

**GARWOOD BOARD OF EDUCATION  
GARWOOD, NEW JERSEY  
SPECIAL MEETING MINUTES  
JULY 18, 2017**

**I. CALL TO ORDER:**

The meeting was called to order at 7:03 p.m.

**PLEASE TURN OFF CELL PHONES**

Adequate notice of this meeting has been provided to the Westfield Leader, the official newspaper of the Garwood Board of Education. The News Tribune, Courier Home News, Westfield Leader, Star Ledger, Suburban News and Clark Patriot are approved for use for legal notices. Notice of this meeting was sent to the Borough Clerk, and a copy of this meeting notice is posted on the front door of Lincoln School.

**II. ROLL CALL:**

   P    Mrs. S. Groning

   P    Ms. L. Koenig

   P    Mrs. A. Langston

   P\*\*    Mr. S. Piarulli

   P\*    Ms. T. Roland

   E    Mrs. T. Simitz

   E    Mr. A. Watkins

   P    Miss C. Guerriero

\*Ms. Roland arrived at 7:21

\*\*Mr. Piarulli left at 8:21

**III. OTHERS PRESENT**

   X    Dr. Teresa Quigley, Superintendent

   Mr. Eric Larson, SBA/BS

   Mr. John Geppert, Board Attorney

**IV. FLAG SALUTE - Suspended**

**V. EXECUTIVE SESSION**

Be it resolved that the GBOE conducts a closed, executive session concerning the following topic(s) as permitted by the New Jersey Open Public Meeting Act after which time the Board may or may not return to public session to take action:

   X    personnel matter, staff

   personal matter, student

   litigation

   safety and protection of property

   contract negotiations

   other permitted by law

Be it further resolved that at such time as it is legally appropriate for the substance of the closed session to be made public that same will be ordered.

**DISCUSSION:**

Basic board actions and responsibilities regarding communication and training.  
Dr. Quigley brought Special Education teacher candidate in for informal interview/meeting.  
Process for filling vacant BOE position.  
Board members reviewed compiled evaluation document for Dr. Quigley's performance and created a summary document.

**Time of vote to exit closed session: 8:52 p.m.**

**ADJOURNMENT:**

Motion to adjourn made at 8:52 p.m.

Moved by: Ms. S. Groning  
Seconded by: Mrs. A. Langston  
All Ayes

Legend: E = Excused  
P = Present  
M = Moved motion  
S = Seconded motion  
Y = Yes Vote  
N = No Vote  
AB = Abstain  
NP = Not present

Respectfully submitted,

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Christine Guerriero, Board President