

AMITY REGIONAL BOARD OF EDUCATION SPECIAL MEETING MINUTES

Monday, April 27, 2026 6:30 pm
25 Newton Road, Woodbridge, CT
Lecture Hall

BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT

Cathy Bradley, Autumn Cloud-Ingram, Paul Davis, Jennifer Blando Jacquet, Dr. Karunakaran, Dana Lombardi, Michael McDonough, Dr. Oladele, Meghan Rabuse, Patrick Reed, Donna Schuster, Christian Young

BOARD MEMBERS ABSENT

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STUDENT BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT

Janet Fan and Shreya Viswanathan

STAFF MEMBERS PRESENT

Dr. Jennifer Byars, Dr. Shannan Carlson, Board of Education Attorney Floyd J. Dugas

1. CALL TO ORDER

Chairperson Davis called the meeting to order at 6:37 p.m.

2. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Led by Amity Board of Education Chair Paul Davis

3. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

a. Board of Education Public Hearing – April 06, 2026

MOTION by Autumn Cloud-Ingram, SECONDED by Michael McDonough to approve April 06, 2026 BOE Public Hearing minutes as submitted.

VOTES IN FAVOR, 10 (Cloud-Ingram, Davis, Jacquet, Dr. Karunakaran, McDonough, Dr. Oladele, Rabuse, Reed, Schuster, Young)

ABSTAIN, 2 (Bradley, Lombardi)

MOTION CARRIES

b. Board of Education Regular Meeting – April 06, 2026

MOTION by Autumn Cloud-Ingram, SECONDED by Michael McDonough to approve April 06, 2026 BOE Regular Meeting minutes as submitted.

VOTES IN FAVOR, 10 (Cloud-Ingram, Davis, Jacquet, Dr. Karunakaran, McDonough, Dr. Oladele, Rabuse, Reed, Schuster, Young)

ABSTAIN, 2 (Bradley, Lombardi)

MOTION CARRIES

4. STUDENT REPORT

a. Monthly Report

Presented by Board of Education student representatives Janet Fan (High School) and Shreya Viswanathan (Middle School)

5. SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

a. Superintendent Report

Enclosure from Amity Region 5 Superintendent of Schools Dr. Jennifer Byars

6. CHAIRMAN'S REPORT

Presented by Amity Board of Education Chair Paul Davis

7. BOARD ROLES AND RESPONSIBILITIES WORKSHOP

Presented by Board of Education Attorney, Floyd J. Dugas

8. PUBLIC COMMENT – Public Comment will be limited to those items noticed in this agenda

9. ITEMS FOR THE NEXT REGULAR MEETING AGENDA – Due to Chairperson by April 30, 2026

10. ADJOURNMENT

Chairperson Davis adjourned the meeting, without objection, at 8:44 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Lisa Zaleski

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BOE Recording Secretary