PLANNING SESSION MEETING OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION February 23, 2016– District Office

PRESENT: Mr. Gellar, Mr. Brady, Mrs. LaRosa, Mr. Maginniss, Mr. O'Connor, Mr. Ulrich, Mr. Zotto

ABSENT: None

ADMINISTRATORS: Mrs. Burns, Mrs. Duffy, Dr. Rullan

ABSENT: None

Meeting was called to order at 8:25 p.m., followed by the Pledge.

Motion was made by Ron Maginniss, seconded by Scott Brady, and carried when all Board members present voted in favor to approve the minutes of the February 11, 2016 Regular Meeting.

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Mrs. Burns shared an updated 2016-2017 calendar in which the language addressing snow days has been amended at the bottom of the calendar to better ensure clarity. May 30, which is denoted the first snow, is now shaded, just as April 17 (the second snow day) was.

PERSONNEL:

Motion was made by Kevin O'Connor, seconded by Annmarie LaRosa and carried when all Board members present voted in favor to approve TEACHING: REGULAR SUBSTITUTE: Amanda Hughes, Counselor, effective September 1, 2015 – June 30, 2016 (High School; Step 14; replacing V. Mullins).

Motion was made by Scott Brady, seconded by Annmarie LaRosa and carried when all Board members present voted in favor to approve CIVIL SERVICE: SUBSTITUTE CUSTODIAN (\$9.75/hour): Craig Klaus, effective February 24, 2016.

Motion was made by Bob Ulrich seconded by Mike Zotto and carried when all Board members present voted in favor to approve OTHER: HOME INSTRUCTOR (\$30 per hour): Eric Aronsen, effective February 24, 2016; Diana Cincotta, effective February 24, 2016; Richard Favara, effective February 24, 2016; Samuel Feldman, effective February 24, 2016; Christina Grass, effective February 24, 2016; Robert Holohan, effective February 24, 2016; Michael Schlessinger, effective February 24, 2016; Kaitlyn Seabrook, effective February 24, 2016; Connor Valvo, effective February 24, 2016.

Motion was made by Kevin O'Connor seconded by Ron Maginniss and carried when all Board members present voted in favor to approve O'THER: SUBSTITUTE TEACHER (\$115 per diem): Eric Aronsen, effective February 24, 2016; Diana Cincotta, effective February 24, 2016; John Conner, effective February 24, 2016; Jessica D'Auria, effective February 24, 2016; Richard Favara, effective February 24, 2016; Samuel Feldman, effective February 24, 2016; Christina Grass, effective February 24, 2016; Robert Holohan, effective February 24, 2016; Michael Schlessinger, effective February 24, 2016; Kaitlyn Seabrook, effective February 24, 2016; *Leia Silverstein, effective February 24, 2016, student teacher; Stacie Tranchina, effective February 24, 2016; Connor Valvo, effective February 24, 2016.

Motion was made by Bob Ulrich seconded by Ron Maginniss and carried when all Board members present voted in favor to approve OTHER: SUBSTITUTE TEACHING ASSISTANT (\$85 per diem): Eric Aronsen, effective February 24, 2016; Diana Cincotta, effective February 24, 2016; Richard Favara, effective February 24, 2016; Samuel Feldman, effective February 24, 2016; Christina Grass, effective February 24, 2016; Robert Holohan, effective February 24, 2016; Michael Schlessinger, effective February 24, 2016; Kaitlyn Seabrook, effective February 24, 2016; *Leia Silverstein, effective February 24, 2016, student teacher; Stacie Tranchina, effective February 24, 2016; Connor Valvo, effective February 24, 2016.

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Motion was made by Scott Brady, seconded by Bob Ulrich and carried when all Board members present voted in favor to adjourn to Executive Session at 8:32 p.m. for the purpose of discussing personnel, negotiations, and/or litigation.

Meeting reconvened at 9:18 p.m. on motion by Bob Ulrich, seconded by Scott Brady and carried when all Board members present voted in favor.

Meeting adjourned at 9:19 p.m. on motion by Bob Ulrich, seconded by Kevin O'Connor and carried when all Board members present voted in favor.

Respectfully submitted by,

Mary Hock
District Clerk

All correspondence, reports or related material referred to it these minutes are on file in the District Office.