

Melissa A. Kaplan

BOE, Secretary

Thursday, February 5, 2026

Special Board of Education Meeting

Zoom

Minutes:

Start: 6:05pm

Peter Downhour, Chair

- Attendance: Peter Downhour, Melissa Kaplan, David Asbery, Chris Piscitelli, Marcia Brown, Nancy Hill, Greta Johnson (6:28pm)

- No public comments

- Executive Session: Discussion concerning approval of a tentative agreement with the Professionals' Union

Invited into Executive Session: BOE members, Attorney Ryan, Superintendent Highsmith

Peter Downhour, made the motion

Chris Piscitelli, seconded the motion

Vote to go into Executive Session:

Yes: Peter Downhour, Chris Piscitelli, David Asbery, Marcia Brown, Melissa Kaplan (Nancy Hill not present)

Executive Session: 6:10pm

Return to Public Session: 6:38pm

- Action Item: Approval of a tentative agreement with the Professionals' Union

Peter Downhour, made the motion

Chris Piscitelli, seconded the motion

Vote on the Action Item:

Yes: Peter Downhour, Chris Piscitelli, David Asbery, Nancy Hill, Marica Brown, Greta Johnson, Melissa Kaplan

- Adjournment at 6:40pm

Peter Downhuor, made the motion

Melissa Kaplan, seconded the motion

Vote on Adjournment:

Yes: Yes: Peter Downhour, Chris Piscitelli, David Asbery, Nancy Hill, Marica Brown, Greta Johnson, Melissa Kaplan