GREATER FALL RIVER VOCATIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT COMMITTEE
MINUTES OF SPECIAL MEETING
251 STONEHAVEN ROAD, FALL RIVER, MA
DISTRICT OFFICE CONFERENCE ROOM
APRIL 14, 2026

The special meeting of the Greater Fall River Vocational School District Committee was called to order at 5:10 p.m. by Chairman Paul Jennings, with the following persons in attendance, William Flanagan of Fall River, Richard Manuels Jr. of Fall River, Joan Menard of Fall River, Donald DiBiasio of Somerset, Jeffrey Begin of Swansea and Paul Jennings of Westport.

Also in attendance were Brian Bentley, Superintendent-Director; Leslie Weckesser, Assistant Superintendent-Principal; Attorney Gregory Brilhante; Helena Neves, Executive Secretary; and several members of the Diman Teachers Association and the public.

Mr. Jennings called for the roll call.

Ms. Bronhard was the first interviewee. The committee members each asked questions on a rotating basis totaling twelve (12) questions. Ms. Bronhard's answers followed accordingly. She reviewed her years of experience and expressed gratitude for the opportunity to serve the district. Ms. Bronhard's interview started at 5:11 pm and ended at 6:09 pm.

Ms. Haskell was the second interviewee. The committee members each asked questions on a rotating basis totaling twelve (12) questions. Ms. Haskell's answers followed accordingly. She reviewed her years of experience and expressed gratitude for the opportunity to serve the district. Ms. Haskell's interview started at 6:10 pm and ended at 6:41 pm.

A short recess was taken at 6:41 pm. The meeting reconvened at 6:46 pm with William Flanagan of Fall River, Richard Manuels Jr. of Fall River, Joan Menard of Fall River, Donald DiBiasio of Somerset, Jeffrey Begin of Swansea and Paul Jennings of Westport in attendance.

Mr. Jarrod Lussier was the third interviewee. The committee members each asked questions on a rotating basis totaling twelve (12) questions. Mr. Lussier's answers followed accordingly. He reviewed his years of experience and expressed gratitude for the opportunity to serve the district. Mr. Lussier's interview started at 6:47 pm and ended at 7:20 pm.

Mr. Warley Williams was the fourth interviewee. The committee members each asked questions on a rotating basis totaling twelve (12) questions. Mr. Warley's answers followed accordingly. He reviewed his years of experience and expressed gratitude for the opportunity to serve the district. Mr. Warley's interview started at 7:22 pm and ended at 7:59 pm.

It was moved by Attorney Flanagan, seconded by Ms. Menard, and voted unanimously to adjourn the meeting at 8:00 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,
Helena S. Neves
Helena S. Neves, Executive Secretary

Materials Included:

Interview Questions