

## MINUTES OF THE HINGHAM SCHOOL COMMITTEE/UNITY COUNCIL

### Remote meeting via Zoom

February 25, 2021

Members Present: Kerry Ni, Carlos AF Da Silva, Libby Lewiecki, Michelle Ayer, Nes Correnti, Jen Benham

Central Office Present: Paul Austin, James LaBillois, Carols Perez

1. **Call to Order**

Chair Kerry Ni called the meeting to order at 7:05PM.

2. Katie Sutton introduced the Unity Council which was created a year and a half ago to create a safe space free of judgement for respectful open discussions about difficult issues such as race and racism, to feel comfortable, and make mistakes, and know that you will be invited back.

Manny Oppong, Sonya Fairhurst and Marc Lucas told their stories followed by questions from the audience.

3. On a motion made by M. Ayer and seconded by N. Correnti the meeting was adjourned at 8:20 PM.

Respectfully Submitted By:  
Libby Lewiecki