

Greater Fall River Vocational School District Diman Regional Vocational Technical High School

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There will be a regular meeting of the **Greater Fall River Vocational School District Committee** on **Thursday, December 12, 2024 at 5:30 p.m.** in the **District Office Conference Room**, 251 Stonehaven Road, Fall River, Massachusetts.

Real-time public comment can be addressed to the School Committee using the Zoom link below. All public comment participants wishing to participate through Zoom will be muted until called upon by the Chair. Participants will be called in chronological order based on sign up. Please see item 1.5 below to request public comment. ***Public comments will be limited to 3 minutes.**

For public viewing, please visit:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86508015154?pwd=fFLQaa5uSJgbuEobqeC0Mf41sWR0CG.1>

Passcode: 104518

AGENDA

1.0 CALL TO ORDER

- 1.1 Roll Call
- 1.2 Pledge of Allegiance
- 1.3 Approval of November 7, 2024 Minutes
- 1.4 Student Report – Abigail “Ace” Wittkamper
- 1.5 Citizens Input as it Relates to Agenda Items Only in Accordance with District Policy

Citizens Input will be allowed pursuant to the District’s Public Comment Policy and shall be limited to specific agenda items only. For purposes of clarification, and also in accordance with paragraph 1 of the referenced policy, public input will consist of ten (10) individuals who will each be given three (3) minutes to speak. Requests to speak are to be made in writing prior to the scheduled meeting by notifying the Committee in writing and providing the specific agenda item to be discussed. The first ten (10) requesters will be given the opportunity to speak. Please note that there will be no additional sign-up sheet at the scheduled meeting.

2.0 UNFINISHED BUSINESS

- 2.1 None

3.0 NEW BUSINESS

3.1 Other Matters

a) MSBA School Building Committee

- Discussion and Possible Revision of School Building Committee – vote if necessary
- Discussion and Approval of Guaranteed Maximum Price (GMP) – vote if necessary
- Project Update
- MSBA Project Expenditures – vote if necessary
 - Colliers
 - Kaestle Boos
 - Suffolk

b) Personnel

- Appointments
 - Melanie Amaral, Long Term Medical Assisting Instructor
 - Amy Biddle, Extended School Day Program Special Education Teacher
 - Christine DeMelo, Early Morning Intramural Monitor
 - Nathaniel Dupere, Varsity Ice Hockey Assistant Coach
 - William Kenney, Long Term History and Foreign Language Instructor
 - Rachel Resendes, Community Engagement Specialist
 - James Riley, Long Term Substitute - Library
 - Aaron Soares, Early Morning Intramural Monitor
 - Priscilla Wicks, Key Club Co-Advisor
 - Tutors
 - Amy Biddle, ELA
 - Mindy Gauthier, US History II
 - Christopher McGovern, Culinary Arts
 - Amanda Pedersen, Biology II
 - Wilson Valente, Geometry
- Resignations
 - Elaine Murray, Administrative Assistant
 - Katie Pereira, Cafeteria Worker
- Advisory Board Appointments – vote if necessary
 - Cameron Bell, Culinary Arts
 - James Marzilli, Advanced Manufacturing
 - Manuel Silva, Building and Property Maintenance

c) Student Travel Requests – vote if necessary

d) Request to Establish Scholarships – vote if necessary

- The Dylan Quinn Vocational Scholarship
- The George “Sneaker” McDonald Scholarship

e) Acceptance of Gifts – vote if necessary

f) Request to Establish a Student Activities Club – vote if necessary

g) Professional Development Proposal – vote if necessary

- h) Monthly Financial Report
- i) Expenditures – vote if necessary
- j) Transfer of Funds – vote if necessary
- k) LPN Sub-Committee Report – vote if necessary
- l) Policy Sub-Committee Report – vote if necessary
 - ADF – Wellness Policy
 - IHCDA – Dual Enrollment

- m) Housebuilding Sub-Committee Report– vote if necessary
 - Community Projects Update
 - 24/25 Housebuilding Program Update
 - 25/26 Housebuilding Program

- n) Superintendent’s Report
- o) Calendar of Events
- p) Other Items not reasonably anticipated 48 hours prior to the meeting

3.2 Correspondence – None

3.3 Next Meeting: January 9, 2025

3.4 Executive Session:

a. Approval of November 7, 2024 Minutes

b. Pursuant to M.G.L. c. 30A, §21(a), paragraph 3, to discuss strategy with respect to collective bargaining or litigation if an open meeting may have a detrimental effect on the bargaining or litigating position of the public body and the chair so declares: *DAA & DTA Negotiations*

3.5 Adjournment

Respectfully submitted,
Helena S. Neves
Helena S. Neves, Executive Secretary