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Ashland School Committee Meeting

April 29, 2020

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

Location: Online Zoom Meeting

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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.

Announce: "This meeting (is/is not) being recorded by WACA cable TV."

Projected Time Line

Order of Business

5:00 p.m.

Open Session - Call to Order
Opening Procedures
Agenda Review and adoption

5:05 p.m.

Public Comment - Items of Interest to the Public (C, SA, O)
Administrative Items - Action and/or Information

1. COVID-19 Update
2. Waiving of Graduation Requirements Policy IKF - Vote
3. Refund of FY'20 Bus Fees - Vote
4. Update on FY'20 Budget
5. Payment of EDP, Nutrition, and PreK wages through June 18, 2020 - Vote
6. Update on FY'21 Budget Projections
7. Update from Pittaway and Warren Schools
8. Assistant Superintendent's Report (O, FR)
9. Warrant Approvals - Kathleen Bates (FR)

5:50 p.m.

Consent Actions

10. Approval of Minutes (O)
 - a. Minutes of April 22, 2020
 - b. Minutes of April 14, 2020 – Tri Board
11. Acceptance of Gifts and Donations (FR)

Committee Reports of Activities (O)

12. Member Updates
13. Action Items

6:00 p.m.

EXECUTIVE SESSION: Move to enter into executive session under G.L. c. 30A, 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, Nurse, Education



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Support Personnel Contracts, Ashland Secretaries Contract, and Ashland Schools Custodian and Maintenance 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.; not to return to open session. (Ashland Educators Association – Teacher, Nurse, Education Support Personnel Contracts, Ashland Secretaries Contract, and Ashland Schools Custodian and Maintenance Contract)

7:00 Adjournment

Next meeting of the Ashland School Committee is on May 13, 2020

Jim Adams is inviting you to a scheduled Zoom meeting.

Topic: School Committee Meeting

Time: Apr 29, 2020 05:00 PM Eastern Time (US and Canada)

Join Zoom Meeting

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