

**MONTGOMERY TOWNSHIP BOARD OF EDUCATION**  
**Board of Education Office**  
**1014 Route 601**  
**Skillman, New Jersey 08558**

**SPECIAL MEETING MINUTES**  
**Tuesday October 29, 2019**

**CALL TO ORDER** - By President Chenette at 7:31 p.m. (Quorum arrived)

**STATEMENT OF OPEN MEETING AND PUBLIC PRESENTATION** – By President Chenette

In accordance with the State's Sunshine Law, adequate notice of this meeting was provided by mailing notice of meeting on October 3, 2019 and October 11, 2019. Notice was provided to Board of Education Members, Montgomery Township Clerk, Rocky Hill Borough Clerk, Public Library, Township Posting, School Posting, PTSA Officers, Courier News, Montgomery News, Princeton Packet, Trenton Times, and The Star Ledger.

The Board reserves the right to enter into Executive Session during all meetings of the Board of Education.

**ROLL CALL**

Phyllis Bursh – Present  
Minkyo Chenette - Present  
Dharmesh Doshi – Present  
Amy Miller – Present  
Michael Morack, Jr. – Present

Jinesh Patel – Present  
Ranjana Rao - Present  
Shreesh Tiwari - Absent  
Joanne Tonkin – Present

Also Present: Mary McLoughlin, Acting Superintendent of Schools  
Damian Pappa, Acting Assistant Superintendent of Schools  
Mark Kramer, Interim School Business Administrator/Board Secretary

**SALUTE THE FLAG**

**PRESENTATION**

- NJSBA – Gwen Thorton
  - Review process for the superintendent search – PowerPoint.

## **PUBLIC COMMENTS**

Mr. Raghib Muhammad had a question for Mrs. Thorton relating to the superintendent search process.

## **PRESENTATION**

- Damian Pappa, Acting Assistant Superintendent of Schools
  - Data Assessment – PowerPoint.

## **EXECUTIVE SESSION – 8:24 p.m.**

Mr. Patel motioned that the Board convene in Executive Session for the purpose of discussing items related to personnel seconded by Ms. Miller.

### **ROLL CALL – Consensus**

Phyllis Bursh – Yes  
Minkyo Chenette - Yes  
Dharmesh Doshi – Yes  
Amy Miller – Yes  
Michael Morack, Jr. – Yes

Jinesh Patel - Yes  
Ranjana Rao - Yes  
Shreesh Tiwari - Absent  
Joanne Tonkin – Yes

## **RECONVENE THE REGULAR ORDER OF BUSINESS AT 9:25 p.m.**

Mr. Patel motioned that the Board reconvene the regular order of business seconded by Ms. Miller.

### **ROLL CALL - Consensus**

Phyllis Bursh – Yes  
Minkyo Chenette - Yes  
Dharmesh Doshi – Yes  
Amy Miller – Yes  
Michael Morack, Jr. – Yes

Jinesh Patel - Yes  
Ranjana Rao - Yes  
Shreesh Tiwari - Absent  
Joanne Tonkin – Yes

## **ADJOURNMENT**

Mr. Patel motioned that the Board adjourned the regular order of business seconded by Ms. Miller.

ROLL CALL – Consensus

Phyllis Bursh – Yes  
Minkyo Chenette - Yes  
Dharmesh Doshi – Yes  
Amy Miller – Yes  
Michael Morack, Jr. – Yes

Jinesh Patel - Yes  
Ranjana Rao - Yes  
Shreesh Tiwari - Absent  
Joanne Tonkin – Yes

The meeting was adjourned at 9:25 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'Mark Kramer', with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Mark Kramer  
Interim Board Secretary