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**SCHOOL COMMITTEE
HOPEDALE PUBLIC SCHOOLS
TUESDAY, May 4, 2021
6:00 P.M.
JH/SH MEDIA CENTER**

AGENDA

This meeting will be recorded and posted on the School Committee web page on the Hopedale Town's website, streamed live at https://townhallstreams.com/towns/hopedale_ma and the public can call into the meeting at 1.219.321.0239 and enter pin code 168 229 843#. Pursuant to Governor Baker's March 12, 2020 Order Suspending Certain Provisions of the Open Meeting Law, GL chapter 30A, section 18, and the Governor's March 15 and August 7, 2020 orders imposing strict limitations on the number of people that may gather in one place, public attendance at this meeting will be by remote participation. No in-person attendance of members of the public will be permitted, but every effort will be made to ensure that the public can adequately access the proceedings as provided in the Orders. For this meeting, members of the public who wish to listen or watch the meeting may do so by using the information provided above. If a member of the public would like to make a comment, please email schoolcommittee@hopedaleschools.org before, during, or after the meeting. Your comment will be read during the AUDIENCE TO CITIZENS portion of the agenda. Every effort will be made to ensure that the public can adequately access the proceedings in real time, via technological means. In the event such efforts fail, despite best efforts, we will post on the Town of Hopedale website an audio or video recording or other comprehensive record of proceedings as soon as possible after the meeting.

CALL TO ORDER: School Committee Chairperson, Alysia Butler

APPROVAL OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES: April 6, 2021 and April 27, 2021

STUDENT REPRESENTATIVES' REPORT – Katelynn Brunt and Madison Sullivan

SUPERINTENDENT'S COMMENTS

- Town Meeting Reminder
- COVID update
- JSHS Reopening
- Food Services Update
- MCAS
- Recognition and Thank You to Waters Corporation
- Greener Community Grant Update

COMMITTEE RESPONSE TO SUPERINTENDENT'S COMMENTS

FINANCIAL ITEMS/BUDGET:

- Monthly Report of Accounts Payable Warrants – Vote required

- Monthly Report of Payroll Warrants – Vote required
- Monthly Budget Report
- Warrants for Signature
- Acceptance of \$5,933.40 grant from the City of Worcester Executive Office of Economic Development, Workforce Development Operations Division and MassHire Central Region Workforce Board - Vote required

COMMITTEE ON BUDGET:

- Sub Committee Meeting Update from April 15, 2021
- Finance Committee Meetings Update
- Budget Workshop Update

COMMITTEE ON POLICY:

- Second Reading: KDA - Guidelines for Posting Information on the JSHS School Sign
 KH - Notification of Non-School Related Activities
 KF - Community Use of School Facilities
 KF-R - Community Use of School Facilities

For easy access to The School Department’s current policies, click here:

<https://www.hopedale-ma.gov/school-committee/news/school-committee-policies>

Committee On Health and Safety

- Sub Committee Meeting Update from April 13, 2021

AGENDA ITEMS:

- School Highlight-BBC-Kelly Alley
- Public Hearing Date Confirmation
- Spring Coaches
- Senior Class Last Day - Vote Required
- Senior Activity Dates
- BVT Enrollment Update for 2021-2022
- Bus Registration Update
- School Choice for 2021-2022 - Vote Required
- Summer School - Karen Cosgrove
- Parent-Student Handbook Updates
 - BBC
 - Memorial-No Changes
 - JSHS-No Changes
- Extended Day Pay Scale - Vote Required
- BICO appointment of Karen Crebase to Board of Directors - Vote Required
- DEI Update - Alysia Butler
- Superintendent’s Evaluation
- School Committee Evaluation
- Approval of Unit C Contract - Vote Required

CORRESPONDENCE

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NEXT MEETING: June 1, 2021

ADJOURNMENT

EXECUTIVE SESSION: 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; and to conduct a strategy session in preparation for negotiations with nonunion personnel.