Canton School Committee Canton, MA

November 19, 2015

6:30 Executive Session 7:00 Open Session

Canton High School Distance Learning Lab

The Canton Public Schools strives to develop students who are competent and creative thinkers, curious and confident learners, and compassionate citizens.

The back-up support documents for each agenda item are arranged in the order listed below.

- A. Call to Order
- B. Executive Session- For the purpose of discussing issues related to contractual matters.
- C. Routine Matters
 - 1. Approve Minutes dated November 5, 2015
 - 2. Approve Executive Session Minutes dated November 5, 2015
 - 3. Approve Executive Session Minutes dated November 5, 2015 for Public Release
 - 4. Approve Bill Schedule dated November 26, 2015
- D. Public Comments/Questions
- E. Student Member Report: Michael Larson will report on school events and activities happening around the district.
- F. <u>Superintendent's Report</u>: Ms. Henderson will provide an update a variety of matters going on throughout the district.
- G. Old Business: None
- H. New Business
 - Request for Approval of Earthwatch Institute Scientific Study Trip to Mankwe Wildlife Reserve in South
 <u>Africa.</u> Rebecca Stang, CHS Science teacher will present a proposal to take students on a trip in February
 2017. Details of the trip will be reviewed.
 - 2. <u>Community Update re: Opiate Issue in Canton</u>: Chief Ken Berkowitz will provide an update re: continuing issues with drugs within the community, the impact on our community and programming and action plans addressing the issues.
 - 3. <u>Capital Budget Discussion</u>: Continue Capital Budget with "detail discussion." Specific invited guests available to respond to questions include: Mike Wentland and April Goran from Technology, Heidi Olson from World Language and Derek Folan and Danny Erickson re: turn and packing/sidewalks.
 - 4. <u>Student Activities Policy Changes</u>: Mr. Nectow will review some proposed procedural/policy changes with regard to Student Activities Accounts.
- Business Manager's Report: Mr. Nectow will report update status of Hansen School construction and final update on the tennis courts.
- J. <u>Sub-Committee Reports</u>
 - 1. TEC- Robert Golledge
 - 2. CPC Mike Loughran
 - 3. BRC- John Bonnanzio
 - 4. Wellness- Kristin Mirliani
 - 5. Finance Reuki Schutt
 - 6. Building Use John Bonnanzio
 - 7. Policy Kristin Mirliani
 - 8. Superintendent Search John Bonnanzio
 - 9. Town Administrator Search Committee Michael Loughran
- K. Future Business Next Meeting Thursday, December 3, 2015
- L. Other Business
- M. Adjournment