





## NORTH MIDDLESEX REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT SCHOOL COMMITTEE Ashby - Pepperell - Townsend, Massachusetts

## SCHOOL COMMITTEE MEETING

Date of Meeting: November 14, 2024 Time of Meeting: 6:00 p.m.

Day of the Week: Thursday

Location: Room #120, North Middlesex Regional High School, 19 Main Street, Townsend, MA 01469

IMPORTANT: Use Door #3, located on the Main Street side of the high school, for access to LGI Room #120.

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## **AGENDA**

- The Chairperson hereby informs the Committee and audience members of the recording of the meeting.
- ➤ Roll Call
- The next scheduled meeting of the North Middlesex Regional School Committee will be held in-person at 6:00 p.m. on Thursday, December 12, 2024.

6:00	CONSENT AGENDA – VOTES MAY BE TAKEN	ACTION
	Approval of Minutes	
	October 23, 2024	
	Accounts Payable Warrants:	
	<ul> <li>25 1023 \$2,065,858.00</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>25 1024 \$ 688,011.84</li> </ul>	
	<ul><li>25 1031 \$ 248,891.24</li></ul>	
	<ul> <li>25 1107 \$ 582,033.77</li> </ul>	

OUR MISSION: At NM, we are committed to creating a diverse learning environment where students are provided a meaningful education through academic, social, and emotional learning experiences. Together with parents, caregivers, and the community, students are encouraged to ignite and embrace their individual potential to find success within NM and beyond.

	Payroll Warrants	
	Payroll Warrants:  • October 24, 2024	
	• November 7, 2024	
	Disposal of Surplus:	
	• None	
	Donations:	
	• \$443.10 from Red Brick Clothing LLC from Fall Spirit Wear campaign	
	• \$60.48 royalty donation to NMRHS from Ohiopyle Prints, Inc.	
	<ul> <li>*\$1,302.82 to NMRHS from O'Connor Studios</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>*\$895 to SMS from NMRHS students for adaptive swing set for students</li> </ul>	
	Suggested motion: Move that the School Committee approve the consent agenda as presented.	
6:15	PUBLIC COMMUNICATIONS	
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	Public comment is welcomed and encouraged. Those wishing to participate in  Public comment must be present at the meeting. To register, places click HERE or	
	public comment must be present at the meeting. To register, please click HERE or	
	visit our website. Registrations must be submitted by <b>4:00 p.m. on Thursday,</b>	
	November 14, 2024.	
	If you are unable to attend, you may submit a written statement via email to the	
	Chairperson at info@nmrsd.org. Your statement will be read aloud during the	
	public comment portion of the meeting.	
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6:20	REPORTS/INFORMATION ITEMS	UPDATE
	1. Student Representative's Report – M. Southard-Pantano	
	2. Chairperson's Report – L. Martin	
	3. Superintendent's Report – B. Morgan	
6:35	NEW BUSINESS/GENERAL DISCUSSION – VOTES MAY BE TAKEN	ACTION
	1. NMRSD School Committee Goals 2024-2025 – L. Martin	
	Suggested motioned: Move that the School Committee vote and approve the 2024-2025	
	School Committee Goals as presented.	
	2. Superintendent Goals 2024-2025 – B. Morgan	
	Suggested motioned: Move that the School Committee vote and approve the	
	Superintendent's 2024-2025 Superintendent Goals as presented.	
	3. School Choice Funds – B. Morgan	
	Suggested motioned: Move that the School Committee vote to approve the allocation of	
	School Choice funds to fully pay off the outstanding balance on the turf field.	
6:50	OLD BUSINESS – VOTES MAY BE TAKEN	ACTION
	1. FY26 Budget	
7:00	SUBCOMMITTEE REPORTS – VOTES MAY BE TAKEN	ACTION
	1. Ashby Elementary Building – J. McNeil	
	2. Accelerated Repairs and Building – L. Martin	
	3. Finance – W. Hackler	
	4. Policy – R. Rusch	
	1. IIB Class Size	
	2. IJ Instructional Materials	
	3. IJL Library Materials Selection and Adoption	
	Suggested motion: Move that the School Committee adopt policy IIB, IJ, and IJL as	
	presented.	
	5. Warrant – P. McPhillips	
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	6. Negotiation & Personnel Teachers – L. Martin	
	7. Negotiation & Personnel Non-Teachers – R. Rusch	
	8. Community Outreach & Town Liaisons	
	<ul> <li>Ashby – J. McNeil</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>Pepperell – L. Martin/P. McPhillips</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>Townsend – W. Hackler</li> </ul>	
7:20	FINAL DISCUSSION POINTS & CONCLUSIONS	
7:25	OTHER BUSINESS NOT REASONABLY ANTICIPATED WITHIN 48 HOURS OF MEETING	ACTION
7:30	ADJOURNMENT	ACTION
	NOTE: The listing of matters is those reasonably anticipated by the Chair, which may be	
	discussed at the meeting. Not all items listed may be discussed and other items not listed	
	may also be brought up for discussion to the extent permitted by law.	

<sup>\*</sup> Updated Agenda Posted: November 12, 2024 @ 3:00 p.m. Agenda Posted: November 6, 2024 @ 3:00 p.m.