



MEETING OF THE SPRINGFIELD SCHOOL COMMITTEE

Thursday, October 24, 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 the Executive Confidential Assistant to the School Committee.

The Committee will return to Open Session

Student Advisory Speakers

6:00PM

Central, Sci-Tech, Putnam, Renaissance, Conservatory and Virtual 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 October 10, 2024, School Committee meeting.

III. PRESENTATION:

A. Community Music School Presentation -Jessica Corwin, Director of the Adaptive Music Program

IV. VOTING ITEMS:

A. Approve Central High School field trip to Shakespeare and Company, Lenox, Ma. on November 22, 2024 and November 23, 2024.

B. Approve Sci-Tech field trip to Washington, DC on April 5, 2025, returning April 7, 2025.

C. Approve Ms. Latonia Monroe Naylor to be the Delegate to the Massachusetts Association of School Committees MASC/MASS Joint Conference in November 2024.

D. Vote to approve an Alternate Delegate to the Massachusetts Association of School Committees MASC/MASS Joint Conference in November 2024.

E. Approve authorizing the elected Delegate/Alternate Delegate to vote on the Resolutions at MASC/MASS Conference in November 2024.

F. Approve the temporary authorization for the Superintendent to review student transportation access for 90 days, or until the School Committee secures an attorney to review and recommend amendments to the policy, whichever comes first.

V. INFORMATIONAL/DISCUSSION ITEMS:

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 STUDENT REPRESENTATIVE

Ava Moore, Senior at Putnam Vocational High School

VIII. REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT

- A. Contract Report -September 2024
- B. Discovery High School Pinning Ceremony

IX. UNFINISHED BUSINESS

X. NEW BUSINESS