



Canton School Committee
Open Meeting Agenda
Amended 3/23/23

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Table with 3 columns: Date (March 23, 2023), Location (Canton High School, 900 Washington Street, Canton, MA 02021, Distance Learning Lab), and Time (4:30 PM Workshop - CHS Library, 6:00 PM Open Session - DLL)

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- A. Call to Order
B. (5 min.) Honor School Committee Member Nichola Gallagher
C. (5 min.) Student Advisor Report Ms. Viviana Truglia will share the student member report about JFK events.
D. (10 min.) Superintendent's Report Superintendent Folan will present District progress, highlights, and accolades.
E. (15 min.) Public Hearings
1. Public Hearing On School Choice for the School Year 2023-2024 (VOTE): There will be a Public Hearing to withdraw from School Choice for the year 2023-2024 according to Chapter 76, Section 12B, of the Massachusetts General Laws. All interested persons shall be given the opportunity to be heard.
2. FY24 Budget Public Hearing: There will be a public hearing on the topic of the School Committee FY24 budget, consistent with the provisions of Chapter 71, Section 38N of the Massachusetts General Laws. All interested persons shall be given an opportunity to be heard.
a. FY24 Operating Budget (VOTE): Mr. Marshall will present the FY24 Operating Budget for a vote of approval.
F. (20 min.) Teaching and Learning Report Principal Brauningger will share Hansen points of pride.
G. New Business
1. (10 min.) Hansen CAPT Honors: Member(s) of Hansen CAPT will present highlights of their work and discuss current and anticipated volunteer opportunities.
2. (5 min.) Special Education Reserve (VOTE): Mr. Marshall will request a vote of approval to withdraw funds from the Special Education Reserve Account.
3. (5 min.) MSBA Update: Superintendent Folan will provide an MSBA Update.
H. (5-30 min.) Public Comment Please click here to sign up to make a public comment. Public comment allows individuals to express an opinion or share a comment on issues to be discussed on the meeting agenda and/or within the School Committee's authority. It is not an opportunity for discussion dialogue between individuals and the School Committee or Administration. To respect the time of all participants in the meeting, the totality of individual comments cannot exceed 5 minutes. For more information and guidance on making public comments, please see the CPS policy here.
I. (10 min.) Director of Finance and Operations Report
J. (5 min.) Consent Agenda The consent agenda is designed to expedite the District's handling of routine and miscellaneous business. The School Committee may adopt the entire Consent Agenda with one motion. At the request of any committee member, any item(s) may be removed and placed on the Regular Agenda for discussion. Note: per Robert's Rules of Order: A member's absence from the meeting for which minutes are being approved does not prevent the member from participating in their correction or approval.

- 1. Regular Session Minutes: February 16, 2023, March 6, 2023, March 9, 2023

2. Executive Session Negotiations Subcommittee Minutes: March 9, 2023
3. Scholarship Approval: Silversmith Youth Theatre Scholarship
4. Warrant: March 24, 2023

K. (5 min.) Update of Sub-Committee, Task Force and Liaison Posts *In addition to the core role of governing our schools, the Canton School Committee creates, participates in, and/or designates representatives to help manage issues of particular importance to the school district or town. They are listed below for reference in order to prompt priority updates from or questions of representatives as relevant.*

1. Subcommittees and Negotiation Teams - Policy, Budget and Finance, Units A&E Contracts, AFSCME Units Contract
2. School Committee Ad Hoc Task Forces/CPS Advisory Committees - Content and Communications, District Planning Process Design, Superintendent Evaluation Process Design
3. Liaisons Appointed to Positions on Joint Committees - Master Planning Implementation Committee (MPIC), Canton Community Preservation Committee (CCPC), Building and Renovations Committee (BRC), Canton Diversity Equity and Inclusion (CDEI), Paul Revere Heritage Commission, Sustainability, Health Insurance Advisory Committee (HIC), Canton Alliance Against Substance Abuse (CAASA), Canton COVID Working Group, CPS Wellness/SWAG, GMS MSBA Building Committee, Student Advisory Committee
4. Liaisons to CPS or Town Boards, Committees, and Municipally-Governed Groups - Annual Town Meeting Prep Committee, Select Board, Town Finance Committee, Capital Planning
5. Liaisons to Groups Serving Canton Public Schools - CAPE, CAPT, Student Advisory Committee
6. Liaisons to Regional Organizations - Teaching Education Collaborative (TEC), Massachusetts Association of School Committees (MASC)

L. Other Business Topics not reasonably anticipated 48 hours in advance of the meeting.

M. Future Business The next Open Session meeting is scheduled for Thursday, April 6, 2023, @ 6:00 pm.

N. Adjournment

The listing of matters above are those reasonably anticipated by the Chair, which may be discussed at the meeting.
Not all items listed may in fact be discussed and other items not listed may also be brought up for discussion to the extent permitted by law.