

**GROTON BOARD OF EDUCATION
SPECIAL MEETING MINUTES
MAY 22, 2024 @ 4:00 P.M.
CENTRAL OFFICE, ROOM 11**

MEMBERS PRESENT: Jay Weitlauf-Chairperson, Beverly Washington-Vice Chairperson (remote), Andrea Ackerman, Dean Antipas, Adrian Johnson, Matthew Shulman, Ian Thomas, Jennifer White

ALSO PRESENT: Michael Whitney, Michael Freeman

I. CALL TO ORDER

Chairperson Weitlauf called the meeting to order at 4:06 p.m. He stated that the purpose of the meeting was to interview candidates to fill the Board of Education vacancy.

II. BOARD MEMBER INTERVIEWS

MOTION: Shulman, Antipas; to go into executive session at 4:07 p.m. to conduct board member interviews and to invite Michael Whitney to attend.
MOTION PASSED UNANIMOUSLY

The Board of Education returned to public session at 4:37 p.m.

MOTION: Thomas, White; to go into executive session at 4:38 p.m. to conduct board member interviews and to invite Michael Freeman to attend.
MOTION PASSED UNANIMOUSLY

The Board of Education returned to public session at 5:49 p.m.

III. DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION REGARDING THE APPROVAL OF A CANDIDATE TO FILL THE BOARD OF EDUCATION VACANCY

MOTION: Washington, Thomas; to nominate Michael Whitney to fill the Board of Education vacancy until the next election.
MOTION PASSED UNANIMOUSLY

IV. ADJOURNMENT

MOTION: Ackerman, Johnson; to adjourn at 5:52 p.m.
MOTION PASSED UNANIMOUSLY