

Board of Education Minutes
May 16, 2012
Special Meeting

A special meeting of the North Stonington Board of Education was held on Wednesday, May 16, 2012 at 7:30 p.m. in the Wheeler Gymnasium Band Room. Present were Dr. Robert, Mr. McCord (via phone), Mr. Testa, Mr. Hundt, Mr. Mathwich, Mrs. Dame, and Mr. Mendolia. Also present was Dr. Pukas, Mr. McCarthy, Mrs. Costa, Mrs. Wilkison, Mr. Sandford, and Mr. Apicelli. Chairman Robert called the meeting to order at 7:44 p.m.

2. Approval of District Technology Plan – On a motion by Mr. Mathwich, seconded by Mrs. Dame, the Board voted unanimously to table this item to another meeting.

3. Discussion of Superintendent Search – Mr. Mathwich said the Superintendent Search Committee met a few weeks ago and said the number one finalist in the search to succeed Dr. Pukas is Peter Nero, Superintendent in Cranston. He read the breakdown of applications by state. He said out of those, 21 were brought forward by NESDEC. He elaborated. He reviewed the site visit that was conducted in Mr. Nero's district and explained who the committee met with while there. Mr. Mathwich had further comment.

4. Possible Action Regarding Superintendent Search – Mr. Mathwich made a motion that was seconded by Mr. Hundt to make an offer to Peter Nero to be the next Superintendent of North Stonington. There was comment and discussion. The motion passed with six voting in favor and one opposed. Mr. McCord opposed the motion.

5. Public Comment – None.

On a motion by Mr. Testa, seconded by Mr. Hundt, the Board voted unanimously to adjourn the meeting at 7:55 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Roberta T. McCarthy, Secretary to
The Board of Education