

School Committee  
North Adams Public Schools  
North Adams, Massachusetts

Working Meeting of 13 April 2016

A working meeting of the School Committee of the North Adams Public Schools was held on Wednesday, 13 April 2016, in the City Council Chambers, City Hall, 10 Main Street, North Adams.

Members Present: Mayor Richard Alcombright, Chairperson  
Tara Jacobs  
Nicholas Fahey  
Mark P. Moulton  
John Hockridge

Missing: Karen Bond  
Heather Boulger

Also Present: James E. Montepare, Superintendent  
Ellen Sutherland, Assistant to the Superintendent  
Sandra Cote, Principal  
John Franzoni, Principal  
Amy Meehan, Principal  
Adam Shanks, The Berkshire Eagle  
Tammy Daniels, iBerkshires  
Citizens

Call to Order

Chairperson Alcombright called the meeting to order at 6:01 p.m.

The School Committee will interview Dr. Stephen Donovan for the position of Superintendent of Schools

Chairperson Alcombright informed the committee and citizens that since two school committee members were absent due to medical issues, deliberations and voting would be postponed until April 25, 2016.

At 6:03 p.m. Chairperson Alcombright called for a recess due to technical issues with the recording of the meeting.

At 6:09 p.m. the meeting reconvened.

Introductions were made and Chairperson Alcombright reviewed the interview process.

Dr. Donovan gave an opening statement followed by the interview which consisted of twelve questions. Following the interview Dr. Donovan gave a closing statement.

Adjournment

Chairperson Alcombright indicated that there was no further business to come before the School Committee and called for a motion to adjourn. It was

MOVED by Jacobs, SECONDED by Moulton  
that the meeting be adjourned.

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| VOTE ON THE MOTION | Ayes | 5 | <u>Adjournment</u> |
|                    | Nays | 0 |                    |

MOTION CARRIED

The meeting was adjourned at 6:54 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,  
Karen Bond, Secretary  
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