

PORTSMOUTH SCHOOL BOARD PUBLIC MEETING FOR MARCH 25, 2014

LITTLE HARBOUR SCHOOL, AMPHITHEATRE

PORTSMOUTH, NH

DATE: TUESDAY, MARCH 25, 2014

TIME: 7:00 [or thereafter]

***NOTICE OF NON-PUBLIC MEETING:** IT IS ANTICIPATED THAT THE PORTSMOUTH SCHOOL BOARD WILL HOLD A NON-PUBLIC SESSION IN ACCORDANCE WITH RSA 91-A:(1) & (3) IN MS. PERIGNEY'S ROOM (ACROSS FROM AMPHITHEATRE) **AT 6:15 PM.**

I. CALL TO ORDER

II. ROLL CALL

III. INVOCATION

IV. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

V. ACCEPTANCE OF MINUTES

- a. MARCH 11, 2014

VI. PUBLIC COMMENT

VII. SPECIAL PRESENTATION: LHS 1st & 3rd GRADE TEACHERS: IMPLEMENTING NH'S COLLEGE AND CAREER READINESS STANDARDS

VIII. SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

a. ITEMS OF INFORMATION

- i. *PARENT'S GUIDE TO NEW ENGLISH LANGUAGE ARTS AND MATHEMATICS ASSESSMENTS IN NEW HAMPSHIRE*, NATIONAL PTA, 2013.
- ii. *UNDERSTANDING THE COMMON CORE STANDARDS: WHAT THEY ARE – WHAT THEY ARE NOT*, NATIONAL SCHOOL BOARDS ASSOCIATION CENTER FOR PUBLIC EDUCATION, OCTOBER 2013.
- iii. *PORTSMOUTH SAFE ROUTES TO SCHOOLS PLAN EXCERPT*, ALTA ENGINEERING, FEBRUARY 2010
- iv. SCHOOL BOARD ACCEPTED MEETING DATES/PROPOSED MEETING DATES

b. CORRESPONDENCE

- i. LETTER OF RESIGNATION, TRISH COX, OUT OF DISTRICT AND TRANSITION COORDINATOR
- ii. MEMO RE SAFETY CONCERN AT DONDERO ELEMENTARY

IX. OLD BUSINESS

- a. WORKSHOP SESSION: COMMON CORE STANDARDS

X. NEW BUSINESS

- a. CONSIDERATION AND APPROVAL OF COOPERATIVE HOCKEY TEAM WITH NEWMARKET
- b. DISCUSSION OF SAFETY IMPROVEMENTS AT DONDERO ELEMENTARY

XI. COMMITTEE REPORTS

- a. JBC

b. FUTURES

XII. FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS

- a. ELEMENTARY / PMS GUIDANCE UPDATE, RESCHEDULED TO FALL, 2014
- b. CAREER & TECHNICAL PROGRAMMING, APRIL 22, 2014
- c. PROFESSIONAL LEARNING COMMUNITIES AT PHS, MAY 27, 2014
- d. ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS FACILITIES REPORTS AND ASSESSMENT, MAY 27, 2014
- e. ART, HEALTH AND PHYSICAL EDUCATION, K-12 PROGRAM, TBD
- f. EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION PROGRAMMING, TBD
- g. RE-EXAMINING ELEMENTARY SCHOOL FOREIGN LANGUAGE, TBD
- h. UPDATE ON SOLAR PROJECT @ PHS, TBD
- i. STRENGTHENING STEM INITIATIVES, TBD

XIII. ADJOURNMENT