

**GOVERNOR WENTWORTH REGIONAL SCHOOL BOARD MEETING
SAU BUILDING CONFERENCE ROOM
AUGUST 23, 2023**

CALL TO ORDER

Mr. Widmer called the Governor Wentworth Regional School Board meeting to order at 4:06 pm in the conference room of the SAU office building.

Members Present: Tom Bickford, Brodie Deshaies, Dr. James Manning, Mary Schillereff, Dana Streeter, John Widmer

Also Present: Superintendent Caroline Arakelian, Assistant Superintendent Heather Cummings, Business Administrator Kathy O'Blenes, Attorney Barbara Loughman, Peter Miller, Amy Waterhouse, Kelly Pollini, Dawn Dore, Tim Bohuiller

AGENDA REVIEW

No discussion.

Motion: At 4:06 pm a motion was made to enter non-public session under RSA 91-A:3, II to discuss personnel and a student matter.

Moved: Dr. Manning - **Second:** Mr. Deshaies

Vote: Mr. Bickford, yes; Mr. Deshaies, yes; Dr. Manning, yes; Mr. Streeter, yes; Ms. Schillereff, yes; Mr. Widmer, yes

Attorney Loughman described the process and her role during the meeting. Mr. Miller agreed to hold the meeting in non-public but objected to recording.

A personnel matter was discussed.

At 6:46pm Mr. Miller, Ms. Waterhouse, Ms. Pollini, Ms. Dore, and Mr. Bohuiller left the meeting. Superintendent Arakelian, Assistant Superintendent Cummings, and Business Administrator O'Blenes left the room.

At 7:15pm the administrators rejoined the room and Superintendent Arakelian presented a teacher nomination.

Motion: To accept the Superintendent's nomination of Darlene Martino as a 100% teacher for the 2023-2024 school year. Track 3/Step 13 \$77,848

Moved: Mr. Deshaies – **Second:** Ms. Schillereff

Vote: Mr. Bickford, yes; Mr. Deshaies, yes; Dr. Manning, yes; Ms. Schillereff, yes; Mr. Streeter, yes; Mr. Widmer, yes.

A student matter was discussed.

Motion: To approve the request to transfer the student to Prospect Mountain High School.

Moved: Mr. Deshaies – **Second:** Mr. Bickford

Vote: Mr. Bickford, yes; Mr. Deshaies, yes; Dr. Manning, yes; Ms. Schillereff, yes; Mr. Streeter, yes; Mr. Widmer, yes.

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Motion: At 7:29 pm a motion was made to end the non-public session.

Moved: Dr. Manning - **Second:** Mr. Deshaies

Vote: Mr. Bickford, yes; Mr. Deshaies, yes; Dr. Manning, yes; Ms. Schillereff, yes;
Mr. Streeter, yes; Mr. Widmer, yes

ADJOURNMENT

Motion: At 7:30 pm a motion was made to adjourn the meeting.

Moved: Mr. Deshaies – **Second:** Dr. Manning

Vote: Mr. Bickford, yes; Mr. Deshaies, yes; Dr. Manning, yes; Ms. Schillereff, yes;
Mr. Streeter, yes; Mr. Widmer, yes.

Respectfully submitted,



School Board Secretary

Approved by School Board: **9/11/2023**