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## SCOTLAND BOARD OF EDUCATION Scotland, Connecticut Meeting Minutes – Special Meeting

February 15, 2022

Chairperson Cassidy Martin called the meeting to order at 7:03 PM.

Present were Board members Gracie Martin, Rod Perry, Scott Sears and Sherry Smardon

Gary Greenberg, Scotland First Selectman and Allan Cahill, Hampton First Selectman were also present.

Gary Greenberg discussed the potential of combining the town's bookkeeper position with the school's financial manager position because he has found it difficult to keep that position filled and it is currently vacant. A combined position might allow for it to be a more attractive position with improved longevity. Cassidy discussed how this model has worked for Andover, Preston and Colchester. Results are mixed. Additional discussion concluded with a plan to establish this combined position entering the next fiscal year.

Motion to enter executive session to discuss a potential cooperative agreement with the town of Hampton made by Scott Sears, seconded by Rod Perry.

Scott Sears, Rod Perry and Cassidy Martin voted yes.

Sherry Smardon and Gracie Martin voted no.

Motion carried.

Gary Greenberg, Scotland First Selectman and Allan Cahill, Hampton First Selectman were invited to attend.

Entered executive session at 7:22 pm. Came out of executive session at 8:02 pm.

Motion to adjourn made by Sherry Smardon Seconded by Gracie Martin Motion passed unanimously.

Meeting adjourned at 8:03 PM
Respectfully Submitted
Rod Perry, BOE secretary