

**Newburyport Public Schools  
Newburyport, MA  
School Committee Business Meeting  
Monday, October 18, 2021**

**6:30 PM, Senior/Community Center, 331 High St., Newburyport, MA 01950**

to join the webinar:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87887501445?pwd=WnptRlF1WDgrVzhSM1BIWWR4VVh2QT09>

*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.*

**Business Meeting 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.

- 1. Call to Order & Pledge of Allegiance**
  - 2. Public Comment**
  - 3. \*Consent Agenda - (warrants and minutes of 10-4-2021), possible Vote**
  - 4. NHS Student Representative Introductions and Report**
  - 5. Policy Subcommittee**
    - a. \*New School Committee Member Orientation Policy (BIA) – revision 1<sup>st</sup> reading – possible Vote
    - b. \*School Committee Meetings Annual Calendar - draft (BCAA) – 1<sup>st</sup> reading, possible Vote
    - c. \*School Year / Calendar Policy (IC) – revision - 1<sup>st</sup> reading, possible Vote
  - 6. Superintendent's Report:** *Budget Process Overview, DCAP Update, CISL, MCAS, and Strategic Planning Forum*
  - 7. New Business**
- \*Executive Session – vote**  
*For the purpose of discussing possible litigation and legal matters, and not to reconvene in Open Session.*

\*Possible Vote

## **Adjournment**

\*\*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.