

## STATE OF CONNECTICUT STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION



May 5, 2022

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Dear Ms. Breor, Ms. Losee, Ms. Halloran, and Ms. Wechter:

On behalf of the State Board of Education ("SBE"), I am writing to notify you that, at its May 4, 2022, meeting, the SBE approved the final report of the Litchfield-Regional School District 6 temporary regional school study committee. Enclosed for your information is the SBE resolution and certification reflecting this action, along with the Committee report as approved by the SBE.

For your information, please note that Connecticut General Statutes Section 10-43(b) provides as follows with regard to the necessary steps following the SBE's approval of the Committee's report:

If the committee report is accepted, the State Board of Education shall certify to the town clerk in each of the participating towns that the committee recommendations have been approved and send a copy of such certification to the committee. The town clerk shall make available copies of the certified report and publish notice of the certification and availability of copies in a newspaper having general circulation in the town. Within thirty days after receipt of its copy of the certification, the committee shall hold a public meeting in each participating town to present the certified report. All participating towns shall hold a referendum on the same day in accordance with section 10-45.

Please bear in mind this provision, and other relevant provisions of the General Statutes, in moving forward with the next steps of the temporary regional school study committee process. Thank you for your attention to these issues.

Sincerely,

Charlene M. Russell-Tucker Commissioner of Education

William Davenport, Co-Chair, Temporary Regional School Study Committee Stephen Tracy, Co-Chair, Temporary Regional School Study Committee Chris Leone, Superintendent

Enclosures

cc:

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## Connecticut State Board of Education Hartford

To be Proposed:

May 4, 2022

**Resolved**: That the State Board of Education, pursuant to Section 10-43 of the Connecticut General Statutes, hereby accepts the recommendations of the Litchfield-Regional School District 6 temporary regional school study committee -- and in accordance therewith shall certify to the town clerks of Goshen, Litchfield, Morris, and Warren that such recommendations have been approved and shall have sent a copy of such certification to the Litchfield-Regional School District 6 temporary regional school study committee -- and directs the Commissioner to take such actions as are necessary to effectuate this resolution.

Approved by a vote of 7:0, this fourth day of May, Two Thousand Twenty-Two.

Signed:

Charlene M. Russell-Tucker, Secretary

State Board of Education

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## **CERTIFICATION**

Pursuant to Connecticut General Statutes Section 10-43(b), I, Commissioner Charlene M. Russell-Tucker, Commissioner of Education and Secretary to the State Board of Education, hereby certify that, at its May 4, 2022, meeting, the State Board of Education passed the enclosed resolution and approved the recommendations of the Litchfield-Regional School District 6 temporary regional school study committee.

Charlene M. Russell-Tucker, Secretary

State Board of Education

Date