

HINGHAM SCHOOL COMMITTEE

November 4, 2019, 7:00 p.m.
School Department Conference Room, 220 Central Street, Hingham, MA 02043

AGENDA

1. Call to Order. Please note that this meeting is being recorded and televised by Harbor Media. If anyone else intends to audio or video record this meeting, please identify yourself now.
2. Approval of Minutes
 - 2.1 Minutes of the School Committee meeting held on October 21, 2019.
3. Questions and Comments

The Hingham School Committee encourages community engagement and welcomes questions and comments as agenda items are discussed at the meeting. In addition, we have set aside up to fifteen minutes at the beginning of this meeting for comments or questions that fall under the purview of the School Committee and are not already on tonight's agenda. If any guests wish to speak, please come to the microphone, state your name and address, and address your comments to the Chairperson. Comments will be limited to 3 minutes per speaker and must relate to topics within the scope of responsibility of the School Committee. As established by the Massachusetts General Laws, the responsibilities of the School Committee are to (1) select and to terminate the Superintendent, (2) review and approve budgets for public education in the district, and (3) establish educational goals and policies for the schools in the district. Speakers are encouraged to present their remarks in a respectful manner and to consider the privacy interests of others. The public comment period is not a time for debate or response to comments by the School Committee. The School Committee is not adopting or endorsing any of the comments made during the public comment period.
4. Superintendent's Report
 - 4.1 November 1, 2019 Enrollment
 - 4.2 SSEC Report
 - 4.3 Elementary Curriculum Summaries
 - 4.4 Update on Superintendent Induction and Goals
5. Communications
 - 5.1 Communications Received by the Superintendent
 - 5.2 Student Communications
 - 5.3 Other Communications
6. New Business
 - 6.1 To receive the Plymouth River School Improvement Plan for 2019-2020 and an update of the 2018-2019 plan progress and act as appropriate.
 - 6.2 To receive the Foster School Improvement Plan for 2019-2020 and an update of the 2018-2019 plan progress and act as appropriate.
 - 6.3 To discuss MASC resolutions and act as appropriate.
 - 6.4 To review and discuss a Proposal for Policy Manual Development from Massachusetts Association of School Committees (MASC) and act as appropriate.
 - 6.5 To receive and discuss proposed new policy 3.1.1, Negotiations Goals. First Reading.
 - 6.6 To receive and discuss proposed new policy 3.1.2, Negotiations Legal Status. First Reading.

- 6.7 To receive and discuss proposed new policy 3.1.3, School Committee Negotiating Agents. First Reading.
- 6.8 To receive and discuss proposed revisions to policy 6.2, Age Requirements. First Reading.
- 6.9 To receive notification of the overnight field trip of the DECA Business Club of Hingham High School on December 12 to 13, 2019.
- 6.10 To receive and discuss revisions to the 2018-2019 School Committee Special Reports Calendar.
- 6.11 To receive notification of the appointments of Julie O'Halloran, Administrative Assistant at Central; Jeannine Banner, Administrative Assistant at PRS; Luke Leavitt and Lance Mortland, Custodians; Linda Ristau, Food Service Technician; paraeducators Kristin Stenstrom at East, Ashley Morrill and Elizabeth Donohue at Foster, Stacy Jackson and Eleanor Lunday at HHS, and Kristen McKenna and Caitlin Ogar at HMS; and Christine Lotano, tutor at PRS.
- 6.12 To receive notification of the resignation of Stacy Lemieux, paraeducator at HHS.
7. Other items as may not reasonably be known 48 hours in advance of the meeting.
8. Subcommittee and Project Reports
9. Adjourn to Executive Session, not to return to Open Session, for the purpose of:
 - a. Approval of minutes of the Executive Session of the School Committee held on October 15, 2019;
 - b. Discussing matters related to the current HEA Unit A collective bargaining contract, the public discussion of which may be detrimental to the Committee's bargaining position, and act as appropriate
 - c. Discussing matters related to the collective bargaining negotiations with the HEA Unit A for the 2020-2023 contract, the public discussion of which may be detrimental to the Committee's bargaining position.

UPCOMING SCHOOL COMMITTEE MEETINGS – SCHOOL DEPARTMENT CONFERENCE ROOM

November 18, 2019 at 7 p.m.

December 2, 2019 at 7 p.m.