

**East Granby Board of Education
Special Meeting Minutes for
Thursday, July 3, 2025**

Board Members Present:

Mr. Bob Paskiewicz
Mrs. Lynn Landolina
Mr. John Welsh
Mrs. Lisa Griffin
Mr. Dreux Namnoun

Board Members Absent:

Mr. Mark Andrews
Mrs. Whitney Burns
Mrs. Amanda Cormier
Mr. Ricky Bortz

Others Present:

Melissa Bavaro-Grande, Superintendent
Karen Gogel, Director of SSS
Marsie Luckenbach, Seymour Principal
Mary Hiney, Business Manager
Liddy Doyle
Kathy Iwanicki
Shannon Karlowicz
Donna Mattera
Joanna Taczanowsky
Joshua Martin

I. Call to Order and Pledge of Allegiance

With a quorum present, Chairperson Bob Paskiewicz, called the meeting to order at 5:02 p.m., and all recited the Pledge of Allegiance.

The Executive Session was called to order at 5:04 p.m.

II. Executive Session – Meeting with the BoE and the Candidate for Director of Student Support Services for East Granby Public School

MOTION: a motion was made by John Welsh, seconded by Dreux Namnoun, to enter into Executive Session for the purpose of discussion for the Director of Student Support Services. The Board invited Melissa Bavaro-Grande and Joshua Martin to attend.

The Board returned to regular session at 5:50 p.m.

III. Recommended Action

a. Approve the Offer of Employment for the Role of Director of Student Support Services for East Granby Public Schools

MOTION: a motion was made by John Welsh, seconded by Dreux Namnoun, for the Superintendent to offer Joshua Martin a contract for the role of Director of Student Support Services. ***Motion approved unanimously.***

IV. Adjournment

MOTION: a motion was made by Lynn Landolina, seconded by Lisa Griffin, to adjourn the meeting. ***Motion approved unanimously.*** The meeting was adjourned at 5:52 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Melissa F. Bavaro-Grande
Acting Board Secretary