeney, with Commissioner D'Angelo "abstaining", it was voted unanimously to receive and place on file items 8.1 through 8.4, as listed:

8.1 Athletic resignations effective immediately:

Delaney, Robert – Assistant Track Coach, KHS.
Vassar, Ryan – Tennis Coach, CHS.

8.2 Resignations:

Margiotta, Lysa – Special Education Teacher, CHS, effective 03/07/08.
Bosco, Tara – Teacher, KHS, effective 02/26/08.

8.3 Retirements:

Stolfi, Valerie M. – Special Education Teacher, WHS, effective 06/30/08.

8.4 Leave of absence requests:

D'Angelo, Nicole – Bucks Hill School, requesting an unpaid childrearing leave of absence for the period of 03/18/08 through 04/11/08.
Tafuto, Denise – English Teacher, WSMS, requesting an unpaid childrearing leave of absence for the period of 03/07/08 through 04/21/08.

WHITE: Is there a second. All in favor, opposed, motion passes with one abstention. Old Business? Sorry, New Business.

STANGO: This is just, I don't know if it's old or new, whenever I talk about a retired teacher or a teacher is retiring they tell me not to mention the word old so I'm going to put it under new. This is regarding Superintendent's Notification to the Board and for the record the retirement of Val Stolfi. She's another example of Waterbury's finest. A Waterbury resident with strong family ties to the community. She has worked long and hard for the district as a special education teacher at Wilby. I know her, I know her family, and congratulate her and wish her well in her retirement.

WHITE: Thank you. I think that goes for all of us. We are planning a day to go to, take part in the legislative action committee, the Day on the Hill. Is there anyone who would like to go who has not yet – Commissioner Theriault, Commissioner Stango, Commissioner Sweeney, myself. Is anyone else going?

STANGO: Commissioner Hayes also.

WHITE: Carrie can you call them and make the necessary arrangements. There may be students going this time.

STANGO: I was just going to address that. The students, I called Supervisor Joseph Nole of the Social Studies Department and he is coordinating with the principals of the high schools and the department heads to get perhaps one, perhaps two students from the four high schools to attend. I'd like now to, wondering if we could somehow get a van to transport those students also. I'll talk to Dr. Sequeira and Mr. Guidone and call again Mr. Nole tomorrow to see what number he has arrived at. He has been in contact

with CABE and I have been in contact with CABE to find the itinerary that they will be working with. It's been suggested that we work something out with the legislators to see if they could meet with the students to kind of like give them an overview of what's going on and maybe a tour. I know Mary you said that the League of Women Voters also works in conjunction with that. I'll check more on that tomorrow and I'll let you know Carrie.

WHITE: Anything else under New Business?

FLAHERTY-MERRITT: The WTA came to us tonight about a letter that they sent in to be on the Workshop Agenda and I think that they don't come to us often to ask to speak to us and I think it would be respectful to their wishes to allow them to be on our Workshop Agenda next week.

WHITE: I would have to refer that to Commissioner Petteway, Commissioner Harvey, and the President. I don't think that's within my purview to make the decision at this time. So they can discuss that and get back to us.

HARVEY: It's already been taken care of. That letter, there was a certified letter that was sent to the Board of Education, the Personnel Committee is scheduled to meet Wednesday and notices have gone out to the Personnel Committee. The WTA and SAW have been invited to our committee meeting just to review; we're not talking results or anything, just showing the respect just to hear what they have to say.

WHITE: I was not aware of the agenda for the Personnel Committee.

D'ANGELO: Just through the Chair, Commissioner Harvey I left you an e-mail tonight, it was like 5:00, just a friendly suggestion is you may want to do that in two separate meetings because I think if you have WTA there who is there for a specific reason and SAW who's at the total opposite end of the spectrum, it's gonna be a debate.

WHITE: I tend to agree.

HARVEY: We decided, with all due respect to SAW, if something was being presented as a recommendation then SAW should be present. So we will have that understood. We will hopefully get Mr. Guidone to referee.

FLAHERTY-MERRITT: What time is that meeting?

HARVEY: Five-thirty on Wednesday. I'll send that out to everyone.

WHITE: It is noted on our sheet.

SWEENEY: As tentative.

WHITE: We will get confirmation by an e-mail. Is there anything else under New Business? Under Old Business?

SUPERINTENDENT: I'm obligated to say this having been a principal myself. I know how tough it is and that's why I'm so supportive of our principals and I try to mentor and

provide assistance from other staff members for them and I got to say honestly I'm opposed to the meeting, I don't think it's right, bad precedence is being set. The instrument that's being referred to is not an instrument that's recognized as an evaluation tool. It is information I shared with the person and I've also acquired assistance for that individual and I believe it's going to work.

WHITE: Thank you Dr. Snead. I think there are some of us that don't agree it should be held but if it's going to be held we should attend.

THERIAULT: Not on this topic, when we're moving onto a new topic. Can you tell me or someone tell me what the status is with regard to the two Adult Education jobs that we spoke about? Are we gonna be seeing that? Is it going to be coming before the Board again?

WHITE: I think Mr. Guidone has information on that.

GUIDONE: The Personnel Committee took some action which will result in a presentation at the next Workshop on both the process and a recommendation on the individuals.

WHITE: Thank you Mr. Guidone.

SUPERINTENDENT: Just as an aside, I don't think anybody from this Board of Ed has attended the National Convention of Boards of Ed. I think you probably should consider it, you get a lot of information. This year it's going to be in Orlando.

WHITE: I do know in the past we asked about going and one year especially, I was a Commissioner, I wasn't pushing for myself to go but I was pushing for our Secretary to go because they were giving a whole series of lectures just for the secretaries of the Board. I think we should look into it, I think that might be another new thing that we start.

FLAHERTY-MERRITT: I recommend that our CAFE representative Mr. Stango be the first one to go if someone is going to go.

STANGO: You're just trying to get me out of town I think.

ADJOURNMENT

Upon a motion by Commissioner Pinto and duly seconded by Commissioner Sweeney, it was voted unanimously to adjourn at 7:34p.m.

ATTEST: _____
Carrie A. Swain, Clerk
Board of Education