

Voluntown Board of Education Meeting Agenda

January 11, 2024
7:00 p.m. in the Central Office Conference Room

This public meeting will be viewable on the Voluntown School YouTube channel:
<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC3I7dQmnXMxoTINHzaSZ1zw>
Citizens are welcome to attend in person to share their comments.

I. Call to Order / Pledge of Allegiance / Roll Call / Mission Statement / Citizen's Comments

II. Guests: Tracey Hanson, Voluntown Selectwoman (*Safety on Route 138*)

III. Consent Agenda

- Approve Minutes – December 14, 2024
- Approval of Bills - December 2023
- Function/Object - December 2023
- Food Services Accounts - December 2023
- Committee Reports - December 2023

IV. Administrative Reports

1. Principal
2. Director of Student Services
3. Superintendent

V. Old Business

1. Budget Preparation Timeline for 24-25 (*Budget Proposal First Draft*)
2. Federal and State Grants
3. NFA 2025-30 Contract Update
4. 24/25 School Calendar
5. Safety on Route 138
6. Policy and Regulation # 3542.43 – Charging Policy (*2nd reading*)
7. Policy and Regulation # 6142.101 – Wellness (*2nd review*)
8. Policy and Form # 6162.51 – Survey of Students (*4th reading*)

VI. New Business

1. Policy & Form # 6172.3 – Home Schooling (*1st reading*)
2. Personnel (*Para resignation*)
3. Annual Meaningful Notice and 403(b) Vendor List
4. IAQ/TfS/Safety Annual Checklist and Technician HVAC Assessment

VII. Upcoming Meetings

- Special BOE Meeting with Attorney Dan Murphy – Thursday, January 25, 2024 at 7:00 p.m.
- Regular BOE Meeting – Thursday, February 8, 2024 at 7:00 p.m.

VIII. Executive Session (*Discussion in Preparation for the January 25, 2024 Special Board of Education Meeting Regarding Negotiation of Teacher Contracts for the 2024-25 School Year*)

IX. Adjournment

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Voluntown Board of Education Mission Statement

The Voluntown Board of Education's mission is to provide our students the skills essential to reach their highest potential in a safe environment for learning as they aspire to become responsible, respectful, and civic-minded members of society. We commit to help educate, challenge, and inspire each child to excel as lifelong learners who can adapt constructively in an ever-changing, multicultural, and technological world. (August, 2020)

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.