

Petersham Center School  
School Committee Minutes  
February 4, 2013

In Attendance: Superintendent Baldassarre, Chuck Berube, Dana Kennan, Russell Fontaine, Patricia Martin, Tari Thomas, Rebecca Phillips and Ann Degnan

The meeting was called to order in the office at 5:45 by Chairman Berube.

Superintendent Baldassarre informed the Committee members that a posting for the PPS Director of the Consolidated District was placed on School Spring and that there were 30 applicants, of which 11 were qualified and 4 were selected to interview. One applicant cancelled on the day of the interviews. Members from Mahar, Orange, and the Petersham District were part of the committee which interviewed the remaining 3 applicants using a Rubric scoring system. At the conclusion of the interviews, rating sheets were scored. Mrs. Phillips was scored at the highest with an 802. One applicant was a 721 and the last a 609.

The Sub-Committee then moved forward with one name that all agreed upon. Mrs. Phillips was recommended and her name put forth for a vote. Everyone agreed to appoint Mrs. Rebecca Phillips for the position of PPS Director.

Motion made by Dana Kennan to approve Mrs. Rebecca Phillips for the position of Special Education Director for the Consolidated District. Seconded by Russell Fontaine and motion passed with all in favor.

Chuck Berube closed the meeting at 5:47 p.m.