



# Town of Ashland

## MASSACHUSETTS

### Ashland School Committee Meeting

April 8, 2020

<https://zoom.us/j/999156872>

Location: Online Zoom Meeting

#### School Committee

Laurie Tosti, Chair,  
Marc Terry, Vice Chair  
Kathleen Bates, Secretary  
Erin Williams, Member  
Paul Kendall, Member

#### School Administration

Jim Adams, Superintendent  
Barbara Durand, Asst. Superintendent  
Paul Vieira, Assistant Superintendent

#### Vision Statement

*The Ashland Public Schools cultivates the academic and social-emotional growth of each student through a supportive, collaborative, innovative and challenging environment. Students will develop into self-motivated, resilient, life-long learners, who embrace their role as responsible contributors to a global community.*

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#### Projected Time Line      Order of Business

- 2:30 p.m.                      Open Session - Call to Order
- 2:31 p.m.                      EXECUTIVE SESSION: Move to enter into executive session executive session under G.L. c. 30A, Section 21(a)(7) to comply with, or act under the authority of, any general or special law, specifically the public records law, G.L. c 66, Section 10, c. 4, Section 7, clause twenty-sixth (d); and the Suffolk Construction case to preserve the attorney-client privilege (Transportation Contract) and under section 21 (a) (2) to conduct strategy sessions in preparation for negotiations with nonunion personnel or to conduct collective bargaining sessions (Ashland Educators Association – Teacher Contract) or contract negotiations with nonunion personnel; and (3) to conduct strategy with respect to collective bargaining or litigation if an open meeting may have a detrimental effect on the bargaining or litigating position of the public body and the chair so declares.; to return to open session. (Ashland Educators Association- Teacher Contract)
- 3:00 p.m.                      Open Session - Call to Order  
Opening Procedures  
Agenda Review and adoption
- 3:05 p.m.                      Public Comment - Items of Interest to the Public (C, SA, O)  
Administrative Items - Action and/or Information
1. COVID-19 Update
  2. AEA Evaluation 2019-20 School Year
  3. School Choice – FY'21Participation
  4. Approval - Student Activity Account Reconciliations Oct. –Dec. 2019
  5. 2020 Calendar Update – Cancellation of April Break April 20-24, 2020
  6. 2021 Calendar Update – Movement of Boston Marathon- Sept 14, 2020
  7. Assistant Superintendent's Report (O, FR)
  8. Warrant Approvals - Kathleen Bates (FR)



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4:50 p.m.

### Consent Actions

9. Approval of Minutes (O)
  - a. Minutes of March 19, 2020
  - b. Minutes of March 24, 2020 – Tri Board
  - c. Minutes of March 26, 2020
  - d. Minutes of April 1, 2020

10. Acceptance of Gifts (FR)

### Committee Reports of Activities (O)

11. Member Updates
12. Action Items

5:00 p.m. Adjournment

***Next meeting of the Ashland School Committee is on April 15, 2020***

Topic: School Committee Meeting

Time: Apr 8, 2020 02:30 PM Eastern Time (US and Canada)

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