

**SCHOOL COMMITTEE
HOPEDALE PUBLIC SCHOOLS
WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 24, 2016
5:00 P.M.**

CHANGE OF LOCATION: MEMORIAL SCHOOL MEDIA CENTER, 6 PROSPECT STREET

AGENDA

BUILDING TOUR WITH SUPERINTENDENT AND BUILDINGS AND GROUNDS SUPERVISOR 5:00-6:00

CALL TO ORDER:

APPROVAL OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES JUNE 7, 2016 AND JULY 5, 2016 (vote required)

CORRESPONDENCE

SUPERINTENDENT'S COMMENTS

- Attendance at the Superintendent's Induction Program and Coaching
- Hiring Update
- Freedom Street Bridge Construction Work
- Opening of School/School Preparation

COMMITTEE RESPONSE TO SUPERINTENDENT'S COMMENTS

FINANCIAL ITEMS/BUDGET:

- Warrants for Signature
- Monthly Report
- Approval of FY16 Year-End Budget Transfers (vote required)
- Approval of FY17 Beginning-of-Year Budget Transfers (vote required)
- E-Rate Funding Update

COMMITTEE ON POLICY:

- Second Reading and Approval: GBEC-Drug Free Workplace
IHAMB-Teaching About Drugs, Alcohol and Tobacco
JICH- Drug and Alcohol Use by Students

RECOGNITION

AGENDA ITEMS:

- Introduction of the new Athletic Director-Bill Gaine
- Fall Coaching Appointments-Bill Gaine
- Out-of-State Athletic Events Approval (vote required)
- Technology Update-Nick Toupin
- New Teacher Orientation Update-Karen Crebase
- Facilities Update Report
- School Physician Contract (vote required)
- Summer Curriculum Projects Update

AUDIENCE TO CITIZENS

The listings of matters are those reasonably anticipated by the Chair which may be discussed at the meeting. Not all items listed may in fact be discussed and other items not listed may also be brought up for discussion to the extent permitted by law.

NEXT MEETING: TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 6, 2016

EXECUTIVE SESSION, IF NEEDED:

- (1)** To discuss the reputation, character, physical condition or mental health, rather than professional competence, of an individual, or to discuss the discipline or dismissal of, or complaints or charges brought against, a public officer, employee, staff member or individual.
- (2)** To conduct strategy sessions in preparation for negotiations with nonunion personnel or to conduct collective bargaining sessions or contract negotiations with nonunion personnel;
- (3)** To discuss strategy with respect to collective bargaining or litigation if an open meeting may have a detrimental effect on the bargaining or litigating position of the public body and the chair so declares;
- (4)** To discuss the deployment of security personnel or devices, or strategies with respect thereto;
- (5)** To investigate charges of criminal misconduct or to consider the filing of criminal complaints;
- (6)** To consider the purchase, exchange, lease or value of real property if the chair declares that an open meeting may have a detrimental effect on the negotiating position of the public body;
- (7)** To comply with, or act under the authority of, any general or special law or federal grant-in-aid requirements;
- (8)** To consider or interview applicants for employment or appointment by a preliminary screening committee if the chair declares that an open meeting will have a detrimental effect in obtaining qualified applicants; provided, however, that this clause shall not apply to any meeting, including meetings of a preliminary screening committee, to consider and interview applicants who have passed a prior preliminary screening;
- (9)** To meet or confer with a mediator, as defined in section 23C of chapter 233, with respect to any litigation or decision on any public business within its jurisdiction involving another party, group or entity, provided that:

ADJOURNMENT

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