

Tuxedo Board of Education- Workshop Meeting

Monday, January 4, 2021

Tuxedo Union Free School District
Board of Education
Google Meet Video Conference

7:00PM

Generated by Kristine DiFrancesco on Wednesday, January 6, 2021

Members present

Meg Vaught, Dorothy Ziegelbauer, Michael Arone, Kimberly Breiland, Daniel Castricone, Lucy Cerezo Scully, Joe Rickard

Meeting called to order at 7:00 PM

1. Meeting Opening

Procedural: 1.1 Call to Order

Procedural: 1.2 Pledge of Allegiance

Procedural: 1.3 Roll Call and Quorum Check

2. Executive Session

Action: 2.1 Enter into Executive Session

Be it resolved that the Board of Education will enter into Executive Session to discuss the Employment History of a Pedagogical Employee and receive legal counsel.

Motion by Meg Vaught, second by Daniel Castricone.

Final Resolution: Motion Passed

Yes: Meg Vaught, Dorothy Ziegelbauer, Michael Arone, Kimberly Breiland, Daniel Castricone, Lucy Cerezo Scully, Joe Rickard

Action: 2.2 Return to Open Session

Motion to return to open session.

Motion by Dorothy Ziegelbauer, second by Michael Arone.

Final Resolution: Motion Passed

Yes: Meg Vaught, Dorothy Ziegelbauer, Michael Arone, Kimberly Breiland, Daniel Castricone, Lucy Cerezo Scully, Joe Rickard

Action: 2.3 Possible Action from Executive Session

Be it resolved that the board hereby authorizes its legal counsel to conduct an investigation as discussed with the board at this meeting and to engage the services of an I.T. consultant at district expense as approved by the board president in furtherance of said investigation.

Motion by Meg Vaught, second by Lucy Cerezo Scully.

Final Resolution: Motion Passed

Yes: Meg Vaught, Dorothy Ziegelbauer, Michael Arone, Kimberly Breiland, Daniel Castricone, Lucy Cerezo Scully, Joe Rickard

3. Public Comment

Julie McColgen- expressed concerns about a video her daughter and other students had seen and asked how the school district would address it. The board took the question under advisement.

Aoife Geoghegan- wanted to know if the person being investigated would be put on administrative leave. The board was not ready to make additional statements at this time.

4. Recess

Action: 4.1 Recess Meeting

Motion to recess the meeting at 10:21PM and reconvene at 9:30AM on January 5, 2020.

Motion by Meg Vaught, second by Kimberly Breiland.

Final Resolution: Motion Passed

Yes: Meg Vaught, Dorothy Ziegelbauer, Michael Arone, Kimberly Breiland, Daniel Castricone, Lucy Cerezo Scully, Joe Rickard

5. Reconvene

Procedural: 5.1 Call to Order

The meeting was reconvened at 9:30AM on January 5, 2020.

Procedural: 5.2 Roll Call and Quorum Check

6. Executive Session

Action: 6.1 Enter into Executive Session

Be it resolved that the board will now enter into a brief executive session to discuss the employment history of a certain pedagogical employee.

Motion by Meg Vaught, second by Kimberly Breiland.

Final Resolution: Motion Passed

Yes: Meg Vaught, Dorothy Ziegelbauer, Kimberly Breiland, Lucy Cerezo Scully, Joe Rickard

Not Present at Vote: Michael Arone, Daniel Castricone

Action: 6.2 Return to Open Session

Motion to return to open session.

Motion by Lucy Cerezo Scully, second by Joe Rickard.

Final Resolution: Motion Passed

Yes: Meg Vaught, Dorothy Ziegelbauer, Kimberly Breiland, Lucy Cerezo Scully, Joe Rickard

Not Present at Vote: Michael Arone, Daniel Castricone

Action: 6.3 Possible Action from Executive Session

Be it resolved that Nicole Scariano shall serve as Acting Superintendent/High School Principal during vacation periods and other leave time taken by the Superintendent for an additional per diem pay of \$100. Be it further resolved that Nicole Clark shall serve as alternate CSE/CPSE chairperson and section 504 coordinator.

Motion by Meg Vaught, second by Joe Rickard.

Final Resolution: Motion Passed

Yes: Meg Vaught, Dorothy Ziegelbauer, Kimberly Breiland, Lucy Cerezo Scully, Joe Rickard

Not Present at Vote: Michael Arone, Daniel Castricone

7. Adjournment

Action: 7.1 Adjourn Meeting

Motion to adjourn the meeting 9:46AM.

Motion by Lucy Cerezo Scully, second by Meg Vaught.

Final Resolution: Motion Passed

Yes: Meg Vaught, Dorothy Ziegelbauer, Kimberly Breiland, Lucy Cerezo Scully, Joe Rickard

Not Present at Vote: Michael Arone, Daniel Castricone

Respectfully Submitted,



Kristine DiFrancesco
District Clerk