Tewksbury School Committee
Reorganization Meeting #11
Wednesday, April 10, 2019
Tewksbury Memorial High School, Library
320 Pleasant Street, Tewksbury

## SCHOOL COMMITTEE MEMBERS PRESENT

James A. Cutelis Shannon M. Demos Dennis G. Francis John R. Stadtman Keith M. Sullivan

## SCHOOL ADMINISTRATORS PRESENT

Christopher J. Malone, Superintendent Brenda T. Regan, Assistant Superintendent

## SCHOOL ADMINISTRATORS EXCUSED

David Libby, Business Manager

## **CALL TO ORDER**

Mr. Malone called the April 10, 2019 School Committee meeting to order at 6:30 p.m.

#### **EXECUTIVE SESSION**

Mr. Malone announced the School Committee will be convening an Executive Session to continue discussion relative to strategy with respect to collective bargaining and/or litigation.

Mr. Francis moved, seconded by Mr. Sullivan, to enter into an Executive Session to continue discussion relative to strategy with respect to collective bargaining and/or litigation. The School Committee will reconvene in Open Session at. 7:00 p.m. for a Reorganization Meeting followed by the Regular Meeting at 7:15 p.m.

Roll Call Vote: Voting Yes: Mr. Sullivan, Mr. Stadtman, Ms. Demos, and Mr. Francis All Aye. No Opposed. Unanimous Vote. Motion carried 4-0. Mr. Cutelis arrived at 6:35 p.m.

At 6:55 p.m, Mr. Francis moved, seconded by Mr. Sullivan to adjourn the Executive Session and convene the Reorganization School Committee meeting.

Roll Call Vote: Voting Yes: Mr. Sullivan, Mr. Stadtman, Mr. Cutelis, Ms. Demos, and Mr. Francis All Aye. No Opposed. Unanimous Vote. Motion carried 5-0. All Aye. No Opposed. Unanimous Vote. Motion carried 3-0.

# **ANNOUNCEMENT**

Mr. Malone announced that the Reorganization meeting will be televised and recorded. Under the Open Meeting Law, the public is permitted to make an audio or video recording of an open session at a public meeting. At this time, Mr. Malone asked that if anyone is recording tonight's meeting to please identify himself/herself. Seeing none, Mr. Malone continued to the Election of Officers.

Mr. Malone congratulated and welcomed Shannon Demos and John Stadtman on their election to the School Committee. He stated we are looking forward to working with Ms. Demos and Mr. Stadtman during their tenure on the Committee.

## **CALL TO ORDER**

Mr. Malone called the April 10, 2019 Reorganization School Committee meeting to order at 7:01 p.m.

## **PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

Mr. Malone invited the principals to lead the School Committee in the Pledge of Allegiance.

### PRIMARY ELECTION OF OFFICERS

## Chairperson

Mr. Malone entertained nominations for the position of Chairperson of the Tewksbury School Committee. Mr. Cutelis moved, seconded by Ms. Demos, to nominate Dennis Francis for the position of Chairman of the Tewksbury School Committee.

Mr. Malone asked if there were any further nominations for Chairman, seeing none, Mr. Malone entertained a motion to close nominations for the position of Chairperson. Mr. Cutelis moved, seconded by Mr. Sullivan.

Mr. Malone stated there has been a motion and a second. Mr. Malone asked for all those in favor of Mr. Francis to serve as Chairman of the Tewksbury School Committee to signify by saying aye.

All Aye. No Opposed. Unanimous Vote. Motion carried 5-0.

Mr. Francis thanked the Committee stating that he is honored to accept the position.

## Vice-Chairperson

Mr. Francis entertained nominations for the position of Vice-Chairperson of the Tewksbury School Committee. Mr. Cutelis moved, seconded by Ms. Demos, to nominate Mr. Sullivan to the position of Vice-Chairman of the Tewksbury School Committee.

Mr. Francis asked if there were any further nominations for the position of Vice-Chairperson, seeing none, Mr. Francis stated there has been a motion and a second. Mr. Francis asked for all those in favor of Mr. Sullivan to serve as Vice-Chairman to signify by saying aye.

All Aye. No Opposed. Unanimous vote. Motion carried 5-0.

#### Clerk

Mr. Francis entertained nominations for the position of Clerk of the Tewksbury School Committee. Mr. Cutelis moved, seconded by Mr. Sullivan, to nominate Ms. Demos to the position of Clerk of the Tewksbury School Committee.

Mr. Francis asked if there were any further nominations for the position of Clerk, seeing none, Mr. Francis stated that there has been a motion and a second. Mr. Francis asked for all those in favor of Ms. Demos to serve as Clerk of the Tewksbury School Committee to signify by saying aye.

All Aye. No Opposed. Unanimous Vote. Motion carried 5-0.

#### ADJOURN

At 7:08 p.m, Mr. Francis reported with the reorganization meeting concluded, the School Committee will return at 7:15 p.m. for the Regular School Committee meeting.