Personnel Committee of the Hamden Board of Education 60 Putnam Avenue Hamden, CT 06517

MINUTES May 21, 2019 Board Room

CALL TO ORDER AND ROLL CALL

Chairperson Walter Morton called the meeting to order at 5:32 p.m.

| Committee Members Present: | Walter Morton (Chair) Melinda Saller |
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| Staff Present: | Gary Highsmith, Director of Human Resources |
| Other Board Members Present: | Myron Hull, Melissa Kaplan, Arturo Carballo-Perez, Christopher Dauer |

Informational Items:

- 1. Ray Hassett did a presentation on De-Escalation techniques that was an overview of a more substantive training he offers. (5:32 p.m.)
- 2. Human Resources Director Gary Highsmith reviewed a draft of the Minority Teacher Recruitment and Retention Plan (6:25 p.m.)
- 3. Human Resources Director Gary Highsmith provided an overview of the Teacher Fellow Proposal (6:30 p.m.)
- 4. Human Resources Director Gary Highsmith provided information regarding the student-to-teacher pipeline (6:55 p.m.)
- 5. Adjournment (6:58 p.m.)