



## **OFFICIAL MINUTES OF THE BOSTON SCHOOL COMMITTEE EXECUTIVE SESSION**

**July 2, 2018**

The Boston School Committee held an executive session on July 2, 2018 at 5 p.m. at the Bruce C. Bolling Municipal Building, 2300 Washington Street, room 3-43, Roxbury, Massachusetts. For more information about any of the items listed below, visit [www.bostonpublicschools.org](http://www.bostonpublicschools.org), email [feedback@bostonpublicschools.org](mailto:feedback@bostonpublicschools.org) or call the Boston School Committee Office at (617) 635-9014.

### **ATTENDANCE**

School Committee Members Present: Chairperson Michael Loconto; Alexandra Oliver-Dávila; Michael O'Neill; Jeri Robinson; Regina Robinson; and Dr. Miren Uriarte. BPS Legal Advisor Alissa Ocasio and Chief of Staff Rob Consalvo were also present.

School Committee Member Absent: Vice Chairperson Hardin Coleman.

### **DOCUMENTS PRESENTED**

Offer of Employment Letter to Laura Perille as Interim Superintendent, July 2, 2018

Laura Perille's resume

Laura Perille's biography

### **SUMMARY OF DISCUSSION**

Chairperson Loconto called the executive session to order.

Mr. Loconto said that an agreement has been reached for mutual parting of ways between the Committee and Dr. Chang. In accordance with the terms of his employment contract, Dr. Chang will receive 12-months' salary and benefits. His final day with the district will be July 13, 2018. Dr. Chang has agreed to assist the district with the transition to an interim superintendent.

Mr. Loconto presented for the Committee's review and feedback a draft letter offering the position of Interim Superintendent to Laura Perille. The offer includes an annual salary of \$250,000 and benefits that are consistent with senior BPS administrators. Ms. Perille would serve at the pleasure of the Committee, and the Committee would have the right to terminate

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with 30 days' notice. The offer is contingent upon Ms. Perille earning a provisional superintendent's license from the state within 90 days.

The Committee made minor edits to the offer letter before reaching a consensus on the final draft, which will be given to Ms. Perille and shared publicly as a handout at the School Committee meeting that evening. Mr. Loconto reiterated that the Committee will engage in an authentic search process for a permanent superintendent. He noted that the Committee will schedule a planning retreat for later this summer and that the retreat will be open to the public.

**ADJOURN**

At approximately 5:42 p.m., the Committee voted by unanimous consent to adjourn the executive session. The Committee returned to public session.

Attest:



Elizabeth Sullivan  
Executive Secretary