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Dracut School Committee Goals
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Goal: *The School Committee will continue its advocacy for increasing annual Net School Spending towards the state average as well as Capital needs with relevant town boards.*

Key Actions/Benchmarks:

- Develop a schedule of meetings with relevant boards (including community input opportunities)
- Collaborate with various boards related to specific projects/issues
- Maintain open lines of communication with town boards

Goal: *Via the Joint Education Subcommittee, the School Committee will actively engage with the Board of Selectmen regarding short, medium and long-term needs that are vital to the success of the district specifically and the town generally, in attracting and retaining families and businesses.*

Key Actions/Benchmarks:

- Review and potentially revise the Joint Education Subcommittee charter
- Identify and establish goals for the subcommittee
- Establish specific dates of meetings for the remainder of the fiscal year
- Consider developing a narrative that addresses a cost/benefit rationale in support of attracting families and businesses to Dracut and the Dracut Public Schools

Goal: *Recognizing the beneficial impact of social and emotional learning on all aspects of interpersonal relationships, the Committee will annually discuss various aspects of the district's social and emotional programming.*

Key Actions/Benchmarks:

- Annually discuss ongoing programming efforts
- Annually review data related to all aspects of the district's social emotional program

The Town of Dracut is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer

Goal: *Given the importance of providing students and educators with 21st-century school facilities, the School Committee will continue its advocacy for the Campbell Elementary School building project.*

Key Actions/Benchmarks:

- Speaking publicly in various settings regarding the importance of the ongoing feasibility study
- Individual members belonging to related subcommittees will participate in relevant meetings and processes

Goal: *The School Committee will continue its efforts to enhance its relationship with the community.*

Key Actions/Benchmarks:

- Create opportunities for community interaction with the board
- Maintain a meeting schedule of opportunities for Committee members to interact with members of the community
- Attend PTO/Booster meetings and other school events throughout the school year