

**BOARD OF EDUCATION  
UTICA CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT  
SPECIAL MEETING – JANUARY 23, 2024 – 5:00 p.m.**

BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT: Joseph H. Hobika, Jr., Presiding; Danielle Padula, Donald Dawes, Tennille Knoop, James Paul, Jason Cooper

BOARD MEMBERS ABSENT: Robert Cardillo

ADMINISTRATORS PRESENT: Dr. Kathleen Davis, Interim Superintendent, Charles Symonds, Esq.

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President Hobika, Jr. called the Special Meeting to order at 5:00 p.m. After the Pledge of Allegiance Board Clerk Kathy Hughes conducted Roll Call. All members of the Board of were present with the exception of Robert Cardillo.

**Request for Executive Session**

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President Hobika, Jr. announced the Agenda for Executive Session: Legal Matters and the Employment History of Particular People.

**Mr. Paul made the motion to go into Executive Session; it was seconded by Mr. Dawes and carried 6-0.**

The Board of Education entered into Executive Session at 5:01 p.m.

**Mr. Paul made a motion to come out of Executive Session; it was seconded by Mr. Cooper and carried 6-0.**

The Board of Education exited Executive Session at 6:35 p.m.

Respectfully transcribed and submitted,

STEPHANIE LYNESS  
Assistant Board Clerk