I. CALL TO ORDER
   A. Pledge of Allegiance
      Mr. Strumello called the meeting to order with the Pledge of Allegiance at 7:37 p.m.

II. PUBLIC COMMENT
    Public Comment provides the opportunity for the public to make a comment. It is not a dialogue between the Board and the public. Based upon what is heard during Public Comment, the Board may choose to add a topic to the agenda. If questions are posed that the Chairman is able to answer, those questions may be addressed under the Chairman’s Comments portion of the agenda. The Board will not discuss personnel matters. Comments should be respectful and no longer than 3 minutes in length so that all who wish to comment may have the opportunity to do so. All public wanting to comment will need to state their name and address for the record prior to addressing the Board.

    None

III. DISCUSSION and POSSIBLE ACTION
   A. Regarding the Tentative Agreement with the Paraeducators Contract
      Ms. Bruno said the Paraeducators agreed to a one-year contract which will help to alleviate having to negotiate with numerous groups at the same time. She said they were a very engaged group and they agreed to the one-year agreement which will be retroactive. She noted that the name paraprofessionals has been changed to Paraeducators at the state level and asked that they be referred to as Paraeducators on this agreement. Mr. Stanek said the agreement is fair and they were treated fairly. He felt it was a great negotiation and he recommends approval of this agreement. He congratulated the Liaison Committee.

      MOTION: (Ms. Bruno/sec., Mr. Stanek) to approve the collective bargaining agreement between the Seymour Board of Education and the United Public Service Employees Union Local 424-Unit 80 Seymour Board of Education Paraeducators for the period July 1, 2021 to June 30, 2022 as negotiated by the Seymour Board of Education Liaison Committee

      SO VOTED

      AFFIRMATIVE: Ms. Bruno, Mr. Garofolo, Ms. Harmeling, Mr. Stanek, Mr. Strumello

      MOTION PASSES: 5-0
VI. ADJOURNMENT

MOTION: (Ms. Harmeling/sec., Mr. Garofolo) to adjourn

AFFIRMATIVE: Ms. Bruno, Mr. Garofolo, Ms. Harmeling, Mr. Stanek, Mr. Strumello

MOTION PASSES: 5-0

The meeting adjourned at 7:42pm

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