



THE GLOUCESTER PUBLIC SCHOOLS

SCHOOL COMMITTEE MEETING

Wednesday, November 28, 2012

7:00 pm

City Hall — Kyrouz Auditorium
9 Dale Avenue, Gloucester, MA 01930

AGENDA

- I. CALL TO ORDER/Statement of Mission**
 - II. SALUTE TO THE FLAG**
 - III. ORAL COMMUNICATIONS**
 - IV. COMMENTS FROM THE CHAIRPERSON**
 - V. RECOGNITIONS**
 - VI. GHS STUDENT ADVISORY COUNCIL**
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VII. CONSENT AGENDA

A. Approval of Minutes

- *1. Amended School Committee of October 24, 2012
- *2. West Parish Ad Hoc Communications Committee of November 13, 2012
- *3. School Committee of November 14, 2012
- *4. Personnel Sub-Committee of November 15, 2012

B. Acceptance of Grant

- *1. Massachusetts DESE Title 1, Part A Grant in the amount of \$60,333.
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VIII. DELIBERATIONS ON EDUCATIONAL ISSUES/SUPERINTENDENT’S REPORT

- A. **O’Maley Innovation Middle School Engineering/Science Curriculum** — Teacher, Doug Zierk, and students
- B. **Benchmark Assessments: Dibels and GRADE - Part II** — Gregg Bach
- *C. **Superintendent’s Report**

IX. SUB-COMMITTEE REPORTS (Items listed under X. ACTION may be brought forward with reports)

- A. **Personnel Sub-Committee Meeting of November 15, 2012** — Chairperson Teixeira
Agenda: To discuss collective bargaining with Teamsters Local Union #42 Cafeteria Workers (Executive Session).
- B. **Building & Finance Sub-Committee of November 28, 2012** — Chairperson Clancy
Agenda: Report on Facilities; NEASC Report; Free Cash; and Unpaid Athletic Bills and PO not in Place.

X. ACTION

DISCLAIMER: Listed below are all known items that may require action but action may not be taken on all items listed; i.e., action items that are known including all votes taken by all sub-committees previous to the Friday before a Wednesday School Committee meeting and items that may flow from the Superintendent’s Report.

- A. **Unpaid Athletic Police Detail Bills from FY 2012 and Rental of Neighboring Fields without a Purchase Order in Place** — Kim Patience

XI. DISCUSSION/OTHER COMMUNICATION/NEW BUSINESS

- A. **Free Cash Request Report**
- *B. **FY 2013 Budget Report**
- *C. **NEASC Special Progress Report**
- *D. **Massachusetts School Building Authority Update, Letter of Approval, and OPM Contract**
- *E. **Mayor Kirk’s Letter to Request/Review of Fuller School MOU**

***F. Special City Council Meeting/Two Appropriations**

***G. Schedule of Upcoming Meetings**

XII. EXECUTIVE SESSION

A. Response to Level III GTA Grievance

XIII. ADJOURNMENT