

**MINUTES OF THE SPECIAL MEETING OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION  
RIDGEWOOD COMMUNITY HIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT 234  
COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS HELD ON WEDNESDAY, JULY 29, 2020  
7:00 P.M. COLLABORATION CENTER**

The Special Meeting of the Board of Education, Ridgewood Community High School District 234, was held at Ridgewood High School, 7500 West Montrose Avenue, Norridge, Illinois on Wednesday, July 29, 2020. President Draniczarek called the meeting to order at 7:00 P.M.

Those present recited the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

**QUORUM DECLARED PRESENT**

Board Secretary Lisa Malicki declared a quorum of the Board of Education of District 234 was present at 7:00 PM.

Present: Members Paul Draniczarek, Lisa Malicki, Tony Caringella, Frank DiPiero and Chris O'Leary and Jamie Richardson. Mike Straughn arrived at 7:07 p.m.

Also present was Superintendent Jennifer Kelsall, Assistant Superintendent Tom Parrillo, Gina Castellano Principal and Eric Lasky.

**II. COMMENTS FROM THE PUBLIC**

None

**III. PRESENTATION OF RETURN TO LEARN PLAN**

The Return to Learn Plan was presented to the Board of Education.

**IV. CONVENE TO EXECUTIVE SESSION**

Purpose: Personnel - The appointment, employment, compensation, discipline, performance, or dismissal of specific employees of the public body, including hearing testimony on a complaint lodged against an employee to determine its validity.

Member Malicki moved, seconded by Member Richardson, Be it resolved the Board of Education of District 234 hereby convenes to the Executive Session at 7:08 p.m.

On voice vote President Draniczarek declared the motion carried.

**V. ADJOURN EXECUTIVE SESSION AND RECONVENE TO OPEN SESSION**

Motion by Member Straughn, second motion by Member Caringella, to adjourn the Executive Session and reconvene to Open Session at 8:33 p.m.

On voice vote President Draniczarek declared the motion carried.

**VI. APPROVE EMPLOYMENT OF ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL**

Motion by Member Straughn, second motion by Member Malicki, to approve the employment of Eric Lasky as Assistant Principal, per Appendix VI.

On voice vote President Drancizarek declared the motion carried.

**VII. ADJOURN**

Member O'Leary moved, Seconded by Member DiPiero, Be It Resolved the Board of Education hereby adjourns at 8:34 p.m.

On voice vote, the President declared the meeting adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

  
Cindi Stazzone, Recording Secretary

APPROVED:

  
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Paul Drancizarek, President

  
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Lisa Malicki, Secretary