

MEETING OF THE NORTHAMPTON SCHOOL COMMITTEE

Thursday, March 24, 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 March 24, 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 MARCH 24, 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 UNTIL 5 P.M. ON WEDNESDAY, MARCH 23, 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/89952819010>

MEETING ID: 899 5281 9010

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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

6:30 I. Roll Call

6:35 II. Public Comment Period

7:00 III. Announcements

7:10 IV. Recommended Actions

7:15 VII. New Business

- A. Discussion and Possible VOTE: to amend or repeal Policy EBCFA (Face Masks and Face Coverings) John Provost
- B. VOTE: To waive the NPS mask requirement for students and guests participating in the NHS Junior Prom on Friday, April 8th. John Provost
- C. Discussion and Possible VOTE: FY23 Budget John Provost
- D. VOTE: To refer the Embedded Honors Math program to the Curriculum Subcommittee for review John Provost
- E. VOTE: to ratify LaChance MOA Emily Serafy-Cox
- F. VOTE: to ratify Psych Evaluation MOA Emily Serafy-Cox

9:00 VIII. School Committee discussion topics

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- Negotiating Subcommittee / Tuesday, March 29, 2022 / 5:00PM
- Budget & Property Subcommittee / Thursday, March 31, 2022/ 11:00AM
- Rules & Policy Subcommittee / Wednesday, April 6, 2022 / 4:00PM
- Curriculum Subcommittee / Wednesday, April 13, 2022/ 5:00PM
- School Committee Meeting with Student Advisory Council / Thursday, April 14, 2022/ 6:00PM

9:10 X. Executive Session: Request to Enter Executive Session under Massachusetts General Law Open Meeting Chapter 30A Sec. 21 (a)(2) To conduct strategy sessions in preparation for negotiations with nonunion personnel or to conduct collective bargaining sessions or contract negotiations with nonunion personnel; (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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