

South Hadley School Committee Meeting

Date: Thursday, February 16, 2023
Time: 6:00 PM to 8:00 PM
Location: Zoom Video Conference Meeting (Made possible by Gov. Baker’s 7/16/22 remote meeting provision to the March 12th Covid-19 Emergency Order)
Video Conference Meeting Accessible via SHCTV on Comcast Channel 12

Meeting Link:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83803386290?pwd=c2JEaWRiaXZzbmhlMkZoSzlZalVrdz09>

Attendees: Allison Schlachter, Chairperson; Eric Friesner, Vice Chairperson; Danielle Cooke, Member; Lynda Pickbourn-Smith, Member; Kyle Belanger, Member; Junoon Giridhar, Student Representative; Mark McLaughlin, Interim Superintendent for South Hadley Public Schools; and Jennifer Voyik, Assistant Superintendent of Finance and Business Operations for South Hadley Public Schools.

Guests: Amy Foley, SHEA President; Chris Fontaine, Principal of MESM; & Cindy Flynn, Principal of Mosier & Mary Walsh, Director of Health Services.

Note: Not all the topics listed in this notice may be reached for discussion. In addition, the topics listed are those which the Chair reasonably expects will be discussed as the date of this notice.

AGENDA

Topic	Presenter	Time												
<p>I. Procedural</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;">a. Roll Call/Determination of Quorum/Call to Order</p> <p>II. Public Comment</p> <p>III. SHEA Report</p> <p>IV. Routine Items</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;">a. Approval of Warrants (2 VOTES)</p>	<p>Amy Foley</p> <p>Danielle Cooke</p>	<p>10 Min</p> <p>20 Mins</p>												
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<p style="padding-left: 40px;">b. Approval Of Minutes (VOTE) 1/26/23 & 2/2/23</p>	<p>Allison Schlachter</p>													

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V. Reports of Standing Committees a. School Committee Liaison Reports 1. Racial Justice Task Force b. Advisory Committees c. Site-Based Committees d. Report of Student Representative e. Report of the Acting Superintendent f. Report of the Chair and School Committee g. Appreciations	Danielle Cooke Junoon Giridhar Mark McLaughlin Allison Schlachter	
VI. Possibilities for Enhanced Programming at Michael E. Smith Middle School & Beyond	Chris Fontaine & Cindy Flynn	
VII. 2023-2024 Budget Update	Jennifer Voyik	
VIII. Estimated Signage Costs Associated with Plains Renaming Initiative	Jennifer Voyik	
IX. Update to Field Trips and Excursions - Form A	Mark McLaughlin & Mary Walsh	
X. Interim Superintendent Contract	Allison Schlachter	
XI. Assistant Superintendent for Finance and Business Operations Contract	Allison Schlachter	
XII. Information only		
XIII. Unfinished Business		
XIV. New Business		

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A member of the public may speak to an agenda item when recognized by the Chair. The School Committee welcomes comments on any school-related matter during Public Comment.