

# MEETING OF THE NORTHAMPTON SCHOOL COMMITTEE

Thursday, February 10, 2022 ♦ 6:30PM – 10:00PM

Online Zoom Meeting

## AGENDA

Pursuant to Governor Baker's [Emergency Order](#) Modifying the State's Open Meeting Law issued March 12, 2020, the February 10, 2022 meeting of the Northampton School Committee will be held using remote participation.

PUBLIC COMMENT WILL BE HELD VIRTUALLY DURING THE ZOOM MEETING FOR THE FEBRUARY 10, 2022 SCHOOL COMMITTEE MEETING. WRITTEN TESTIMONY IS ALSO ENCOURAGED FOR THOSE WHO CANNOT ATTEND THE VIRTUAL MEETING.

WRITTEN TESTIMONY/COMMENTS MAY BE SUBMITTED TO THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE CLERK AT: [anniethompson@northampton-k12.us](mailto:anniethompson@northampton-k12.us) UNTIL 5 P.M. ON WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 9, 2022 TO BE INCLUDED AS PART OF THE PUBLIC RECORD FOR THAT MEETING.

JOIN ZOOM MEETING VIA ZOOM TELECONFERENCING WEBSITE:

<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/84778426744>

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OR DIAL IN WITH TELEPHONE: +1 646 876 9923

YOU WILL BE PROMPTED TO ENTER THE MEETING ID

THEN YOU WILL BE PROMPTED TO ENTER A PARTICIPANT NUMBER IF YOU DO NOT HAVE A PARTICIPANT NUMBER, ENTER #

PLEASE WAIT TO BE RECOGNIZED BY THE CHAIR

THE CHAIR WILL RECOGNIZE MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC IN ORDER OF THEIR CALL

### Agenda

**6:45 I. Roll Call**

**6:50 II. Public Comment Period**

**7:05 III. Announcements**

**7:10 IV. Recommended Actions – (VOTE by Consent Agenda)**

A. Approval of minutes:

- School Committee Meeting January 13, 2022
- School Committee Meeting January 27, 2022
- Joint City Council / School Committee Meeting February 1, 2022

B. Acceptance of Donations:

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C. Budget Transfers:

- \$15000 SPED

**7:20 V. Reports and Recommendations (Subcommittees, administrators, special groups, liaisons, etc.)**

A. Rules & Policy

B. Budget & Property

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D. Curriculum

E. Business Administrator Report

F. Personnel Report

G. Superintendent's Report

Meg Robbins

Nick Bernier

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John Provost

### 7:50 VII. New Business

A. (7:50 – 8:00) Student Representative Report

B. (8:00 – 8:30) Discussion: traffic issues near Northampton Public Schools

C. (8:30 – 9:00) VOTE to approve NHS Program of Studies

D. (9:00 – 9:05) VOTE: Ratification of Nurses Bonus MOA

E. (9:05 – 9:10) VOTE: Ratification of Scientific Reading MOA

F. (9:10 – 9:15) VOTE School Calendar

Lila Nields-Duffy

Dina Levi

Lori Vaillancourt

Emily Serafy-Cox

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John Provost

### 9:15 VIII. School Committee discussion topics

9:20 IX. Future Business and Meeting Dates (all meetings will be held via Zoom conferencing until further notice):

- Student Advisory Committee / Thursday, February 10 / 6:00PM
- School Committee Meeting / Thursday, February 10 / 6:30PM
- Budget & Property Subcommittee/ Thursday, February 16 / 4:00PM
- School Committee Meeting / Thursday, February 16/ 6:30PM
- School Committee Budget Meeting / Monday, February 28 / 6:30PM
- Negotiating Subcommittee / Tuesday, March 1 / 5:00PM

9:20 X. Executive Session: Request to Enter Executive Session under Massachusetts General Law Open Meeting Chapter 30A Sec 21(a)(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.

### 10:00 XI. Adjourn

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