

COMMERCIAL TOWNSHIP BOARD OF EDUCATION

Minutes of the Special Meeting

August 19, 2019

The Special Meeting of the Commercial Township Board of Education was held in the Commercial Township Board of Education Office, located at 1308 North Avenue, Port Norris, NJ, on Monday, August 19, 2019 at 6:00 P.M.

Board President, Ms. Perrelli, opened the meeting at 7:01 P.M., leading the group in the pledge to the flag.

PLEDGE TO THE FLAG

Board President, Ms. Perrelli, read the following statement:

The New Jersey Open Public Meeting Law was enacted to ensure the rights of the public to have advance notice of and to attend the meetings of the public bodies at which any business affecting their interest is discussed or acted upon. In accordance with the provisions of this Act, the Commercial Township Board of Education has caused notice of this meeting to be published by having the date, time, and place thereof posted in the Press of Atlantic City and South Jersey Times, and posted in the Commercial Township Schools and District Office.

CALL TO ORDER

ROLL CALL

Roll call was performed by the Business Administrator, Darren Harris, and is listed as follows:

Mrs. Abbott	Present
Ms. Dragotta	Present
Mrs. Perrelli	Present
Mrs. Plummer	Present
Mrs. Porter	Present
Mrs. Ronan	Present
Mrs. Stormes-Rivera	Present
Mr. Sutton	Present
Mrs. Wilson-Smith	Present

ROLL CALL

The following were also present:

Mr. Harris – Board Secretary/Business Administrator
Mr. Giambri – Business Official
Mrs. Jean Smith – Interim Superintendent
Ms. Elizabeth Murphy – Busch Law Group
Members of the public

ADDENDUM

ADDENDUM - PERSONNEL

Motioned by Mrs. Ronan and seconded by Ms. Dragotta the Board of Education approve the following:

- Hire certified staff member, Tanya Foster. Her start date is September 1, 2019 and her salary is at Step 1BA, \$54,450 pending the CTEA negotiated rate.

Roll Call Vote:

Ayes: (9) Mrs. Abbott, Mrs. Perrelli, Mrs. Plummer, Mrs. Porter, Mrs. Ronan, Mrs. Stormes-Rivera, Mr. Sutton, Mrs. Wilson-Smith

Noes: (0) Abstain: (0) Motion Carried

EXECUTIVE SESSION

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Motioned by Mrs. Wilson-Smith and seconded by Mrs. Porter the Board of Education by Resolution, recess into closed session, from which the public will be excluded, to discuss the Superintendent Search. The results of the session will be made public immediately after, or as soon as a decision is reached if permitted by law. 7:05 P.M.

Unanimously approved

RESUMPTION OF PUBLIC MEETING

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Motioned by Mrs. Ronan and seconded by Ms. Dragotta the Commercial Township Board of Education resume the public meeting.

9:50 P.M.

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PUBLIC
COMMENTS

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ADJOURNMENT

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Motioned by Mrs. Stormes-Rivera and seconded by Ms. Dragotta the Commercial Township Board of Education adjourn the meeting.

9:51 P.M.

Unanimously approved

Respectfully Submitted,



Darren Harris, Board Secretary

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