## FLEMINGTON-RARITAN REGIONAL BOARD OF EDUCATION SPECIAL MEETING February 18, 2015 MINUTES

The regular session of the Flemington-Raritan Regional Board of Education was called to order in conformance with the "Sunshine Law" by the Board President at 5:07 p.m. in the Auditorium at the J.P. Case Middle School.

## **Members Present**

Eric Liszt

Alan Brewer Laurie Markowski Anna Fallon Michael Stager Frank Kraus Bruce Davidson

**Members Absent** Sandy Borucki Marianne Kenny

## CITIZENS ADDRESS THE BOARD

Mr. Davidson stated that, "we have a group of people who are interfering with the ability of the Board to provide a confidential environment for the Superintendent Candidates that we are interviewing tonight. It is very important that their identities remain private at this time for most of them are actively working and their districts do not know they are looking elsewhere. Should that information become public, their careers could suffer damage. This is a major reason why the identity of these candidates should remain private. Our ability to keep it that way is being interfered with by an action of the FREA who have come to this meeting and lined the halls with a gauntlet of personnel so that any candidate entering or leaving will be seen. The FREA has done this actively by checking the exits in the school and having them covered. This action will only hurt them, the district and our students. We are seeking to find the finest Superintendent we can to administer this district. This is to the benefit of everybody including the Union, the Teachers and the Administrators, EVERYONE! Interfering in that process only hurts us all. So I deplore this action that is being taken tonight and encourage them not to repeat this or interfere with the process of finding them the finest Superintendent that we can".

On the motion of Ms. Fallon, seconded by Mr. Liszt, the meeting was adjourned, unanimously viva voce, at 5:12 p.m. to executive session in Room D111.

Be It Resolved, by the Flemington-Raritan Regional Board of Education that it does hereby determine that it is necessary to meet in executive session to discuss the matters stipulated, in conformance with the Open Public Meetings Act, Chapter 231 P.L. 1975.

## Superintendent Search

The matters discussed will be made public when confidentiality is no longer required and formal action pursuant to said discussion shall take place only at a meeting to which the public has been invited.

The Board returned to public session at 7:56 p.m.

On the motion of Ms. Fallon, seconded by Mr. Liszt, the meeting was adjourned at 7:56 p.m. viva voce.

Respectfully Submitted,

Stephanie Voorhees Business Administrator/Board Secretary

Upcoming Board Meetings February 9 & 23, 2015

March 9 & 23, 2015 April 13 & 27, 2015 May 11 (Reorganization of the District) & 18, 2015 June 8 & 22, 2015 July 20, 2015

August 17, 2015 September 14 & 28, 2015 October 12 & 26, 2015 November 9 & 23, 2015 December 14, 2015