



Springfield Public Schools
Office of the School Committee
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SPRINGFIELD PUBLIC SCHOOLS

AGENDA OF THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE

REGULAR MEETING

Thursday, January 15, 2025

LOCATION

City Hall, 36 Court Street, Room 220,
Springfield, MA

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

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

ORDER OF BUSINESS

REGULAR MEETING @ 6:30 PM

I. CALL TO ORDER – REGULAR MEETING – ROLL CALL

- A. Invocation
- B. Pledge of Allegiance

II. APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

- A. Vote to approve the Minutes of the School Committee's Regular Meeting on December 4, 2025.
- B. Vote to approve the Minutes of the School Committee's Special Meeting on December 15, 2025, at 5:15 PM.
- C. Vote to approve the Minutes of the School Committee's Special Meeting on December 15, 2025, at 6:00 PM.
- D. Vote to approve the Minutes of the School Committee's Special Meeting on December 18, 2025.

III. VOTING ITEMS:

- A. Vote to approve Springfield Conservatory of the Art's same day field trip request to the Experimental Media and Performing Arts Center at Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute in Troy, NY on January 23, 2026.
- B. Vote to approve Springfield Conservatory of the Art's same day field trip request to Kingswood Oxford School's 14th Annual A Capella Competition in Troy, NY on January 24, 2026.
- C. Vote to approve Bowles Elementary School's overnight field trip request to Red Gate Farm in Ashfield, MA on June 1, 2026, and returning June 3, 2026.

IV. PRESENTATIONS:

Regular Meeting of the Springfield School Committee

- A. *** Middle School Transformation.

V. INFORMATIONAL/DISCUSSION ITEMS:

- A. Discuss the scheduling of the school committee retreat.
- B. Discuss the scheduling of subcommittee meetings.
- C. Discuss the addition of future town hall meetings.

VI. REPORTS OF THE STANDING COMMITTEES

- A. Student and Parent Concerns (Ms. Gresham, Chair)
- B. Buildings and Maintenance (Mr. Gomez, Jr., Chair)
- C. Legislative and Contracts (Ms. Crawford, Chair)
- D. Curriculum and Programs (Ms. Hurst, Chair)
- E. Budget and Finance (Ms. Monroe-Naylor, Chair)
- F. Career Technical Education (Mr. Gomez, Jr., Chair)
- G. Technology (Ms. Monroe-Naylor, Chair)
- H. School Safety (Ms. Gresham, Chair)
- I. Diversity/Equity/Inclusion (Ms. Crawford, Chair)
- J. Innovation School (Ms. Valentin, Chair)

VII. REPORT OF THE STUDENT REPRESENTATIVE

- A. Alexandra Rivera, Senior at Central High School.

VIII. REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT

IX. UNFINISHED BUSINESS

X. NEW BUSINESS

**** Slide deck/video to be presented by FOCUS Springfield.*