

January 14, 2020

The Stillwater Township Board of Education met on January 14, 2020, at 7:00 p.m. in the Stillwater School All Purpose Room for a Special Board of Education Meeting.

The meeting was called to order by Dennis DeGroat at 7:00 p.m. In accordance with the New Jersey Open Public Meetings Law, the time, date and location of this meeting was provided to the New Jersey Herald & Star Ledger on November 5, 2019. Notices were posted in the Stillwater School, Town Hall, Stillwater Post Office, Middleville Post Office, Swartswood Post Office, and the Stillwater School website.

Mr. DeGroat led the flag salute. The following Board members were present: Mrs. Svendsen, Mrs. Nothstine, Mr. DeGroat, Mrs. Williver, Mrs. Kraft, Mrs. Thibault, Mrs. Galante, and Mrs. Saul.

Absent: Mrs. LoCascio.

Also present were William Kochis, Superintendent, René Metzgar, Business Administrator/Board Secretary, Marissa Cramer, Principal/Supervisor of CST and Special Education/Basic Skills, and members of the public.

STRATEGIC PLANNING/PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

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Mr. William Kochis presented the State of the District.

Kathleen Helewa and Matthew Lee, from the New Jersey School Boards Association, led the first planning meeting. Community members, Board of Education members, staff, and administration broke out to smaller groups to begin brainstorming. All participants reconvened and reviewed each group's findings.

Next Strategic Planning Meeting will be February 11, 2020 at 7:00 pm in the All Purpose Room.

ADJOURN

Motion made by Mrs. Nothstine, second by Mrs. Saul to adjourn the meeting at 8:19 p.m. A voice vote was taken and unanimously approved.

Respectfully Submitted,



René Metzgar
Business Administrator/Board Secretary