



Tuesday, October 8, 2013
NEWPORT SCHOOL COMMITTEE REGULAR MEETING, 7:00 p.m.

Newport Public Schools' Administration Center
Room 924
15 Wickham Road
Newport, Rhode Island

1. Opening Items

- 1.1 Call to Order
- 1.2 Roll Call
- 1.3 Pledge of Allegiance
- 1.4 Moment of Silence

2. Public Comment

- 2.1 Public Comment

3. Resolutions/Certificates of Achievement

4. Student Activities

- 4.1 Student Council Update - Allison Thompson

5. Consent Agenda

- 5.1 Approval of Minutes
- 5.2 Personnel Actions
- 5.3 Requests for Home Instruction

6. Action Items

- 6.1 Policy No. 4612 - Newport Public Schools - Human Resources - Interview Process and Procedures for Selection of Principals and Above - First Reading (AMENDMENT)
- 6.2 To Temporarily Suspend Policy No. 7100 - Naming New Facilities
- 6.3 Policy Nos.: 7500, 7525, and 7550 - Use of School Buildings - First Reading (AMENDMENT)
- 6.4 Scheduling - Rogers High School and Thompson Middle School
- 6.5 HMFH Architects - PSS No. 29 - Traffic/Acoustical/Geotechnical Soils and PSS No. 30 - Testing Soils/Graphics Designer Services

7. Discussion Items

- 7.1 Newport Substance Abuse Prevention Task Force - Needs Assessment Presentation

7.2 Pell School - Update

8. Reports from Superintendent and Staff

8.1 Expenditure and Revenue Reports

8.2 Enrollment Reports

8.3 Damage Reports

8.4 Superintendent's Update

9. Suggested Meeting Dates and Agenda Items

9.1 Meeting and Agenda Requests

10. Executive Session

10.1 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.

11. Adjournment

12. Meeting Agenda - October 8, 2013, 7:00 p.m.

12.1 Agenda

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