

APPROVED
SPECIAL MEETING OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION
THURSDAY, JANUARY 18, 2024

PLACE:
DARIEN PUBLIC SCHOOLS
ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICES
MEETING ROOM
7:00 PM

Board Members Present:

	Best	Brown	Grambling	Lublin	Maroney	McCammon	Nelson	Parent	Sini
Present	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
Absent									

*Via Zoom

Administration Present:

Dr. Addley, Dr. Fedigan, Mrs. Klein, Ms. Cion, Mr. Rudl

Audience: Meeting held in Board of Education office and via You Tube / Zoom

Meeting Called to Order at 7:01 p.m. by Ms. D. Jill McCammon, Board Chair

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| 1. Call to Order | Ms. Jill McCammon, Chair
At 7:01 p.m. (0:00) | | | | | | | | | | |
| 2. Chairperson’s Report | Ms. Jill McCammon
At 7:01 p.m. (0:00) | | | | | | | | | | |
| 3. Public Comment | Ms. Jill McCammon
At 7:08 p.m. (0:07) | | | | | | | | | | |
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| 4. Comments and Questions from Board of Finance and RTM Education and Finance and Budget Committees on the FY25 Proposed Budget | Ms. Jill McCammon, Chair
At 7:21 p.m. (0:20) | | | | | | | | | | |

Ed Waschecka	RTM Education
Beth Lane	RTM F&B

5. Presentation, Further Discussion and Questions on FY25 Proposed Budget on Early Learning Program (ELP)

Dr. Alan Addley
Mrs. Shirley Klein
Ms. Laura Straiton
At 7:26 p.m. (0:25)

6. Presentation, Further Discussion and Questions on FY25 Proposed Budget on Administrative Restructuring

Ms. Jill McCammon
At 8:05 p.m. (1:04)

7. Presentation, Further Discussion and Questions on FY25 Proposed Budget on Special Education and Student Services

Ms. Jill McCammon
At 9:01 p.m. (2:00)

8. Further Discussion on 2024-25 Proposed Budget and Follow Up Questions

Ms. Jill McCammon
At 9:34 p.m. (2:33)

9. Adjournment

Ms. Jill McCammon
At 10:24 p.m. (3:23)

Motion to Adjourn:

1st: Mr. Brown

2nd: Mr. Grambling

	Best	Brown	Grambling	Lublin	Maroney	McCammon	Nelson	Parent	Sini
Yes	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
No									
Abstain									

RESULT - MOTION PASSED (9-0-0)

Meeting adjourned at 10:24 p.m. (3:23)

Respectfully Submitted,

Sara Parent
Secretary