



# Rhode Island State Labor Relations Board

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Cranston, Rhode Island 02920-4407  
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## CLOSED MINUTES BOARD MEETING

**TIME:** 9:00 a.m.  
**DATE:** Tuesday, April 9, 2013  
**PLACE:** 1511 Pontiac Ave., Building #73, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, Cranston, RI 02920

**BOARD MEMBERS IN ATTENDANCE:** Walter Lanni  
Frank Montanaro  
Ellen Jordan  
Elizabeth Dolan  
Gerald Goldstein

**OTHERS PRESENT:** Robyn H. Golden, Administrator  
Lisa L. Ribezzo, Labor Board Case Agent  
Margaret L. Hogan, Esq.

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Chairman Lanni called the meeting to order in Open Session at 9:25 a.m.

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All Board Members reviewed the Closed Minutes of the February 12, 2013 Board Meeting. A Motion was made by Gerry Goldstein and seconded by Frank Montanaro to accept the Closed Minutes as written, and it was unanimously

**VOTED:** by all Board Members to accept the minutes as written. Motion passed.

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### UNFAIR LABOR PRACTICE CASES:

1. Case No. ULP-6099  
City of Pawtucket & RI Council 94, AFSCME, AFL-CIO

The Board's Attorney requested that this matter be placed back on the Board's Agenda for further clarification. After further discussion, the original Motion, determined at the February 12, 2013 monthly Board Meeting, to uphold the charge in this matter, issue a Complaint, and proceed to formal hearing remains status quo.

2. Case No. ULP-6100  
Town of Barrington & International Brotherhood of Police Officers (IBPO), Local 351

After review of the informal notes in this matter, a Motion was made by Ellen L. Jordan and seconded by Elizabeth S. Dolan, to administratively dismiss the Unfair Labor Practice Charge filed in this matter. After discussion, Walter J. Lanni and Gerald Goldstein voted in favor of the Motion. Frank Montanaro opposed the Motion. Motion passed.



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3. Case No. ULP-6101  
Town of North Providence & RI Council 94, AFSCME, AFL-CIO

After review of the informal notes in this matter, a Motion was made by Ellen L. Jordan and seconded by Elizabeth S. Dolan, to administratively dismiss the Unfair Labor Practice Charge filed in this matter. After discussion, Walter J. Lanni and Gerald Goldstein voted in favor of the Motion. Frank Montanaro opposed the Motion. Motion passed.

4. Case No. ULP-6102  
Town of North Smithfield & RI Council 94, AFSCME, AFL-CIO

The Board's Attorney requested that this matter be placed back on the Board's Agenda for further clarification. After further discussion, the original Motion, determined at the February 12, 2013 monthly Board Meeting, to uphold the charge in this matter, issue a Complaint, and proceed to formal hearing remains status quo.

5. Case No. ULP-6103  
State of Rhode Island – Community College of RI (CCRI) & Educational Support Professional Association of CCRI/NEARI

After review of the informal notes in this matter, a Motion was made by Ellen L. Jordan and seconded by Elizabeth S. Dolan, to administratively dismiss the Unfair Labor Practice Charge filed in this matter. After discussion, all Board Members voted in favor of the Motion. Motion passed.

## **MISCELLANEOUS CASES:**

1. Board discussion of various issues

Discussion took place only, no determinations were made.

2. Case No. ULP-6078  
Foster/Glocester Regional School Committee & NEAS Ponaganset/NEARI  
(Motion to Dismiss)

After review of all the documentation filed in this matter, a Motion was made by Ellen L. Jordan and seconded by Frank Montanaro to deny the Motion to Dismiss in this matter. After discussion, all Board Members voted in favor of the Motion. Motion passed.



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3. Case No. ULP- 6098  
RI Department of Elementary and Secondary Education & RIDE Legal Counsel/Hearing  
Officer Professional Union (**Request for Reconsideration**)

After review of all the documentation filed in this matter, a Motion was made by Elizabeth S. Dolan and seconded by Frank Montanaro to deny the Request for Reconsideration in this matter. After discussion, all Board Members voted in favor of the Motion. Motion passed.

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Ellen L. Jordan made a Motion that the Board Meeting resume in Open Session for the purpose of reading, into the minutes, the determinations made by the Board in Closed Session, as well as adjournment. Frank Montanaro seconded the Motion and it was unanimously

**VOTED:** to resume the meeting in Open Session at 10:20 a.m.