Canton School Committee Canton, MA

March 22, 2012

Canton High School Distance Learning Lab

6:30 PM

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. <u>Executive Session</u> To discuss strategy with respect to collective bargaining.
- C. Routine Matters
 - 1. Approve Minutes dated March 8, 2012 & March14, 2012
 - 2. Approve Executive Session Minutes dated March 14, 2012
 - Approve Executive Session Minutes dated March 14, 2012 for Public Release
 - 4. Approve Bill Schedule dated March 29, 2012.
- D. <u>Student Member Report</u> Eddie El Massih will give student update.
- E. <u>Superintendent's Report</u> Jeff Granatino will report on a variety of matters going on throughout the district.
- F. Public Comments
- G. <u>Unfinished Business</u>
 - 1. <u>FY 13 Operating Budget</u>– Jeff Granatino will lead discussion on the FY '13 preliminary budget.
- H. New Business
 - <u>Cabot Fund</u> Cabot Fund requests will be presented for approval.
 - 2. <u>School Committee Policy Review</u> The Committee will review and have a first reading on Section C of the Policy Manual.
 - 3. <u>Annual Town Meeting Articles</u> There will be a review and discussion of articles related to the School District that are to be presented at ATM.
 - 4. <u>School Choice</u> Each year the School Committee must vote to NOT have school choice due to lack of space and the adverse impact that choice would have on class sizes. Without a formal vote, the DESE will consider Canton to be a School Choice community.
- I. <u>Business Manager's Report</u> Ken Leon will report on business office matters.
- J. <u>Sub-Committee Reports</u>
 - 1. TEC
 - 2. BRC
 - 3. Extra-Curricular
 - 4. Youth Commission
 - Negotiations
- K. Future Business Next Meeting April 5, 2012.
- L. Other Business
- M. Adjournment