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BOARD OF EDUCATION SPECIAL MEETING MINUTES

April 22, 2026

The Board of Education of the Plymouth-Canton Community Schools, Wayne and Washtenaw Counties, Michigan, met in a Special Meeting on Wednesday, April 22, 2026, at 5:30 p.m. at the E.J. McClendon Center, 454 S. Harvey, Plymouth, Michigan 48170.

President Christenson called the meeting to order at 5:34 p.m. in the boardroom.

Present: Members Ahmed, Christenson, Picard, Sidhu, Vos, and Westra

Absent: Member Kehoe

Others Present Dr. Monica L. Merritt, Superintendent of Schools

Diane Robertson, Executive Assistant to the Superintendent and Board

Penny Kentish McWilliams, MASB Consultant

Member Christenson led the Pledge of Allegiance.

Citizens' Comments

- None

Special Meeting Topic

Board Governance Workshop

Board members and Superintendent Merritt participated in a collaborative workshop facilitated by Penny Kentish McWilliams, Michigan Association of School Boards (MASB) consultant. The session focused on Objective #3 from the 2025–2026 Board Goals, with an emphasis on the development of a comprehensive Board Operating Procedures manual. Board members reviewed and refined key elements of its governance framework, clarified roles and expectations, and identified next steps toward finalizing the document.

President Christenson adjourned the Special Meeting at 7:44 p.m.

Judy Westra
Secretary, Board of Education