

WESTFIELD PUBLIC SCHOOLS
94 North Elm Street, Suite 201
Westfield, MA

TO: Westfield School Committee

May 12, 2016

A regular meeting of the Westfield School Committee is scheduled for Monday, May 16, 2016, at 7:00 pm. The meeting will be held in the City Council Chambers at City Hall, 59 Court Street, Westfield, MA.

District Vision

Westfield Public Schools will collaborate with families to provide a rigorous 21st century program that promotes continuous academic, emotional, and social growth and enables students to achieve personal success in order to become self-sufficient global citizens.

AGENDA

1. Pledge of Allegiance
2. Public participation, excluding personnel - 3 minute maximum/30 minute total
3. Hats off Recognitions
4. Paper Mill Elementary School Presentation
5. North Middle School Presentation
6. News about Westfield Technical Academy from student representatives
7. Westfield Youth Commission
8. Approval of appointment and contract of Dr. Adam Garand, Administrator of Special Services & Student Support Services
9. District Literacy Committee update
10. Announcement of new grant: Title IIB Mathematics and Science Partnership Grant
11. Approval of special School Committee meeting minutes May 9, 2016 (enclosure)
12. 2nd/final reading, by title only, of policies: (enclosures)
 - a. Policy File: JLCD Administering Medicines to Students
 - b. Policy File: JHCB-R Administrative Regulations Regarding Immunization of Students
 - c. Policy File: JJIF Athletic Concussion Policy
 - d. Policy File: JJIF-R Athletic Concussion Regulations
 - e. Policy File: JH Student Absences and Excuses
 - f. Policy File: IHBEA English Language Learners
 - g. Policy File: JBA Bullying and Cyberbullying
 - h. Policy File: JIH Student Interrogations, Searches, and Arrests
13. Approval of field trips:
 - a. North Middle School, Lake Compounce, Bristol, CT, June 10, 2016
 - b. North Middle School, High Meadows, Granby, CT, June 15, 2016
14. Acceptance of Westfield Public Schools Financial Statements, April 2016
15. Acceptance of Special Revenue Accounts
16. Superintendent's Reports
 - a. Acceptance of gifts/donations
 - b. Other
17. Mayor's update
18. School Committee update
19. Items for referral to subcommittees:
20. Old business:
21. Subcommittee Reports/Recommendations
 - a. Reports: Human Resources & Policy Subcommittee, May 10, 2016, Mrs. Mayhew, Chair
 - b. Minutes: Human Resources & Policy Subcommittee, May 10, 2016
Finance Subcommittee meeting, April 27, 2016 and May 2, 2016
22. Next regular School Committee meeting: June 6, 2016

Dr. Suzanne Scallion, Superintendent of Schools
Clerk - Westfield School Committee

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