Cumberland School Department

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Legal Advertisement
Cumberland School Committee Meeting

A regular meeting of the Cumberland School Committee will be held on **Thursday, December 12, 2013** at the Cumberland High School Transitional Building Cafetorium, 2602 Mendon Road, Cumberland, RI, at **7:30PM** – Agenda:

I. Chairperson Convenes Meeting

II. Pledge of Allegiance

III. Approval of Agenda

IV. Student Government Report
   A. Student Activities

V. Consent Agenda
   A. Approval of Minutes
      1) Regular Meeting: 11/14/2013
      2) Special Meeting: 11/20/2013
   B. Approval of Minutes
      1) Executive Session: 11/14/2013
      2) Executive Session: 11/20/2013
   C. Enrollment Report – 12/1/2013
   D. Truancy/Residency Report – 12/1/2013
   E. School Police Report – 11/1/2013
   F. Resolution SC-R-2013-19: Wireless Classroom Initiative

VI. Report Out of Executive Session Meeting
   A. Report of Executive Session Meeting on 12/12/2013
      1) Report of Executive Session Votes
      2) J. Doe Student Hearing Decision
      3) CTA Employee Disciplinary Hearing Decision: Teacher A
      4) CTA Employee Disciplinary Hearing Decision: Teacher B
      5) Vote to Seal Minutes of Executive Session

VII. Superintendent's Report
   A. Recognition of Achievement:
      1) District Education Support Professional of the Year
      2) R.I. School Counselor Association – OSSCAR Award Recipients
   B. State House Grant – PBIS
   C. Wireless Initiative Update

VIII. Chairperson's Report
  A. High School Grading Guidelines

IX. Comments from the Public

X. Reports of Standing Committees
  A. Payment of Bills
  B. Fiscal Management Sub-Committee Update
  C. Policy & Procedures Sub-Committee Update
  D. Achievement & Communications Sub-Committee Update

XI. New Business
  A. RIDE School Safety & Emergency Response Plans Update
  B. Review of High School Level Data
  C. Discussion and/or Vote to Approve Communications Coordinator Agreement
  D. Discussion and/or Vote to Approve Home School Instruction Requests 2013-2014 School Year
  E. Discussion and/or Vote to Approve Deleting the Following Policy:
    1) IIAA Equipment, Books and Materials
  F. Discussion and/or Vote to Approve Amending the Following Policies:
    1) DLC – Employee Expense Reimbursements Policy
    2) GBAA/JFAA Sexual Harassment Policy
    3) IICA – School Sponsored Field Trips of Long Duration
    4) JBA – Anti-Bullying/Teasing Harassment Policy
    5) IKFC – High School Proficiency Based
  G. Discussion and/or Vote to Approve the Following New Policy:
    1) KDB Access to Public Records Policy

XII. Personnel Recommendations

XIII. School Committee Comments (School Liaison Reports)

XIV. Vote to go into Executive Session for Discussion on Items Referred to in R.I.G.L. § 42-46-5:
Before going into executive session, the school committee shall state for the record that any persons to be discussed pursuant to subsection (1) have been notified and this statement shall be noted in the minutes of the meeting.
  A. Student Matter – Exception (8)
    1) Reconsideration and vote on request for tutoring, in accordance with December 9, 2013 order of the Rhode Island Department of Education
  B. Personnel Matters – Exception (1)
    1) CTA Employee Disciplinary Hearing: Teacher A
    2) CTA Employee Disciplinary Hearing: Teacher B
    3) CTA/ICSE

C. Negotiations/Litigation – Exception (2)
   1) CTA/ICSE
   2) Litigation Update/ Potential Litigation
D. Discussion and/or Vote on Superintendent's Recommendation of CTA Employee Disciplinary Hearing: Teacher A
E. Discussion and/or Vote on Superintendent's Recommendation of CTA Employee Disciplinary Hearing: Teacher B
F. Reconvene into Open Session
G. Report Out of Executive Session Vote(s)
   1) CTA Employee Disciplinary Hearing Decision: Teacher A
   2) CTA Employee Disciplinary Hearing Decision: Teacher B
   3) Student Matter Decision
H. Vote to Seal Minutes of Executive Session

XV. Adjournment

Lisa A. Beaulieu, Chairperson
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