



Rhode Island State Labor Relations Board

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Building 73, 2nd floor
Cranston, Rhode Island 02920-4407
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CLOSED MINUTES BOARD MEETING

TIME: 9:00 A.M.
DATE: Tuesday, January 17, 2017
PLACE: 1511 Pontiac Ave., Building #73, 3rd Floor, Cranston, RI 02920

BOARD MEMBERS IN ATTENDANCE: Walter J. Lanni
Frank J. Montanaro
Marcia B. Reback
Scott G. Duhamel
Aronda R. Kirby

BOARD MEMBERS ABSENT: Alberto Aponte Cardona

OTHERS PRESENT: Robyn H. Golden, Administrator
Lisa L. Ribezzo, Labor Board Case Agent
Ellen Jordan, Esq.

Chairman Lanni called the meeting to order in Open Session at 9:15 a.m.

All Board Members reviewed the Closed Minutes of the November 22, 2016 Board Meeting. A Motion was made by Marcia B. Reback and seconded by Frank J. Montanaro to accept the Closed Minutes as written, and it was

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

UNFAIR LABOR PRACTICE CHARGES:

1. Case No.ULP-6193
Foster-Gloucester Regional School District & NEA Ponaganset
(Motion for Reconsideration)

After review of the correspondence submitted, a Motion was made by Frank J. Montanaro and seconded by Scott G. Duhamel to grant the Motion for Reconsideration; thus, to re-open, uphold and issue a Complaint in the above-entitled matter. After discussion, Walter J. Lanni, Frank J. Montanaro, Marcia B. Reback, and Scott G. Duhamel voted in favor of the Motion. Aronda R. Kirby opposed the Motion. Motion passed.



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- 2. Case No. ULP- 6194
Warwick School Committee & Warwick Teachers' Union, Local 915

After review of the informal notes and attachments in the aforementioned matter, a Motion was made by Marcia B. Reback and seconded by Aronda R. Kirby to uphold the charge, issue a Complaint, and proceed to formal hearing. After discussion, all Board Members present voted in favor of the Motion. Motion passed.

Subsequently, after review of the Motion for Consolidation submitted on behalf of the Union, as well as the Objection to the Motion to Consolidate, filed on behalf of the Employer, a Motion was made by Scott G. Duhamel and seconded by Marcia B. Reback to grant the Consolidation of the two (2) Warwick School Committee cases, to wit: ULP-6192 and ULP-6194, for Formal Hearing on February 7, 2017. After discussion, all Board Members present voted in favor of the Motion. Motion passed.

- 3. Case No. ULP- 6196
Town of South Kingstown & RI Council 94, AFSCME, AFL-CIO

After review of the informal notes and attachments in the aforementioned matter, a Motion was made by Aronda R. Kirby and seconded by Marcia B. Reback to uphold the charge, issue a Complaint, and proceed to formal hearing. After discussion, all Board Members present voted in favor of the Motion. Motion passed.

- 4. Case No. ULP- 6197
State of Rhode Island – Department of Administration & Local 400, IFPTE

After review of the informal notes and attachments in the aforementioned matter, a Motion was made by Marcia B. Reback and seconded by Aronda R. Kirby to administratively dismiss the above-entitled matter. After discussion, all Board Members present voted in favor of the Motion. Motion passed.

A Motion was then made by Aronda R. Kirby and seconded by Harry F. Winthrop to resume the meeting in open session for the purposes of reading into the minutes the determinations made by the Board in Closed Session, as well as adjournment. After discussion, it was unanimously

VOTED: by the Board Members present to resume the meeting in Open Session at 9:35 a.m.
