

GROTON BOARD OF EDUCATION
SPECIAL MEETING MINUTES
OCTOBER 5, 2026 @ 5:30 P.M.
PROJECT OCEANOLOGY, ROOM 243

MEMBERS PRESENT: Beverly Washington-Chairperson, Adrian Johnson-Vice Chairperson, Andrea Ackerman, Sean Corcoran, Mitch Shinbrot, Ian Thomas, Jay Weitlauf (arrived at 6:00 p.m.), Jennifer White

MEMBERS ABSENT: Mike Whitney

ALSO PRESENT: Nick Caruso-CABE's Associate Executive Director for Field Services and Technology

I. CALL TO ORDER

Chairperson Washington called the meeting to order at 5:45 p.m. She stated that the purpose of the meeting was to conduct the Board of Education's self-evaluation.

II. BOARD OF EDUCATION'S SELF-EVALUATION

Nick Caruso, CABE's Associate Executive Director for Field Services and Technology, led the Board through a self-evaluation process to assess board effectiveness, areas of concern, and opportunities for improvement.

III. ADJOURNMENT

MOTION: Ackerman, Shinbrot; to adjourn at 7:50 p.m.
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