

POMPERAUG REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT 15

The mission of Region 15, a collaborative community committed to excellence, is to educate every student to be productive, ethical, and engaged in a global society through proven and innovative learning experiences supported by its strong community whose decision-making is based on the best interest of all students.

Mission Statement, Adopted 9 December 2002; Updated 2009

Special Meeting of the Board of Education

Tuesday, July 14, 2026

4:00 PM

Mary I. Johnson Central Office

PRESENT: Ms. Shannon Cavallo, Board of Education  
Mr. John Jenusaitis, Board of Education  
Mr. Steve Suriani, Board of Education  
Mr. Joshua Smith, Superintendent  
Mr. Dan Murphy, Counsel for the Board  
Ms. Erin Shaffer, Counsel for the Administration  
Mr. Christopher Sanetti, Counsel for the Administration  
Dr. Jessica Sciarretto, McKinney Vento Liaison  
Mrs. Jennifer Meglio, Board Clerk

Ms. Cavallo called the July 14, 2026, special meeting of the Board of Education to order at 4:16 p.m.

Call to Order

Upon a motion by Ms. Cavallo, seconded by Mr. Suriani  
IT WAS VOTED

Executive Session

“to enter into executive session for the purpose of discussion regarding a matter that would result in the disclosure of public records or the information contained therein as described in Connecticut General Statutes Sections 1-210(b)(2), (11) and (17). Further, that the Board invite the following individuals to attend the executive session: Mr. Dan Murphy, Counsel for the Board, Ms. Erin Shaffer, Counsel for the Administration, Mr. Christopher Sanetti, Counsel for the Administration Superintendent Joshua Smith, Parents of the Students who are the subject of the hearing, Dr. Jessica Sciarretto, McKinney Vento Liaison, and Mrs. Jennifer Meglio, Board Clerk.”

and passed with Ms. Cavallo, Mr. Jenusaitis and Mr. Suriani voting “aye”.

Upon a motion by Mr. Suriani, seconded by Mr. Jenusaitis  
IT WAS VOTED

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"Pursuant to Connecticut General Statutes Section 10-186, the Region 15 Board of Education finds that the students discussed in executive session are not residents in the towns of Middlebury or Southbury and, as such are not entitled to school accommodations as provided by the Region 15 Board of Education. The Board authorizes Ms. Shannon Cavallo and Attorney Dan Murphy to communicate in writing the Board's decision and the reasons therefore, consistent with the Board's executive hearing discussion, to the parents who requested the hearing" and passed with Ms. Cavallo, Mr. Jenusaitis and Mr. Suriani voting "aye".

Upon a motion by Ms. Cavallo, seconded by Mr. Suriani  
IT WAS VOTED

Motion to Adjourn

"to adjourn the July 14, 2026 special meeting of the Board of Education meeting at 5:14 p.m."  
and passed with Ms. Cavallo, Mr. Jenusaitis and Mr. Suriani voting "aye".

Respectfully submitted,  
Mr. Thomas Marks  
*Board Secretary*

Jennifer Meglio  
*Board Clerk*