

## HINGHAM SCHOOL COMMITTEE

February 24, 2020, 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 Budget Work Session held on January 23, 2020.
  - 2.2 Minutes of the School Committee meeting with the Advisory Committee Education Subcommittee held on January 26, 2020.
  - 2.3 Minutes of the School Committee budget meeting held on February 3, 2020.
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  
Mid-year report on Superintendents goals
5. Communications
  - 5.1 Communications Received by the Superintendent
  - 5.2 Student Communications
  - 5.3 Other Communications
6. Unfinished Business
  - 6.1 To hear an update on the administration's proposed preliminary operating budget for FY'21.
  - 6.2 To continue discussion of the proposed preliminary FY '21 Operating Budget and act as appropriate.
  - 6.3 To receive a draft of the 2019 Annual Report.
  - 6.4 To hear an update on the TRACES program.
  - 6.5 To discuss proposed new Policy 6.5.1 Administering Medicines to Children and act as appropriate.

7. New Business
  - 7.1 To receive a bid for a 2020 7D transportation van and act as recommended by the Director of Business and Support Services.
  - 7.2 To receive notification of the overnight field trip of the HHS Quiz Bowl team to Crystal City, VA and Washington, DC on April 24 to April 26, 2020.
  - 7.3 To receive notification of the appointment of Michael Gorman in Maintenance as a District Custodian, effective February 28, 2020.
8. Other items as may not reasonably be known 48 hours in advance of the meeting.
9. Subcommittee and Project Reports  
Warrants Signed
10. 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 January 6, 2020.
  - 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**

March 9, 2020 at 7:00PM

March 23, 2020 at 7:00PM