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SCHOOL COMMITTEE MEETING AGENDA

GMRSC MEMBERS

Jane Oakes Chair
William Tomb Vice-Chair
Heather Katsoulis
Steve Ellis
Wendy Thompson
Lori-lee Adams
Clifford Spatcher
Carol Jacobs
James Delorenzo

July 22, 2025

OPEN MEETING
@ 6:30 PM
In-Person Meetings at
Turners Falls High School
School Committee Room M228 H205

Erving Advisory Members: Jacquelyn Boyden Jennifer Eichorn

Student Representatives:

If this meeting cannot be in person due to inclement weather or other reasons, the meeting will be held remotely. Members of the Public can view the meeting via Montague Community Television broadcast.

The extension of the emergency open meeting law provisions were signed into law as Chapter 20,; Section 20 of the Acts of 2021. The School Committee reserves the right to implement additional remote participation procedures and will notify the public of these procedures as it is practical to. The option for public bodies to hold meetings remotely until June 30, 2027 has been signed into law by Governor Healey as Chapter 2 of the Acts of 2025.

- I. CALL TO ORDER
- II. ROLL CALL OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE MEMBERS (quorum = 5)
- III. WELCOME TO VISITORS

Opportunity for public participation - Policy BEDH, #1- At the start of each regularly scheduled School committee meeting, individuals or group representatives will be invited to address the Committee. The length of the public participation segment shall be determined by the chairperson.

- VI. IMPORTANT EVENTS: (upcoming and school committee attendance at events)

 A. Back to school events
- VII. STUDENT REPRESENTATIVE REPORT
- VIII. SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

07.22.2025 Title Monies Withheld

IX. BUSINESS AND OPERATIONS REPORT

After School
Facilities Report

X. SCHOOL COMMITTEE REPORTS

- A. Warrant Sub Committee Approval Vote FY25 Clean-up Warrants dated June 30, 2025 as follows:
 - a. AP ACH Warrant #3576 in the amount of \$47,229.03 -details
 - b. AP Warrant #3577 in the amount of \$269,004.64 -details
 - c. Gill SAA Warrant #3578 in the amount of \$1,747.33 -details
 - d. MS SAA Warrant #3579 in the amount of \$2,358.20 -details
 - e. HS SAA Warrant #3580 in the amount of \$176.09 -details
- B. Warrant Sub Committee Approval Vote FY26 Warrant dated July 23, 2025:
 - a. AP Warrant # 3602 in the amount of \$43,095.36 -details
- C. Policy Sub Committee

XI. BUSINESS

- A. Interim Superintendent's entry plan
- B. Assign delegate for MASC November conference-Vote
- C. Discussion about School Committee Retreat

XII. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

A. July 8, 2025

XIII. AGENDA REQUESTS

XIV. DATES OF NEXT SCHEDULED MEETINGS

A. August 19, 2025

XV. ADJOURNMENT

Posted by: Tara McCarthy

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