

**Missisquoi Valley School District
Board Meeting Minutes
MVSD Central Office
March 26, 2024, 6:00pm**

Location:

The MVSD Board and Administration participated at the MVSD Central Office for this meeting. The meeting was held hybrid with remote access for the community and other interested persons.

Date: March 26, 2024

Board Members Present

Jen Chevalier, Don Collins, Joanne Johnston, Meaghan Conly, Stephanie Gagne, Pierrette Bouchard.

Absent Board Members

Renick Darnell-Martin, Peter Magnant

Administration and Visitors Present

Julie Regimbal, Superintendent, Lora McAllister, Business Manager, Bonnie Moulton, Director Human Resources, Elaine Nester

1. Call the Meeting to Order

Jen Chevalier, Board Chair, called the meeting to order at 6:10 p.m.

2. Interviews for Vacant Highgate Board Seat

Interview conducted with Elaine Nester from Highgate. Candidate answered the following questions: "explain a bit about yourself", "why did you want to get on the school board", and "has anyone told you about the structure of how the board is set up". Don Collins explained what a board member's commitment is. Pierrette Bouchard discusses the one year appointment and continuation. Board discussion ensued on the needs, commitment, rewards of the position, and thoughts on the MVSD budget.

Elaine Nester left the meeting. Jen Chevalier will text the candidate with a decision.

3. Board Seat Appointment (Action)

Don Collins moved to appoint Elaine Nester as the school board representative from Highgate, Stephanie Gagne seconded. No discussion. The board approved 6-0.

4. Possible Executive Session: for the purpose of deliberation (as premature public knowledge would put one or more parties at a substantial disadvantage)

N/A

5. Adjourn

Meaghan Conly moved to adjourn, seconded by Stephanie Gagne. The board approved 6-0. The meeting adjourned at 6:44 p.m.