

**MARION SCHOOL COMMITTEE MEETING
MARION PUBLIC SCHOOLS
Marion, Massachusetts**

**January 25, 2023
SPECIAL MEETING MINUTES
16 Spring Street, Marion, MA 02738**

Special meeting of the Marion School Committee was held on Wednesday, January 25, 2023 and called to order by Chairperson Nye, at 12:02 p.m.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE MEMBERS PRESENT: April Nye, Chairperson, Nichole Nye McGaffey, Nichole Daniel and Michelle Smith (all remote).

SCHOOL COMMITTEE MEMBERS ABSENT: Mary Beauregard.

OTHERS PRESENT: Michael S. Nelson, Superintendent of Schools, Marla Sirois, Principal, Melissa Wilcox, Recording Secretary

Meeting was called to order at 12:02 p.m.

Chairperson Nye read the following statement: *This meeting will be conducted in a hybrid format. School Committee, Administrators and the public will have the option of meeting in person at the Community Room of the Sippican School located at 16 Spring Street, Marion, MA 02738 or via zoom.*

IV. General

A. Approval of Donations

Superintendent Nelson reported a donation from the Marion Scholarship Committee of \$375 for One Book One School, \$1,000 for Vocabulary Day and \$300 towards Anchor.

MOTION: by Ms. Nye McGaffey to approve the Marion Scholarship Committee donations as described

SECONDED: Ms. Smith

MOTION PASSED 4:0 (Role call: Ms. Smith: yes, Ms. Daniel: yes, Ms. Nye McGaffey: yes, Ms. Nye: yes)

Superintendent Nelson reported a donation of \$2,273.80 from Art to Remember for the art fundraiser held at Sippican School. Principal Sirois stated some of the funds will be used for the Arts in Action program that will be taking place this spring.

MOTION: by Ms. Smith to approve the donation as described

SECONDED: Ms. Daniel

MOTION PASSED 4:0 (Role call: Ms. Smith: yes, Ms. Daniel: yes, Ms. Nye McGaffey: yes, Ms. Nye: yes)

Superintendent Nelson reported that he would extend his gratitude to both organizations. Chairperson Nye thanked both organizations for their generosity.

ADJOURN

MOTION: by Ms. Smith to adjourn at 12:07 p.m.

SECONDED: Ms. Nye McGaffey

MOTION PASSED 4:0 (Role call: Ms. Smith: yes, Ms. Daniel: yes, Ms. Nye McGaffey: yes, Ms. Nye: yes)

**Respectfully Submitted,
Melissa Wilcox**

MARION PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Marion, Massachusetts

TO: Town Clerk, Town of Marion, Massachusetts
DATE: January 19, 2023
SUBJECT: Meeting Notice

Pursuant to Chapter 30A of the Massachusetts General Laws, you are notified of the following SPECIAL meeting of the **MARION SCHOOL COMMITTEE**.

Wednesday, January 25, 2023 at 12:00 p.m.

This meeting will be conducted in a hybrid format. School Committee and Administrators will have the option of meeting in person at the Superintendent's Office Conference Room located at 135 Marion Road, Mattapoisett, MA 02739 or via zoom. Public Access is available through zoom only through the link below.

If you need more information about this meeting, please feel free to call 508-758-2772 ext. 1956.

Respectfully submitted,

Melissa Wilcox, Executive Assistant to the Superintendent

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ZOOM LINK:

<https://oldrochester-org.zoom.us/j/95646152522?pwd=OFZoS2ZPOUVPWEIPeXpoVUoxc0lodz09>

Meeting ID: 956 4615 2522

Passcode: 578363

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TIME: 12:00 p.m.

MEETING TO ORDER

RECOGNITION PRESENTATION

- I. Approval of Minutes
 - A. Minutes
 - 1. Regular Minutes: None
 - 2. Executive Session Minutes: None
- II. Consent Agenda
- III. Agenda Items Pending
- IV. **General**
 - A. **Approval of Donations**
- V. New Business
 - A. Policy Review
 - B. Curriculum
 - C. Business
 - 1. Financial Report
 - a. Revolving Account Balances
 - 2. Food Service Report
 - 3. Facilities Report
 - 4. Budget Transfers
 - D. Personnel
- VI. Special Report
- VII. Unfinished Business

CHAIRPERSON'S REPORT

CENTRAL OFFICE ADMINISTRATORS REPORT

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

VIII. School Committee

- A. Committee Reports
 - 1. Budget Subcommittee
 - 2. Building Committee
 - 3. ORR District School Committee
 - 4. SMEC
 - 5. Early Childhood Council
 - 6. READS
 - 7. Tri-Town Education Foundation
 - 8. Policy Sub-Committee
 - 9. School Council
 - 10. Equity Sub-Committee
- B. School Committee Re-Organization
- C. School Committee Goals

IX. Future Business

- A. Timeline
- B. Future Agenda Items

X. Open Comments

XI. Information Items

XII. Executive Session

ADJOURNMENT