Falmouth Public Schools

School Committee Agenda
July 28, 2020
REMOTE ACCESS Meeting (Zoom Webinar)
SC RETREAT 4:00 PM – 6:00 PM
Break 6:00 PM – 6:30 PM
6:30 PM Public Meeting: Administration Building, 340 Teaticket Highway, East Falmouth, MA
8:00 PM Executive Session

Lori Duerr, Superintendent of Schools
School Committee Members: Kelly Welch, Chair, Natalie Kanellopoulos, Vice-Chair, Melissa Keefe, Secretary, Terri Medeiros, Bill Rider, John Furnari, Andrea Thorrold, Lisa E. Hart and Leah Palmer

FPS Mission: The Falmouth Public Schools creates world-class student learning experiences. Our Clippers are empowered to pursue their goals with curiosity, integrity, and resiliency.

FPS Vision: Clippers are creative, inquisitive, and engaged learners who participate in their community as socially responsible citizens. Clippers effectively communicate and solve problems that impact the world around them.

4:00 PM – 6:00 PM OPEN Meeting - School Committee Retreat

Per Governor Baker’s order suspending certain provisions of the Open Meeting Law, G.L.c.30A Sec.20, the public will not be allowed to physically access this School Committee Meeting but can be viewed live on:

July 28, 2020 4:00 PM Eastern Time (US and Canada)
Please click the link below to join the webinar:
https://zoom.us/j/94298218182?pwd=d0x4ejRmK01iaGhMbXBkVkJNeEd0q0Zz09
Passcode: 9vUs5y

The meeting will also be lived streamed on Channel 14.
A recording of this meeting can be viewed on You Tube at:

6:00 PM- 6:30 PM Break

6:30 PM RE-OPEN Public Meeting

6:35 PM PUBLIC COMMENT
Please limit comments to two minutes per individual to items not on this meeting agenda. There will be no debate or action taken on public comment items. The Committee will take items under advisement or the individual may request an item to be placed on a future agenda.

6:40 PM UPDATE from Falmouth Health Department Agent, Scott McGann

6:50 PM REVIEW of Preliminary Reopening Schools Plan
7:20 PM DISCUSS and ACT on Resolution: COVID 19 State Funding

7:25 PM DISCUSS and ACT on Resolution: School Committee Anti-Racism

7:30 PM FIRST READ Student Handbooks

7:40 PM ACT on School Committee Meeting Date Change: Move August 11, 2020 to August 6, 2020

7:45 PM ACT on Releasing the Executive Session Minutes of March 10, 2020

7:50 PM Conduct Routine Business
   1. Approve Minutes July 14, 2020

7:55 PM Report from the Chair and Committee Member Report

8:00 PM MOVE into EXECUTIVE SESSION to conduct strategy in preparation for negotiations with nonunion personnel (Superintendent). It is anticipated that the School Committee will NOT return to open session.