

New Milford Board of Education
Special Meeting Minutes and Motions
June 16, 2026 - 5:15 pm
Sarah Noble Intermediate School Library Media Center

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Present:	Mrs. Leslie Sarich, Chairperson Mr. Eric Hansell, Vice Chairperson <i>arrived at 6:12pm</i> Mrs. Sarah Herring, Secretary Mrs. Tammy McInerney, Assistant Secretary Mrs. Wendy Faulenbach Mr. Dean Barile Mr. Brian McCauley Mr. Joseph Failla Mr. Tom O'Brien
Absent:	
Also Present:	Dr. Janet Parlato, Superintendent

1.	Call to Order The special meeting of the New Milford Board of Education was called to order at 5:26 p.m. by Mrs. Leslie Sarich, Chairperson.	Call to Order
2.	Public Comment None	Public Comment
3.	<u>DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION</u> A. Discussion and possible action regarding the 2025-26 annual evaluation of the Superintendent of Schools. Executive session anticipated. <i>Mr. O'Brien moved that the Board enter into executive session for the purpose of discussing the 2025-26 annual evaluation of the Superintendent of Schools. It was further moved that the Board invite Superintendent of Schools, Dr. Janet Parlato. Seconded by Mr. McCauley. Motion passed unanimously.</i> <i>The Board and Dr. Parlato entered Executive Session at 5:27pm.</i> <i>Dr. Parlato exited Executive Session at 6:06pm.</i>	<u>DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION</u> A. Discussion and possible action regarding the 2025-26 annual evaluation of the Superintendent of Schools. Executive session anticipated. Motion made and approved that the Board enter into executive session for the purpose of discussing the 2025-26 annual evaluation of the Superintendent of Schools. It was further moved that the Board invite Superintendent of Schools, Dr. Janet Parlato. Motion passed unanimously.

	<i>The Board returned from Executive Session at 6:14pm.</i> <i>Mrs. McInerney moved that the Board authorize the Board Chairperson to prepare and issue to the Superintendent an oral annual evaluation for 2025-26 pursuant to the terms of the Board's discussion in executive session and subject to any necessary legal review. Seconded by Mr. McCauley. Motion passed unanimously.</i> B. Discussion and possible action regarding proposed contract of employment with Superintendent of Schools. Executive session anticipated. <i>Mr. Barile moved for the Board to enter into executive session for the purpose of discussing the proposed contract of employment with the Superintendent of Schools. Seconded by Mr. McCauley. Motion passed unanimously.</i> <i>The Board entered Executive Session at 6:15pm.</i> <i>The Board returned from Executive Session at 6:21pm.</i> <i>Mr. Hansell moved that the Board authorize the Board Chairperson to offer the Superintendent a new three year employment agreement pursuant to the terms of the Board's discussion in Executive Session and subject to any necessary legal review. Seconded by Mrs. McInerney. Motion passed unanimously.</i>	Motion made and approved that the Board authorize the Board Chairperson to prepare and issue to the Superintendent an oral annual evaluation for 2025-26 pursuant to the terms of the Board's discussion in executive session and subject to any necessary legal review. Motion passed unanimously. B. Discussion and possible action regarding proposed contract of employment with Superintendent of Schools. Executive session anticipated. Motion made and approved for the Board to enter into executive session for the purpose of discussing the proposed contract of employment with the Superintendent of Schools. Motion passed unanimously. Motion made and approved for the Board to authorize the Board Chairperson to offer the Superintendent a new three year employment agreement pursuant to the terms of the Board's discussion in Executive Session and subject to any necessary legal review. Motion passed unanimously.
4.	Adjourn <i>Mrs. Faulenbach moved to adjourn the meeting at 6:22 p.m., seconded by Mr. O'Brien.</i>	Adjourn <i>Motion made and passed unanimously to adjourn the meeting at 6:22 p.m.</i>

Respectfully submitted:



Sarah Herring
Secretary
New Milford Board of Education