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Farouk Rajab, Board Chair called the special meeting to order in the District Office Board of Education Meeting Room, Pawcatuck, CT at 2:08p.m. Members present were Craig Esposito, Daniel Kelley, Kevin Agnello, Christopher Donahue, and Sara Baker. Members Late Arrival – 4:30pm: Heidi Simmons, Board Secretary. Also present were Dr. Van Riley, Superintendent of Schools, members of the administrative staff, guest Paul Gagliarducci and interested citizens.

Briefing from Cabinet Members

Dr. Riley and the Cabinet members gave a brief presentation describing each of their responsibilities and challenges in their department.

Executive Session to discuss attorney-client privileged information

The following motion was made by Craig Esposito and seconded by Christopher Donahue:

Motion 1: To eliminate the Executive Closed Session of the agenda.

Vote:

Farouk Rajab - Yes

Dan Kelley - No

Heidi Simmons - Absent

Craig Esposito-Yes

Sara Baker - Yes

Christopher Donahue - Yes

Kevin Agnello - Yes

Vote: Passes

Responsibilities and Role of the Board/Board Members/Setting Board Goals for 2022-2023

Dr. Paul Gagliarducci presented a workshop on rules, suggestions and guidance to be an effective school board member. Dr. Paul Gagliarducci and Farouk Rajab, Board Chair discussed board goals for 2022-23 with the entire Board.

Adjournment

The following motion was made by Craig Esposito and seconded by Christopher Donahue:

Motion 2: To adjourn at 7:00p.m.

All: Aye

Heidi Simmons, Board Secretary