

Minutes

Regional District Meeting

Thursday, May 11, 2023; 6:00 p.m.

Flanders Room/Mitchell Elementary School

14 School St, Woodbury, CT 06798

Present:

Chris Matta, Presiding Board Member
Jonathan Kapstein
Chris Griffin
Carol Ann Brown

Absent:

Michael Devine
Tikva Rose
James Crocker
David Butkus

Also Present:

Brian Murphy, Superintendent
Tina Tanguay, Director of Finance and Operations
Attorney John MacDonald, Moderator of the meeting
Patricia Paige, Board Recording Clerk

I. Call to Order

Chris Matta called the District meeting to order at 6:00 p.m.

II. Pledge of Allegiance

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited

III. Appointment of a Moderator

Mr. Matta appointed Attorney John MacDonald as Moderator of the Meeting

IV. Appointment of Meeting Clerk by Moderator

Attorney MacDonald appointed Patricia Paige as Clerk of the Meeting

V. Call of the Meeting

Attorney MacDonald read the Call of the Meeting

All electors and citizens qualified to vote in meetings of the Towns of Bethlehem and Woodbury, CT are hereby notified and warned that a District Meeting of Regional School District 14 will be held in the Flanders Room at Mitchell Elementary School, 14 School Street, Woodbury, CT on Thursday, May 11, 2023 at 6:00 p.m.

Purpose:

To nominate candidates, at least (3) from Bethlehem and at least (3) from Woodbury, to fill four (4) seats on the Regional School District 14 Board of Education for the term of July 1, 2023 to June 30, 2026.

VI. Nominations

Attorney MacDonald opened the floor to nominations:

Leonard Assard, 78 Thomason Road, Bethlehem, nominated *Michael Carbonneau, no street address provided, Bethlehem*; seconded by Carol Ann Brown, 44 Main Street South, Bethlehem

Larissa Zepko-March, 105 Munger Lane, Bethlehem, nominated *Alice Jones, Bethlehem, no address provided*; seconded by Christopher Matta, 36 Saxony Lane, Woodbury

Charmaine Samoska, 180 Minortown Road, Woodbury, nominated *Michael Brague, no street address provided, Bethlehem*; seconded, Karen Reddington-Hughes, 182 Sherman Hill Road, Woodbury

Karen Reddington-Hughes, 182 Sherman Hill Road, Woodbury, nominated *John Hughes, of the same address*; seconded Joe Serota, 121 Tuttle Road, Woodbury

Jonathan Kapstein, 64 Rucuum Road Extension, Woodbury, nominated *Tikva Rose, Woodbury, no address provided*; seconded by Chris Matta, 36 Saxony Lane, Woodbury

Diane Macleod, 88 Weekepeemee Road, Woodbury nominated Caren Lipinski, no address provided, Woodbury; seconded Elizabeth Gannon, 229 Bacon Pond Road

Hearing no further nominations, Attorney MacDonald ensured that the proper number of nominations was received for each of the towns. Each candidate was then offered the opportunity to make a brief statement.

XI. Adjournment

Attorney MacDonald adjourned the meeting at 6:29 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Patricia Paige". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name and last name clearly distinguishable.

Patricia Paige
Board Clerk

Recorded and filed subject to Board of Education approval by: Patricia Paige, Board Clerk

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