TEWKSBURY SCHOOL COMMITTEE

139 Pleasant Street, Tewksbury, MA 01876

Notice of Meeting #9 - Public Session Wednesday, February 14, 2024 at 5:00 PM <u>Meeting Place:</u> Tewksbury Memorial High School, Large Group Instruction Room 1 (LGI-1) 320 Pleasant Street, Tewksbury, MA 01876 AGENDA

1. Call To Order

- 2. Executive Session Non-Public Session 5:00 PM
 - Approval of January 10, 2024 Executive Session Minutes
 - Collective Bargaining Pertaining to TTA (Teachers) and ESP (Aides) Bargaining Units The School Committee will reconvene in open session after the Executive Session.
- 3. Adjourn into Public Session
- 4. Public Hearing on the FY25 Budget Public Session 6:00 PM
- 5. Reconvene February 14, 2024 School Committee Meeting Public Session 6:30 PM
- 6. Pledge of Allegiance
- 7. Announcement*
- 8. **Recognitions** None
- 9. Student Council Representative Report Rania Elouahi - TMHS Student Council Representative Report on TMHS News & Events

10. Presentations

- a. TPS New IEP Training Update
- b. TMHS 2024-2025 Program of Studies & Project Lead the Way

11. Citizens Forum*

12. Approval Of Minutes

- a. January 3, 2024 Special Meeting
- b. January 10, 2024 Regular Meeting
- c. January 31, 2024 Regular Meeting (Budget)

13. Submission And Payment Of Bills

Payroll Period Ending January 18, 2024, \$1,574,217.40 Payroll Period Ending February 1, 2024, \$1,605,972.69

14. Superintendent & Staff Report

SCHOOL COMMITTEE MEMBERS

Bridget L. Garabedian, Chair <u>bgarabedian@tewksbury.k12.ma.us</u> ~ Kayla Biagioni-Smith, Vice-Chair <u>kbiagioni-smith@tewksbury.k12.ma.us</u> ~ Kaitlyn M. Anderson, Clerk <u>kmanderson@tewksbury.k12.ma.us</u> ~ Nicholas G. Parsons, Member <u>nparsons@tewksbury.k12.ma.us</u> ~ Richard Russo, Jr., Member <u>rrusso@tewksbury.k12.ma.us</u> Superintendent of Schools - Brenda Theriault-Regan <u>bregan@tewksbury.k12.ma.us</u>

15. Consent Agenda*

16. School Committee Member Reports

Tewksbury SEPAC Wellness Advisory Committee Policy Sub-Committee

17. Policy Changes, Proposals, And Adoption - None

18. Old Business

- a. 2023-2024 Register Periods for Grades 1-4 Update
- b. 2024-2025 School Calendar & Legend
- c. School Committee Goals Update

19. New Business

- a. 2024-2025 Program of Studies
- b. 2023 District Report Card

20. New School Committee Matters Of Interest

21. 2023 Future School Committee Meeting Dates

March 13th: Public Hearing on the Budget & Regular Mtg; April 10th: Regular Mtg; May 1st: Regular Meeting May 6th: Annual Town Mtg & May 8th: Special Town Meeting/Annual Town Mtg Reconvened (School Committee will be in attendance); May 22, 2024: Regular Meeting

22. 2023 Future Sub-Committee & Advisory Committee Meeting Dates

TSEPAC Business Meeting: February 15, 2024; Wellness Advisory Committee: April 3, 2024 Policy Sub-Committee: TBD

23. Future Agenda Items

24. Adjournment

*ANNOUNCEMENT: The February 14, 2024 Regular School Committee Meeting will be televised and recorded and may be viewed live on Comcast Channel 22 and Verizon Channel 34 or YouTube.com/TewksburyTV. Under the Open Meeting Law, the public is permitted to make an audio or video recording of an open session at a public meeting. At this time, I would ask if anyone is recording tonight's meeting to please identify himself or herself.

**PUBLIC COMMENT:* Speakers will be allowed three (3) minutes to present their material. Large groups addressing the same topic are encouraged to consolidate their remarks and/or select a spokesperson to speak on the groups' behalf. If you require accommodations on the basis of a disability or require language interpretation assistance please notify the Superintendent's office in advance of the meeting date.

Consent Agenda*

Correspondence

- a. Wynn Middle School & TMHS Drama Programs 2024 Out-of-State Field Trip Update
- b. Wynn Middle School After School Academic Support Teachers Needed
- c. TMHS After School Academic Support & Credit Recovery Program Teachers Needed
- d. A Course in Collaboration (TMHS Course Introduction to Criminal Justice)
- e. 2024 Annual Ginsburg Family Award Nomination Form
- f. 2024 Annual Krissy Polimeno Outstanding Educator Award Nomination Form
- g. National School Counseling Week (2/5-2/9)
- h. Closings, Delays & Emergencies (Inclement Weather Procedures)

Personnel Items

<u>New Hires</u> - Tina Tyder, 12-month Secretary at the John Wynn Middle School, effective January 16, 2024; Alisa Zuka, District-wide Speech & Language Pathologist assigned to the elementary grades, effective February 5, 2024; Ashley Nogueira, Education Support Personnel at the Heath Brook School, effective February 26, 2024; Ryan Cunningham, Building Custodian at the Center Elementary School, effective February 8, 2024

Reappointments - None

<u>Retirements</u> - Lori Hyland, Grade 3 Teacher at the Center Elementary School, effective June 30, 2024; Janet Gordon, Science Teacher at Tewksbury Memorial High School, effective June 30, 2024

Transfers - None

Appendix B 2023-2024 Co-Curricular Activities

Wynn Middle School Kellyn Welch, Literary Magazine Lauren Nastari, Newspaper Destiny Callahan, Assistant Drama Coach

Appendix B TMHS Athletics

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Acceptance of Grants - None

<u>Acceptance of Donations</u> - Donation of laptops and computer equipment (valued at \$600) from the Tuttle Family to the Wynn Middle School for a STEM classroom; Global Partners and ExxonMobil Educational Alliance Program Grant Awarded to the John Ryan Elementary STEM Program in the amount of \$500.

Raffles - None