GREENFIELD COMMUNITY COLLEGE  
Board of Trustees Meeting  
July 9, 2021  
Zoom

Present: Chair Robert Cohn, Catherine Coleman, Christopher Donelan, Joanne Marqusee, Isaac Mass, Robyn Provost, Judith Roberts and Hector Toledo

Absent: Clare Higgins

Others Present: Shannon Larange, Staff Assistant to the President; Dr. Richard Hopper, and multiple members of the GCC Community.

CALL TO ORDER:  
The meeting was called to order by Chair Cohn at 12:09pm

MOTION: Trustee Mass moved the meeting go into executive session in accordance with M.G.L. c. 30A, § 20, to discuss the personnel matter of the appointing the Interim President for Greenfield Community College. Trustee Marqusee seconded the motion, a roll call vote was taken and the motion carried. Trustee Cohn informed the audience the meeting will reconvene in Open Session at approximately 12:45pm.

Roll Call Vote:  
Trustee Robert Cohn – Yes  
Trustee Cady Coleman – Absent  
Trustee Christopher Donelan – Yes  
Trustee Clare Higgins – Absent  
Trustee Joanne Marqusee – Yes  
Trustee Isaac Mass – Yes  
Trustee Robyn Provost – Yes  
Trustee Judith Roberts – Yes  
Trustee Hector Toledo - Yes

Executive session began at 12:12pm. Trustee Coleman joined the meeting at 12:12pm.

MOTION: Trustee Mass moved the meeting open to the public with no motions taken during the executive session. Trustee Marqusee seconded the motion, a roll call vote was taken and the motion carried.

The executive session concluded at 1:05pm.

Roll Call Vote:  
Trustee Robert Cohn – Yes  
Trustee Cady Coleman – Absent  
Trustee Christopher Donelan – Yes
Chair Cohn welcomed the audience and provided a brief overview of the interim president selection process along with an introduction of Dr. Richard Hopper.

**MOTION:**

**MOTION 4:** A motion was made by Trustee Donelan and seconded by Trustee Mass that the Board of Trustees recommend to the Board of Higher Education the appointment of Dr. Richard Hopper as the Interim President of Greenfield Community College and that the Board of Trustees authorize Chair Robert Cohn to negotiate with Dr. Hopper over the specific terms and conditions of her appointment as president (i.e. start date, salary, etc.)

The Trustees shared their appreciation for the amazing work Dr. Yves Salomon-Fernandez accomplished during her three years as President of Greenfield Community College.

By a roll call vote, the Trustees unanimously passed this motion.

**Roll Call Vote:**
Trustee Robert Cohn – Yes
Trustee Cady Coleman – Yes
Trustee Christopher Donelan – Yes
Trustee Clare Higgins – Absent
Trustee Joanne Marqusee – Yes
Trustee Isaac Mass – Yes
Trustee Robyn Provost – Yes
Trustee Judith Roberts – Yes
Trustee Hector Toledo - Yes

**Adjournment**
On a motion by Trustee Donelan and seconded by Trustee Mass, the Board of Trustees voted unanimously to adjourn at 1:11pm.

Respectfully submitted by,
Shannon Larange