

ROCHESTER SCHOOL BOARD
REGULAR SCHOOL BOARD MEETING
CITY COUNCIL CHAMBERS
AUGUST 8, 2024

The School Board will hold an in-person Non Public and Public Session:

on: **Thursday, August 8, 2024**
at: **7:00 PM**
in: **City Council Chambers**

ORDER OF BUSINESS

- A. Call to Order**
- B. Pledge of Allegiance**
- C. General Business Items taken in Non-Public Session**
- D. Reading of Records of the Previous Meetings:** Regular School Board meeting of July 11, 2024 and Special School Board meeting of July 25, 2024.
 - a. Approval of Minutes - July 11, 2024
 - b. Approval of Minutes July 18, 2024
 - c. Approval of Minutes - July 25, 2024
- E. Report of the Superintendent**
 - a. Recognitions
 - b. Visionary Pathways: The Superintendent's Report on the Strategic Plan
 - i. Strategic Plan
- F. Public Comment** - *Publicly communicating false statements about people that defame them could subject the speaker to both criminal and civil liability in the state of New Hampshire. In that vein, statements made at public input or at public hearings are not immune from potential consequences for their words. Furthermore, the fact that the public body does not prevent these statements from being made does not excuse or endorse those statements; it just means that the public body, in this case the School Board, both recognizes and respects the right to free speech enshrined in the First Amendment to our Constitution.*

G. Standing Committees' Reports

- a. Personnel Committee
 - i. The Committee approved retirements, resignations, and nominations.
- b. Policy Committee
 - i. Review of the July 18, 2024 meeting
 - 1. The Committee recommends the first reading of the following policies:
 - a. Po-8.1 - Voluntary Transfer of Students to Schools
 - i. Back Up
 - b. Po-8.2 - Board Committees and Structures
 - i. Back-up
- c. Special Services Committee
 - i. Review of the July 18, 2024 special meeting.
 - 1. The Committee recommends accepting the three parent requests.
 - 2. The Committee rejects the fourth parent request.
- d. Building Committee
 - i. Review of the August 1 meeting
- e. Finance Committee
 - i. Review of the August 1 meeting
 - 1. Substitute Daily Rate
 - a. Back-up

H. General Business

- a. Administration
 - i. Po-8.3 - Title IX Policies
 - 1. AC
 - 2. AC-R - New
 - 3. ACA - New
 - 4. ACN
 - 5. IHBCA - New
- b. Personnel
 - i. P-8.1 - New Hires link
- c. Finance
 - i. F-8.1 - Athletic Director and Middle School Athletic Coordinator
 - 1. Back-up

I. Other

J. Adjournment

MEMO TO: Rochester School Board
FROM: Personnel Committee
SUBJECT: School Board Meeting Addendum
MEETING DATE: August 8, 2024

1. Nominations

Aylssa Higbie
Melissa Melnik

Grade 5 Teacher Chamberlain
Grade 4 Teacher WAS