

SCHALMONT CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

MINUTES

Meeting of the Schalmont Board of Education
Tuesday, August 25, 2026; 7:45 AM; District Office Conference Room

CALL TO ORDER & ROLL CALL - The meeting was called to order at 7:53 AM.

Members Present

Mr. David Lawrence, Vice President
Mrs. Jean Hanson
Mr. Kyrish Iyer
Mr. William Mau

Members Absent

Mr. Angelo Santabarbara
Ms. Patricia Dowse
Mr. Kevin Thompson

Others Present

Dr. Thomas Reardon, Superintendent of Schools
Ms. Rachael France, Executive Treasurer

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

APPROVAL OF AGENDA – Motion made by Mrs. Hanson, seconded by Mr. Iyer, that the agenda for the August 25, 2026 meeting of the Schalmont Board of Education be approved.

CONSENT AGENDA – Motion made by, Mr. Iyer, seconded by Mr. Mau, hat the consent agenda consisting of the following item be approved:

✓ Personnel Matters

• **Instructional Personnel Matters**

Full-Time Probationary Appointment

Name: Jessica Stanton
Positon: Art Teacher/Jefferson; 1.0 FTE
Effective: September 14, 2026
Tenure Area: Art
Probation: 3-years; July 1, 2026 through June 30, 2029
Step: 16-MA (*per STA Agreement*)

Appointment

Name: Colleen Sieme
Position: Art Teacher/Jefferson
FTE: 1.0 FTE
Effective: August 25, 2025 through September 30, 2026
Step: 15-MA (*per diem*)(*per STA Agreement*)

Resignation

Elizabeth Popolizio-Koutsakis, Art Teacher, Jefferson Elem., effective August 31, 2026

Motion carried 4-3. Mr. Santabarbara, Ms. Dowse and Mr. Thompson absent.

ADJOURNMENT – Motion made by Mrs. Hanson, seconded by Mr. Iyer, that the August 25, 2026 special meeting of the Board of Education be adjourned to at 7:55 AM.

Motion carried 4-3. Mr. Santabarbara, Ms. Dowse and Mr. Thompson absent.

Respectfully submitted,

Rachael France
Clerk of the Board