

Franklin School Committee
April 11, 2023
Municipal Building – Council Chambers
7:00 P.M.

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· Vision Statement ·

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A G E N D A

“The listing of matters are those reasonably anticipated by the Chair which may be discussed at the meeting. Not all items listed may in fact be discussed and other items not listed may also be brought up for discussion to the extent permitted by law.”

Call to Order

Ms. Spencer

Pledge of Allegiance

Moment of Silence

I. Routine Business

A. Review of Agenda

B. Payment of Bills

Mr. McNeill

C. Payroll

Ms. Spencer

D. FHS Student Representative Comments

E. Superintendent's Report

- II. Guests/Presentations
 - A. Jefferson Highlights
 - B. MS Grand Canyon Field Trip
 - C. DIP Outcomes
- III. Discussion/Action Items
 - A. FY24 Budget Vote

I recommend approval of the FY24 Budget in the amount of \$73,103,500.00 as discussed.
 - B. School Choice Vote

I recommend that the School Committee not accept new School Choice students for the 2023-2024 School year as discussed.
 - C. Policy – 2nd Reading / Adoption

I recommend adoption of the following policies as discussed:
JCAC - Assignment of Students from other Districts or Homeschooling
JEB - Entrance Age (formerly JEA)
- IV. Discussion Only Items
 - A. None
- V. Information Matters
 - A. School Committee Sub-Committee Reports
 - B. School Committee Liaison Reports
- VI. Consent Agenda
 - A. Approval of Minutes

I recommend approval of the minutes from your March 28, 2023 School Committee meeting as detailed.
 - B. Recurring Keller Field Trip

I recommend approval of the request of Wendy Greenstein to take Keller 5th graders to Roger Williams Park Zoo on June 2, 2023 as detailed.
 - C. FHS Scholarship

I recommend acceptance of several checks totaling \$1,000.00 from various Van Drivers for a FHS scholarship.
 - D. JFK Gift

I recommend acceptance of two checks totaling: \$2,150.00 from the JFK PCC for field trips as detailed.
- VII. Citizen's Comments
- VIII. New Business
 - To discuss any future agenda items
- IX. Executive Session
 - a. Pursuant to M.G.L. c. 30A, §21(a)(3) to discuss strategy with respect to collective bargaining with the ESP/LPN, unit as an open meeting may have a detrimental effect on the bargaining position of the School Committee and the chair so declares.

b. Pursuant to M.G.L. c. 30A, §21(a)(3) to discuss strategy with respect to collective bargaining with the FEA, Unit A, as an open meeting may have a detrimental effect on the bargaining position of the School Committee and the chair so declares.

X. Return to Open Session

a. Ratification of Stipend Memorandum of Understanding with FEA Unit A.

XI. Adjournment