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## **NEWPORT SCHOOL COMMITTEE MEETING**

Tuesday, June 9, 2009, 7:00 p.m.

Thompson Middle School  
Beatrice Berman Bazarsky Performing Arts Center and Cafeteria  
55 Broadway  
Newport, Rhode Island

### **AGENDA**

Call to Order  
Roll Call  
Pledge of Allegiance

**1.0 Moment of Silence**

**2.0 Public Comment**

**3.0 Student Activities**

- 3.1 Student Council:
  - 3.1.1 Update—Michael Turchetti
  - 3.1.2 Introduction of 2009-2010 Officers

**4.0 Resolutions and Certificates of Achievement**

- 4.1: Certificates of Achievement
  - 4.1.1 Music—All State Ensembles and Festivals

**5.0 Consent Agenda**

- 5.1 Approval of Minutes
- 5.2-5.5 Personnel Actions
- 5.6 Requests for Home Instruction
- 5.7 Bid:
  - 5.7.1 One (1) Fourteen Passenger Multi-Function Activity Bus
- 5.8 Fiscal Impact Analysis

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## **6.0 Discussion**

- 6.1 World of Work (WOW) Grant at Rogers High School
- 6.2 Update on Transitions—
  - Fifth Grade to Thompson Middle School
  - Carey School to Underwood School
  - Possible Move of Administration to Rogers High School Campus
- 6.3 Rogers High School Energy Program—Update
- 6.4 Subcommittee Reports:
  - 6.4.1 Facilities Planning Subcommittee
  - 6.4.2 Finance Advisory/Audit Committee
  - 6.4.3 Newport School Committee/Newport City Council Liaison
  - 6.4.4 Policy
  - 6.4.5 Public Relations/Community Outreach Subcommittee
  - 6.4.6 Rhode Island Association of School Committees (RIASC)
  - 6.4.7 Substance Abuse Prevention Task Force
  - 6.4.8 Wellness

## **7.0 Action**

- 7.1 HMFH Architects—Contract Amendment
- 7.2 Authorize HMFH Architects—  
To Commence with the Stage II Application Submittal.
- 7.3 2005-2010 District Strategic Plan—Approval of Action Plans' Update
- 7.4 Authorize Superintendent—  
To Begin Variance Process with State Department of Education for the Elimination of the Director Position at the Newport Area Career and Technical Center.

## **8.0 Reports from Superintendent and Staff**

- 8.1 Expenditure and Revenue Reports
- 8.2 Enrollment Reports
- 8.3 Damage Reports
- 8.4 Superintendent's Update
- 8.5 Aquidneck Island Adult Learning Center Report

## **9.0 Suggested Meeting Dates and Agenda Items**

## **10.0 Executive Session**

School Committee may seek to convene if warranted:

Executive Session Under Jurisdiction of Rhode Island State Law, Chapter 46, 42-46-5—Exceptions (a)(1) Personal Matters, and the person or persons affected have been notified in advance in writing and advised that they may require that the discussion be held in an open session; and (a)(2) Collective Bargaining and Litigation.

## **Adjournment**

Members of the public may request documents pertaining to agenda items prior to the meeting by contacting the Office of the Superintendent of Schools, Newport Public Schools, 437 Broadway, Newport, Rhode Island, 401-847-2100, Ext. 212.

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