
**MINUTES
THOMASTON BOARD OF EDUCATION
SPECIAL MEETING**

Thomaston Town Hall
Meeting Room One
Monday, June 12, 2017
5:00 p.m.

Members:

**Roxy Fainer, Chairperson
Kathleen Freimuth, Vice Chairperson
Anne Petrucci, Secretary
Alexander Lee, Treasurer
Francine Coss, Superintendent**

**Beth Campbell
David Colavecchio
Maureen McMahon
Scott Theriault
Frank Treglia**

1. Establishment of a Quorum and Call to Order

- 1.1 **Chairperson Roxy Fainer** called the meeting to order at 5:06 p.m.
- 1.2 Board members in attendance: **Chairperson Roxy Fainer, Superintendent Coss, Anne Petrucci, Scott Theriault and Frank Treglia**
- 1.3 Others in attendance: John Perrucci, Principal of Thomaston High School; Kristin Raymond, Assistant Principal of Thomaston High School; Student A, and Attorney Kyle McClain, the Board's attorney.

2. Executive Session

- 2.1 **Anne Petrucci** motioned and **Frank Treglia seconded** to enter into Executive Session to discuss a matter involving a student that would likely result in the disclosure of public records or the information contained therein as described in Connecticut General Statutes Sections 1-210(b)(2), (11) and (17). Only those invited by the Board may be present in the Executive Session. The Board invites the following individuals into executive session:

Superintendent Coss, John Perrucci, Principal of Thomaston High School; Kristin Raymond, Assistant Principal of Thomaston High School; Student A, and Attorney Kyle McClain, the Board's attorney

Vote: Motion Passed

Yes	No	Abstain
4	0	0

2.2 Executive Session ended at 6:12 p.m.

Anne Petrucci motioned and Frank Treglia **seconded** that pursuant to Connecticut General Statutes Section 10-233d, the Board of Education expel Student A, as discussed in executive session, from attendance in school in Thomaston Public Schools for the period of May 26, 2017 until June 30, 2017 for the reasons presented by the Administration in executive session.

Further, the Board directs the administration to offer an alternative educational opportunity to Student A for the entire period of the expulsion served out of school in a form to be determined by the Superintendent. The Board also directs the Administration to record this expulsion on Student A's cumulative educational record, to be expunged from such record if Student A graduates from high school.

Finally, the Board authorized Attorney Kyle McClain to communicate in writing the Board's decision and the reasons therefor, consistent with the Board's executive session discussion, to Student A and his or her parents, as appropriate.

Vote: Motion Passed.

Yes	No	Abstain
4	0	0

3. Adjournment

3.1 **Chairperson Roxy Fainer** motioned and **Anne Petrucci** seconded to adjourn the meeting.

Vote: Motion Passed.

Yes	No	Abstain
4	0	0

The meeting adjourned at 6:13 p.m.