

Franklin School Committee
December 14, 2021
Municipal Building – Council Chambers
7:00 P.M.

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The Franklin Public Schools will foster within its students the knowledge and skills to find and achieve satisfaction in life as productive global citizens.

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AGENDA

“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.”

Call to Order

Pledge of Allegiance

Moment of Silence

I. Routine Business

A. Review of Agenda

B. Citizen's Comments

In the spirit of open communication, "the Committee will hold a public participation segment (also called Citizen's Comments) about matters not related to an agenda item at the beginning of each regular School Committee meeting. The Committee will listen to, but not respond to any comment made.... A Committee member may add an agenda item to a future meeting as a result of a citizen comment.... The Committee will hear public comments related to an agenda item when the Chair deems appropriate during the Committee meeting. Topics for discussion during the meeting must be limited to those items listed on the Committee meeting agenda for that evening...." - from Policy BEDH

C. FHS Student Representative Comments

D. Superintendent's Report

II. Guests/Presentations

A. Recognition of recent School Committee Members – Dr. Ahern

B. Lifelong Learning Presentation – Pattie Gay, Interim Director of Lifelong Learning Institute

III. Discussion/Action Items

A. Dissolve Transportation Sub Committee

I recommend dissolving the Transportation Sub Committee as discussed.

B. DECA Field Trip for State Competition

I recommend approval of the request of Miguel Carmo to take students to the DECA State Competition in Boston, MA from March 10-12, 2022 as detailed.

C. New York City Trip

I recommend approval of the request of Paul Cadenhead and Miguel Carmo to take NBHS (National Business Honor Society) students to NY City on April 9, 2022 to visit the Stock Exchange, Wall Street and the World Trade Center as detailed.

IV. Discussion Only Items

A. 2022-2023 School Committee Meeting Schedule - DRAFT

V. Information Matters

A. School Committee Sub-Committee Reports (e.g. Supt. Evaluation, Budget, Community Relations/Public Schools Advocacy, Policy, Transportation)

B. School Committee Liaison Reports (e.g. Joint PCC, Substance Abuse Task Force, School Wellness Advisory Council, SEPAC, DEI Committee)

VI. New Business

A. To discuss any future agenda items

VII. Consent Agenda

A. Approval of Minutes

I recommend approval of the minutes from the November 23, 2021 School Committee meeting as detailed.

B. Athletics Gift

I recommend acceptance of a check for \$33.00 from Campus Box Media for Supplemental Supplies for the Athletics Department as detailed.

C. Districtwide Gift

I recommend acceptance of a check for \$295.00 from BJ's Wholesale Club for in-house enrichment districtwide as detailed.

D. Jacqueline A Schaeffer Theatre Arts Scholarship

I recommend acceptance of a check for \$250.00 from Sean Jobin for the aforementioned FHS scholarship as detailed.

E. Vincent & Alma DeBaggis Scholarship

I recommend acceptance of a check for \$1,000.00 from Roberta Trahan for the aforementioned FHS scholarship as detailed.

VIII. Payment of Bills

Ms. Spencer

IX. Payroll

Ms. Stokes

X. Executive Session

a. Pursuant to M.G.L. c. 30A §21(a)(2) to conduct collective bargaining with nonunion personnel as an open meeting may have a detrimental effect on the bargaining position of the School Committee and the Chair so declares.

XI. Adjournment