



MEETING OF THE SPRINGFIELD SCHOOL COMMITTEE

Thursday, August 29, 2024

LOCATION

City Hall, 36 Court St. Rm.220

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AGENDA

REGULAR SESSION

6:30 PM

ORDER OF BUSINESS

I. CALL TO ORDER – REGULAR MEETING – ROLL CALL

A. Invocation

B. Pledge of Allegiance

II. APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

Approve the Minutes of the following School Committee meetings:

A. April 24, 2024 School Committee Public Hearing on the FY2025 Budget Meeting

B. June 20, 2024 Regular School Committee Meeting

III. PRESENTATION:

A. IGNITE MENTORING THROUGH MUSIC Presentation

IV. VOTING ITEMS:

- A.) Approve the course titled Mindful Movement.
- B.) Approve the course titled Video Games as Narrative.
- C.) Approve the Chapter 74 course titled Programming and Web Development Program to be opened at the High School of Science & Technology during the 2024-2025 school year.
- D.) Approve expenditure of \$35,000.00 from the Massachusetts Department of Elementary and Secondary Education for the FY2025 Interpreter in Education Training Grant.
- E.) Approve the expenditure of \$373,486.11 from the Massachusetts Department of Elementary and Secondary Education for the FY2025 Intensive Assistance Grant (IAG).

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- F.) Approve the FY2025 Amended Budget per the attached schedule.
- G.) Approve the Confidential Senior Executive Assistant to the Superintendent of Schools position.
- H.) Approve the Executive Confidential Assistant to the School Committee position.
- I.) Approve the Springfield Public Schools Legal Counsel.
- J.) Approve Policy AC. (First Vote)
- K.) Approve Policy ACA. (First Vote)
- L.) Approve the Student Assignment Policy

V. INFORMATIONAL/DISCUSSION ITEMS:

- A.) School Committee Legal Counsel position

VI. REPORTS OF THE STANDING COMMITTEES

- A.) Student and Parent Concerns (Ms. Gresham, Chair)
- B.) Buildings and Maintenance Committee (Mr. Collins, Chair)
- C.) Legislative and Contracts Committee (Ms. Monroe-Naylor, Chair)
- D.) Curriculum and Programs Committee (Ms. Hurst, Chair)
- E.) Budget and Finance Committee (Mr. Collins, Chair)
- F.) Vocational Education Committee (Atty. Murphy, Chair)
- G.) Technology Committee (Mr. Joesiah Gonzalez, Chair)
- H.) School Safety Committee (Ms. Gresham, Chair)
- I.) Diversity/Equity/Inclusion (Ms. Hurst, Chair)

VII. REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT

VIII. UNFINISHED BUSINESS

IX. NEW BUSINESS