

Somers Board of Education Special Meeting

Wednesday, February 18, 2026 6:00 PM

Somers Board of Education Chambers, 1 Vision Boulevard, Somers, CT 06071

1. CALL TO ORDER	
2. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE	
3. APPROVAL OF MINUTES	
1. Approval of the January 12, 2026 BOE Meeting Minutes	2
The Board to review and approve the minutes from the January 12, 2026 Board meeting.	
4. ADMINISTRATIVE REPORTS	
1. Superintendent Update	
2. Monthly Budget Report	7
The monthly update will be provided to the Board.	
3. Presentation of the 2026-2027 Proposed SPS Budget	
Dr. Galloway will present the 2026-2027 proposed budget to the Board.	
5. OPPORTUNITY TO ADD/DELETE AGENDA ITEMS	
6. CONSENT AGENDA	
1. Warrant of January 26, 2026	8
The Board to review and consent to the warrant of January 26, 2026.	
2. Warrants of February 9, 2026	12
The Board to review and consent to the warrants of February 9, 2026.	
3. Retirements	
• Kevin Nevins, MBA ELA Teacher, will be retiring at the end of the school year after 27 years of service at Somers Public Schools.	
• Therese Kowalski, SES LMC Paraeducator, will be retiring at the end of the school year after 12 years of service at Somers Public Schools.	
7. OLD BUSINESS	
8. NEW BUSINESS	
1. Approval of MBA Gym Scoreboards Donation	17
The Board will review and approve the donation for two scoreboards for the MBA gymnasium.	
2. Open Choice Program -- Open Slots	18
The Board to review and approve the 25 slots in the Open Choice program. This is an increase of five slots from the previous year.	
3. 1st Posting 2027-2028 SPS Calendar	20
4. 1st Posting New Course - MBA Creative Literacy	21
5. 1st Posting New Course - MBA General Music	23
9. COMMITTEE REPORTS	
1. Curriculum (next meeting 2/23/26, 6 p.m.)	
2. Policy	
3. Planning/Finance	
4. Salary & Negotiations	
5. Building	
10. CIP/CREC/SEF	
11. ADVANCE CALENDAR	
12. AUDIENCE TO CITIZENS/STAFF/STUDENTS	
13. EXECUTIVE SESSION	
The Board to enter into Executive Session and invite Dr. Galloway into Executive Session to discuss the Superintendent's mid-year evaluation.	
14. ADJOURNMENT	