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**MINUTES**  
**THOMASTON BOARD OF EDUCATION SPECIAL MEETING**

**Monday, April 12, 2021**

**5:15 p.m.**

***Due to technology issues affecting the live and recorded broadcast of this meeting, motion 4.2 listed below will be repeated during the April 19, 2021 Regular Meeting.***

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Mission Statement:

In a partnership of family, school and community, our mission is to **educate**, **challenge** and **inspire** each individual to excel and become a contributing member of society.

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**Members:**

**Beth Campbell, Chairperson**  
**David Colavecchio, Vice Chairperson**  
**Heather Patchell, Secretary**  
**Roxy Fainer, Treasurer**  
**Francine Coss, Superintendent**

**Nicole Rinaldi**  
**Steven Carr**  
**Jennifer Nolan**  
**Matthew VanOrmer**  
**Sarah Ethier**

**Student Representatives 2020-2021**

**Isabella Guerrero**  
**McKenna O'Sullivan**  
**Cesar Velez**

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- 1. Establishment of a Quorum and Call to Order (Bylaws of the Board 9325.1 – Quorum)**
    - 1.1. Meeting was called to order by Beth Campbell at 5:25PM.
    - 1.2. Members Present: **Beth Campbell, Heather Patchell, Roxy Fainer, Nicole Rinaldi, Steven Carr, Matthew VanOrmer, Sarah Ethier**
    - 1.3. Members Absent: **David Colavecchio, Jennifer Nolan**
    - 1.4. Student Representatives Absent: **Isabella Guerrero, McKenna O'Sullivan, Cesar Velez**
    - 1.5. Others in Attendance: Attorney Howard Levine, Attorney Nicholas Grello
  
  - 2. Pledge of Allegiance**
  
  - 3. Enter Executive Session for the purpose of the discussion of attorney-client privileged communication**
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- 3.1. Heather Patchell moved** and **Matthew VanOrmer seconded** to enter into Executive Session for the purpose of discussion of attorney-client privileged communication inviting Attorney Howard Levine, Attorney Nicholas Grello, and Superintendent Francine Coss.

**Yea 7 Nay 0 Abstain 0**

**4. Exit Executive Session/Enter into Regular Session**

- 4.1. The Board of Education exited the executive session at 5:48PM.
- 4.2. **Heather Patchell moved** and **Matthew VanOrmer seconded** to authorize Attorney Levine to proceed with his recommendation course of action as set in his attorney-client privileged communication.

**Yea 7 Nay 0 Abstain 0**

**5. Adjournment**

- 5.1. Matthew VanOrmer moved** and **Heather Patchell seconded** to adjourn the meeting.

**Yea 7 Nay 0 Abstain 0**

**Beth Campbell** adjourned the meeting at 5:51PM.