Town of Greenwich
Selectmen’s Board of Education Charter Revision Committee
Meeting 9 November 2016
7:00 p.m.
Central Middle School Auditorium

MINUTES

1. The meeting was called to order at 7:02 p.m., followed by the Pledge of Allegiance.

   a. Attendance:

      Committee members: Joan Caldwell (Chair), Barry Kickert, William Finger, Peter von Braun, Brian Peldunas (Secretary) – Present.

2. Introduction - Charge to the Committee and background on previous Committee meetings.

Ms. Caldwell gave a brief introduction covering the charge and previous meetings.


Members of the public presented their views. There were about 65-70 people attending the meeting. Individuals presenting were:

   - Jeff Ramer
   - Carol DeSalvo
   - Ben Bianco
   - Bob Tuthill
   - Randall Smith (submitted written document)
   - Patti Jomo and Maria Merrill
   - Mike Trogni
   - Liz Peldunas
   - Art Norton
   - Richard DiPreta
   - Genny Krob
   - Katie Yu
   - Bill DeHaven
   - Jason Auerbach
   - Warren Silver
   - Karen Fassuliotis
   - Lauren Rabin
   - Peter Sherr
   - Kim Fiorello
   - Thomas Agresta
   - Martin Miskin
- Kathleen Stone  
- Rosemary Hyson  
- Glenn Canner  
- Bob Brady

By count of the Secretary, approximately 65-70 people attended the session, and 25 people spoke. Ten individuals were in favor of expanding the board, ten were against, and five did not express a view either way. Nine people discussed a non-partisan board, and seven discussed unaffiliated voters.

4. Approval of minutes – 1 November meeting.

Review of the minutes to the 1 November meeting was delayed to allow members to provide written comments.

5. Adjournment

On a motion by Mr. von Braun, seconded by Mr. Finger, the meeting adjourned at 8:35 p.m.

The next meeting is planned for 15 November – Town Hall Employee Lounge.

Joan Caldwell, Chair

Prepared by Brian Peldunas, Secretary