



**BOARD OF EDUCATION SPECIAL MEETING MINUTES  
April 16, 2024**

The Board of Education of the Plymouth-Canton Community Schools, Wayne and Washtenaw Counties, Michigan, met in a Special Meeting on Tuesday, April 16, 2024, at 5:30 p.m. at the E. J. McClendon Educational Center, 454 S. Harvey Street, Plymouth, Michigan, 48170.

Present: Members Christenson, Kehoe, McCoin, Picard, Sidhu, and Westra  
Absent: Member Wilson

Vice President Christenson called the Special Meeting to order at 5:33 p.m. in the Boardroom.

**Citizens' Comments:**

- Michael Persinger, Deryn Reiger, McKinsey Berlin, Julia Allen, Pam Cornell-Allen, Mary Watson, and Matthew Murphy spoke regarding the Canton High School Girls' Basketball Coach.

**Closed Session:**

It was moved by Member Kehoe and seconded by Member Westra to move into Closed Session Pursuant to Section 8(h) of the Open Meetings Act to Consider Materials Exempt from Disclosure by State or Federal Statute, being Attorney-Client Privilege Documents that are exempt from the Freedom of Information Act Pursuant to MCL 15.243(1)(g).

and

Pursuant to Section 8(1) (a) of the Open Meetings Act to Consider the Periodic Personnel Evaluation of the Superintendent (Superintendent Evaluation Check-in), which is exempt from the Freedom of Information Act Pursuant to MCL 15.243(1)(g).

Ayes: Members Christenson, Kehoe, McCoin, Picard, Sidhu, and Westra  
Nays: None  
The motion was carried 6-0

The Board moved into a Closed Session at 5:53 p.m.

A roll call vote was taken.

Ayes: Members Christenson, Kehoe, McCoin, Picard, Sidhu, and Westra  
Nays: None  
The motion was carried 6-0

Administrators Present: Dr. Monica L. Merritt, Superintendent of Schools

Others Present: Ms. Jill Minton, Chief Finance and Operations Officer  
Ms. Dana Abrahams, Clark Hill Legal Counsel  
Mr. Bill Bowman, Clark Hill Legal Counsel

It was moved by Member Sidhu and seconded by Member Westra to take a short recess at 6:41 p.m.

The Closed Session reconvened at 6:46 p.m.

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It was moved by Member Kehoe and seconded by Member Christenson to adjourn the Closed Session at 8:40 p.m.

Ayes: Members Christenson, Kehoe, McCoin, Picard, Sidhu, and Westra

Nays: None

The motion was carried 6-0

Vice President Christenson adjourned the Special Meeting at 8:49 p.m.

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Anupam Chugh Sidhu  
Secretary, Board of Education

\*Approved at the Regular Meeting of the Board of Education on 4-23-24/dr