Somers Board of Education Regular Meeting Monday, March 24, 2025 7:00 PM

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

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2. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

3. **BOE APPRECIATION**

Dr. Galloway will present gifts to the Board members in recognition of Board of Education Appreciation Month.

4. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

- 1. Approval of the March 10, 2025 BOE Special Budget Meeting Minutes
 The Board to review and approve the minutes from the March 10, 2025 special budget meeting.
- 2. Approval of the March 10, 2025 Regular Meeting Minutes
 The Board to review and approve the minutes from the March 10, 2025 regular Board meeting.

5. ADMINISTRATIVE REPORTS

- 1. Superintendent Update
- 2. Morgan Stanley Update
 Kevin Nichols from Morgan Stanley will update the Board on the 2024 Pension and OPEB
 performance reports.
- 3. SHS Student Representatives Emma Cicciarella and Carolyn Castonguay will update the Board on recent Somers High School events.

6. OPPORTUNITY TO ADD/DELETE AGENDA ITEMS

7. CONSENT AGENDA

- 1. Warrant of March 24, 2025
 The Board to review and consent to the warrant of March 24, 2025.
- 2. Leave of Absences
- Kathryn Krauss, SES Special Education Teacher, will be taking a leave of absence approximately September 12, 2025 through the remainder of the 2025-2026 school year.
- Courtney Suttle, MBA ELA Teacher, will be taking a leave of absence from the beginning of the 2025-2026 school year through approximately January 5, 2026.
 - 3. Resignation

Hannah Abernethy, Grade 5 Teacher, is resigning at the end of the 2024-2025 school year.

8. OLD BUSINESS

9. **NEW BUSINESS**

1. May 2025 NYC Art Trip

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Mr. Kyle Kipfer, SHS Art Teacher, will present the May 2025 trip to New York City to the BOE.

2. 2024-2025 Graduation Date

The Board to approve the graduation date for Thursday, June 12, 2025.

3. BOE Photo Retake

The Board to discuss a BOE picture retake to be scheduled before the April 28, 2025 Board meeting.

10. **COMMITTEE REPORTS**

- 1. Curriculum (next meeting 4/28/25 6 p.m., 5/12/25 6 p.m., 6/9/25 5:30 p.m.)
- 2. Policy
- 3. Planning/Finance
- 4. Salary & Negotiations
- 5. Building (next meeting 3/25/25 2 p.m., 4/1/25 2 p.m., 4/15/25 2 p.m., 4/29/25 2 p.m.)

11. CABE/CREC/State Dept. of Ed./SEF

- 12. AUDIENCE TO CITIZENS/STAFF/STUDENTS
- 13. ADJOURNMENT