

Newburyport Public Schools
Newburyport, MA
School Committee Business Meeting
Monday, June 7, 2021

6:30 PM, Senior/Community, 331 High Street, Newburyport, MA 01950

General Public - remote

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The Mission of the Newburyport Public Schools, the port where tradition and innovation converge, is to ensure each student achieves intellectual and personal excellence and is equipped for life experiences through a system distinguished by students, staff, and community who: - practice kindness and perseverance - celebrate each unique individual - value creativity; experiential, rigorous educational opportunities; scholarly pursuits; and life-long learning - provide the nurturing environments for emotional, social, and physical growth - understand and embrace their role as global citizens.

****NOTE:** Only committee members will meet in person for this meeting. The general public will continue to participate remotely. Meeting will be televised locally live on Comcast Channel 9 or via <https://ncmhub.org/share/channel-9/>.

Business Meeting Agenda: The listing of matters is 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.

1. Call to Order
2. Public Comment (remotely)
3. Student Recognition – *Participants of the COVID Victims Memorial Day Service and SC Student Representative*
4. NHS Student Representative Report
5. *Consent Agenda (Warrants and minutes of 4-27-2021 and 5-3-2021) – *possible Vote*
6. *Model UN Conference Overnight Trip – *possible Vote*
7. *SY2021 Statement of Interest (SOI) – *possible Vote*
8. *Transportation Bid Award FY22-24 – *possible Vote*
9. *Juneteenth Independence Day – AFSCME – *possible Vote*
10. Policy Subcommittee: Sheila Spalding
 - a. *Communications Policy (KAA) (new) – *1st Reading & discussion*
 - b. Public Participation at School Committee Meetings Policy (BEDH) (amend) – *1st Reading*
11. 2016-2021 Strategic Planning Report - *Superintendent Sean Gallagher*
12. Superintendent's Report: *Hiring Update, School Choice Update*
13. New Business

Adjourn

The School Committee reserves the right to call **executive session, as provided under Chapter 30A, Section 21(a)(2), of the General Laws to discuss strategy sessions in preparation for negotiations collective bargaining and/or potential litigation.