

VOLUNTOWN BOARD OF EDUCATION AGENDA

Regular Board Meeting 7:00PM
March 10, 2016

Voluntown Board of Education
Board of Education Meeting Room

- I. Call to Order/Roll Call
- II. Pledge of Allegiance
- III. Consent Agenda

- Approval of Regular Meeting Minutes: February 11, 2016
- Approval of Bills – February 2016
- Function/Object – February 2016
- Food Services Accounts – February 2016
- Correspondence

- IV. Citizen Comments
- V. Guest Speaker:

- VI. Administrative Reports:
 - 1. Principal/Assistant Superintendent of Schools
 - 2. Director of Student Services
 - 3. Superintendent
 - 4. Implementation of Restraint (Protective Hold) Policy #5144.1

- VII. Committee Reports:
 - 1. Indoor Air Quality/Tools for Schools and Safety
 - 2. Youth Services Bureau/Local Prevention Council
 - 3. Curriculum Steering Committee
 - 4. Transportation
 - 5. School Security and Safety Committee
 - 6. School Readiness Council
 - 7. Wellness
 - 8. High School (*Status of 8th grade choices*)
 - 9. Building Committee – Roof Project
 - 10. Solar Panel Project
 - 11. Stairway Committee

- VIII. Old Business
 - 1. Annual Board of Education Goals (*2nd Reading; CT Next Generation Accountability System information*)
 - 2. Faculty and Staff Projections for 2016-2017
 - 3. 2016-2017 Budget Preparation
 - 4. School Calendar for 2016-2017

- IX. New Business
 - 1. Non Renewal of Non-Tenured Teachers
 - 2. 2016-2017 Teacher Evaluation and Professional Learning Plan (*Annual Approval*)
 - 3. 5th Grade Field Trip to Old Sturbridge Village in Massachusetts (*Wednesday, May 18, 2016*)
 - 4. School Readiness Grant for 16/17
 - 5. Assistant Track Coach
 - 6. IDEA Grant for 16/17
 - 7. CIRMA Budget Stabilization Program (*July 1, 2016 – July 1, 2019*)

- X. Suggestions for Next Regular Meeting – April 14, 2016 @ 7:00PM
- XI. Executive Session (*Personnel*)
- XII. Adjournment

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Voluntown Board of Education Mission Statement

The Voluntown Board of Education commits to providing our students the basic skills essential to competent functioning in our society, including their ability to read, write, listen, speak, manipulate basic math concepts, and acquire a general knowledge of science.

It is, therefore, our mission to help our students mature into independent, reasoning, and responsible individuals, who can adapt constructively in an ever-changing, multi-cultural, & technological world. (April 2004)

Public Comment Disclaimer

The Board welcomes public participation and asks that speakers please limit their comments to five minutes. Speakers may offer objective comments of school operations and programs that concern them. To protect the impartiality of the board, we will not permit any expression of personal complaints or defamatory comments about Board of Education personnel and students, nor against any person connected with the Voluntown Public Schools. Such issues should be brought to the school administration. The board will not respond to comments made during public comment, except to clarify issues. When appropriate, district administration will follow-up at a later point in time.