

ISLESBORO SCHOOL DEPARTMENT
SPECIAL SCHOOL COMMITTEE MEETING

August 17, 2012

A Special Meeting of the Islesboro School Committee was held on Friday, August 17 at noon in the Superintendent's Conference Room of Islesboro Central School.

AGENDA/MINUTES

- I. Call to order and roll call
 - Chairperson Julie Reidy called the meeting to order at 12:01 pm.
 - School Committee members present: Julie Reidy, Laura Houle, Bill Boardman, and Shey Conover (via conference call).
 - Others in attendance included: Heather Knight, Jen McFarland, and Supt Joe Mattos (via conference call).

- II. New Business
 - A. Nomination of K-12 Physical Education Teacher
 - Heather recommended to Supt Mattos that James Graham be hired as the ICS K-12 PE teacher. Heather provided background information about James's work experience. Both Jen and Bill, who served on the hiring committee for this position, also stated specific reasons why they believe James is a great candidate for this position.
 - Due to the lateness of the resignation and hiring process timeline, Heather stated that James would not be able to relocate his family from Texas and start his teaching responsibilities until October 9th. Heather and Supt Mattos believed that it was important that we hire the best candidate, even if PE classes had to be taught by a substitute teacher for the first month of the school year.
 - Supt Mattos stated that he would be reviewing James's resume to determine his contract salary. James has had both public and private school teaching experiences. Supt Mattos reminded the school committee that any non-public years of teaching experience used for determining salary compensation would need to be approved by the school committee.
 - **Motion (Bill) to approve the superintendent's nomination of James Graham for the position of K-12 PE teacher at ICS. Seconded by Laura. Vote: 4-0**

- III. Adjournment
 - Next regular school committee meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, September 11, 2012.
 - **Motion (Bill) to adjourn the meeting. Seconded by Laura. Vote: 4-0 (12:21 pm)**

Respectfully Submitted,

Joseph Mattos
Superintendent of Schools