

School Committee: David Travis, Jane Burke, Jonathan Bruno, Bonnie Silvers, Art Batacchi, Jeffrey Blaugrund, Dennis Sears, Maryellen Brown

Absent: Marcella Bush, Danile Kelly arrived at 6:05 p.m.

Others: Superintendent Regulbuto, Lynette Gagnon, Attorney Peter Sumner, Jennifer Brown, V. Russell

1. Call to Order

Jane Burke, Chair, called the special meeting to order at 6:04 p.m.

2. Executive Session

Motion to enter executive session pursuant to Purpose 1 of the Open Meeting Law (M.G.L. c.30A, §21(a)(1)), to consider an Open Meeting Law complaint against a public officer, namely the members of the School Committee, such complaint having been filed with the District by Jennifer Brown on October 24, 2019; and pursuant to Purpose 7 (M.G.L. c.30A, §21(a)(7)) to comply with or act under the authority of a Massachusetts General Law by receiving legal advice from counsel protected from disclosure under Massachusetts General Law with the relevant citations of law being M.G.L. c.4, §7(26); M.G.L. c.30A, §21(a)(1); and M.G.L. c.214, §1B. and to reconvene in open session to vote on response to OML complaint.

By: Jeffrey Blaugrund

Second: Art Batacchi

Vote: David Travis – Yes, Jane Burke – Yes, Jon Bruno – Yes, Bonnie Silvers – Yes, Art Batacchi – Yes, Jeffrey Blaugrund – Yes, Dennis Sears – Yes, Maryellen Brown – Yes, Danile Kelly - Yes

The School Committee reconvened in open session at 6:47 p.m. Meeting was called to order by Chair, Jane Burke.

3. Vote on Response to Open Meeting Law Complaint.

Motion to accept the response to Jennifer Brown regarding the Open Meeting Law Complaint of October 24, 2019.

By: Dennis Sears

Second: Art Batacchi

Jane Burke, Chair, read the response letter addressed to Jennifer Brown.

Vote: Maryellen Brown – Abstain; David Travis – Abstain

Jane Burke – Yes, Jon Bruno – Yes, Bonnie Silvers – Yes, Art Batacchi – Yes, Jeffrey Blaugrund – Yes, Dennis Sears – Yes, Danile Kelly - Yes

1. Adjourn

Motion to adjourn at 6:53 p.m.

By: Dennis Sears

Second: Art Batacchi

Vote: Unanimous

Documents presented at this meeting:

- *Agenda for special school committee meeting*
- *Letter to Jennifer Brown in response to the OML complaint of October 24, 2019*