MEETING OF THE NORTHAMPTON SCHOOL COMMITTEE
Thursday, August 8, 2019
J.F.K. Middle School Community Room, 6:45 p.m.
AGENDA

I. Roll Call

II. Public Comment Period

III. Executive Session: Request for an Executive Session under Massachusetts General Law Open Meeting Chapter 30A Sec 21(a)(3) to discuss strategy with respect to collective bargaining with the Northampton Association of School Employees whereas an open session would have a detrimental effect and further details would compromise the reason for going into executive session.

IV. Announcements

V. Recommended Actions
   1. Approval of Minutes
      - School Committee Minutes of July 8, 2019

VI. Reports and Recommendations
   A. VOTE: Approval of Clarke School Lease Extension
      John Provost
   B. VOTE: Participate in National School Lunch Program
      Camie Lamica
   C. VOTE: Ratification of successor collective bargaining agreement between the Northampton School Committee and the Northampton Association of School Employees (NASE) for the period of July 1, 2019 – June 30, 2022
      John Provost
   D. Report: Chromebook usage, breakage and replacement
      Molly McLoughlin
   E. Discussion: Handbook Code of Conduct Progress
      John Provost
   F. VOTE: Carry over 9 vacation days for Superintendent
      John Provost
   G. VOTE/ Discussion: Renewal of legal services contract
      Camie Lamica
   H. VOTE: Donation Local Vocal Chord Bowl $2,350.00
      Camie Lamica
   I. VOTE: To authorize Superintendent to negotiate MOU for employee overtime pay related to therapy dog
      John Provost
   J. VOTE: Approve job description for Attendance Coordinator
      John Provost
   K. Report: Superintendent Evaluation
      Ed Zuchowski
   L. Report: Rules & Policy Subcommittee
      Laura Fallon
      *Second reading and VOTE:
      ▪ UNDB (Technology & Acceptable Use)
      ▪ DA (Fiscal Management Goals)
      ▪ DB (Annual Budget)
      ▪ DBD (Budget Goals & Objectives)

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The listing of matters are those reasonably anticipated by the Chair which may be discussed at the meeting. Not all items listed may in fact be discussed and other items not listed may also be brought up for discussion to the extent permitted by law.

Ms. Molly Burnham Ms. Rebecca Busansky Ms. Laura Fallon Ms. Ann Hennessey
Mr. Lonnie Kaufman Mr. Downey Meyer Mr. Howard Moore Ms. Susan Voss
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- DBJ (Budget Transfer Authority)
- DD (Funding Proposals & Applications)
- DH (Bonded Employees and Officers)

- First Reading:
  - DIB (Types of Funds & Revolving Accounts)
  - DLE (Audits)
  - DI (Fiscal Accounting & Reporting)
  - DJA (Purchasing & Authority)
  - DJF (Local Competitive Purchasing)
  - DJH (Contracts)
  - DJ (Purchasing)
  - DKB (Salary Deductions)
  - DK (Payment Procedures)

- VOTE: Refer to the Rules & Policy Subcommittee for review:
  - Section A (Foundations and Basic Commitments)
  - Section B (Board of Governance and Operations)

M. VOTE: to refer question of SRO to R&P Subcommittee

N. Business Administrators Report

O. Personnel Report: June & July 2019

P. Discussion & VOTE: Authorize Superintendent to award bid to lowest responsive bidder

Q. Superintendent’s Report

Laura Fallon
Camie Lamica

VII. Future Business and Meeting Dates

- Rules & Policy Subcommittee: Monday, August 12, 2019, 11:00AM, Superintendent’s Office
- School Committee Meeting: Thursday, September 12, 2019, 6:45PM, JFK Community Room
- School Committee Meeting: Thursday, September 26, 2019, 6:45PM, JFK Community Room

VIII. Adjourn