



MEETING OF THE SPRINGFIELD SCHOOL COMMITTEE

Thursday, September 12, 2024

LOCATION

City Hall, 36 Court St. Rm.220

AGENDA

All meetings may be viewed live in real-time at:

<https://www.youtube.com/@schoolcommitteeSPS/streams>

EXECUTIVE SESSION

5:30PM

Vote to enter into Executive Session to:

1.) Discuss strategy with respect to two litigation matters, *L.S. ppa Ocles Suarez vs. City of Springfield (Springfield Public Schools)* and *Keisha Williams, mother and next friend of D.W. v. City of Springfield*, as an open meeting may have a detrimental effect on the litigating position of the School Committee and the Chair so declares.

The Committee will return to Open Session.

Student Representative Speakers

6:00 PM

**STEM Middle Academy; South End Middle School; Zanetti Montessori;
Springfield Renaissance (Middle School)**

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 August 29, 2024 School Committee meeting.

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III. VOTING ITEMS:

- A. Approve Policy AC. (Second Vote)
- B. Approve Policy ACA. (Second Vote)
- C. Approve to adopt the policy to require one (1) vote for a Policy change or amendment and two (2) votes at two (2) separate School Committee meetings for any new School Committee policy.
- D. Approve the changes to BEB Policy.
- E. Approve the changes to the BEDB Policy.
- F. Approve the Access to School Security Cameras MOU.
- G. Approve to adopt the transportation change in the Springfield Public Schools Foster Care Policy.
- H. Approve the School Committee Legal Counsel position.
- I. Approve the Executive Confidential Assistant to the School Committee position.

IV. INFORMATIONAL/DISCUSSION ITEMS:

V. 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)

VI. REPORT OF THE STUDENT REPRESENTATIVE

VII. REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT

VIII. UNFINISHED BUSINESS

IX. NEW BUSINESS