

Minutes
Special Meeting of the Region 14 Board of Education
Tuesday, May 23, 2023; 5:30 p.m.
Mitchell Elementary School
Flanders Room

Present:

James Crocker, Chairman
Christopher Matta
Jonathan Kapstein
Carol Ann Brown
Tikva Rose
David Butkus
Chris Griffin

Absent:

Michael Devine

Also Present:

Brian Murphy, Superintendent
Tina Tanguay, Director of Finance and Operations
Patricia Paige, Recording Clerk

Call to Order/Pledge of Allegiance

Mr. Crocker called the meeting to order at 5:33 p.m.

Introduction of Nonnewaug High School Principal

Superintendent Murphy introduced Dr. Mykal Kuslis as the new Principal of Nonnewaug High School effective July 1, 2023. Dr. Kuslis is currently an Assistant Principal at Bullard-Havens High School. He earned Doctorate in Instructional Leadership from Western Connecticut State University and a Master of Science Degree in Special Education from Central Connecticut State University. He also serves as an infantry officer and Company Commander in the Connecticut Army National Guard.

Dr. Kuslis believes in taking a proactive approach to ensuring a safe and positive learning environment for all students by creating meaningful relationships and developing a rapport with students, parents, and staff that are centered around transparency and trust.

Region 14 is excited to welcome Dr. Kuslis into the Region 14 Family.

Dr. Kuslis was invited to say a few remarks.

Adjournment

A motion was made by Chris Matta and seconded by David Butkus to adjourn the meeting at 5:41 p.m.; all in favor; none opposed; motion carried unanimously.

Respectfully Submitted,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Patricia Paige". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, looped initial "P".

*Patricia Paige
Board Clerk*

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