Canton School Committee Canton, MA

June 11, 2015

6:30 PM 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.

Valuing

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 May 21, 2015
 - 2. Approve Executive Session Minutes dated May 21, 2015
 - 3. Approve Executive Session Minutes dated May 21, 2015 for public release
 - 4. Approve Bill Schedules dated June 4, 2015 and June 18, 2015
- D. Public Comments/Questions
- E. <u>Student Member</u> Student member will report on school activities throughout the district.
- F. <u>Superintendent's Report</u> Mr. Granatino will provide an update on a variety of matters going on throughout the district.
- G. Old Business
 - 1. <u>FY 16 Operational Budget</u> The Committee will discuss options within the FY16 budget as they relate to possible start time changes for the 2015-16 school year.

H. New Business

- 1. Out of State Travel-Susan Crespi requests permission for the Future Problem Solvers to travel overnight to Future Problem Solving International in Ames, Iowa. They will be leaving by plane at 9:00AM on June 10th, 2015 and will return on June 14, 2015 at approximately 7:00PM.
- CHS Math Team- The Committee will greet the coaches and members of the CHS Math Team to recognize them for their tremendous efforts this year. The Math Team are Massachusetts and New England Champions.
- 3. <u>Handbook discussion</u>- The Committee will discuss matters related to the dress code policies within the SHS and GMS handbook that will come before the School COmmittee for approval in August.
- 4. MA State Curriculum Framework Discussion- The Committee has invited members of the community to come forth to share their thoughts/concerns on the Massachusetts Curriculum Framework for English Language Arts and Literacy *Incorporating the* Common Core State Standards for English Language Arts and Literacy in History/Social Studies, Science, and Technical Subjects and the Curriculum Framework's with Common Core Standards along with the Massachusetts Curriculum Framework for Mathematics Grades Pre-Kindergarten to 12 Incorporating the Common Core State Standards for Mathematics, in effect since 2011. In addition, they may bring forth their thoughts on the PARCC exam that is currently being piloted in some towns/cities across the Commonwealth (not in Canton).

- 5. Request of Avon Public Schools- The Committee will discuss and vote on a request regarding the Town of Avon asking nearby districts of their interest to create a regional school district.
- I. Business Manager's Report – Mr. Nectow will give the last "top line" report for FY15.
- J. Sub-Committee Reports
 - TEC- Robert Golledge 1.
 - 2. CPC - Mike Loughran
 - 3. BRC- John Bonanzio
 - Wellness- Kristin Mirliani 4.
 - Finance Reuki Schutt 5.
- K. L. Future Business - Next Meeting Thursday, July 30, 2015
- Other Business
- M. Adjournment