

CITY OF HOLYOKE
SCHOOL COMMITTEE

SCHOOL COMMITTEE AGENDA

DATE: MONDAY, NOVEMBER 15, 2010
TIME: 6:15 PM
LOCATION: Fifield Community Room Dean Technical High School, 1045 Main Street

1. **CALL TO ORDER ~ ROLL CALL ~ PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

2. **PUBLIC DISCUSSION***

3. **COMMUNICATIONS & REPORTS**
 - a. **Student Reports**
 - b. **Superintendent's Communications:**

4. **NEW BUSINESS**
 - a. **Minutes of Meetings**
 - Special Meeting of October 25, 2010 (pages 1-5)
RECOMMENDATION: That the School Committee vote to approve the minutes.
 - b. **Reports of Committees**
 - Rules-Policies Subcommittee of October 13, 2010 (pages 6-7)
RECOMMENDATION: That the School Committee vote to approve the minutes (motions acted upon at November 2, 2009 meeting).
 - c. **School Building Advisory Committee Minutes**
 - September 15, 2010 (pages 8-12)
 - August 25, 2010 (pages 13-16)
 - August 10, 2010 (pages 17-19)
 - July 14, 2010 (pages 20-22)
 - June 30, 2010 (pages 23-25)
 - June 16, 2010 (page 26)
 - d. **Holyoke Food and Fitness Policy Council** (page 27)
 - e. **Peck Parents United in Action (P-PUA) Petition for School Uniforms** (page 28)
 - f. **Peck Parents United in Action (P-PUA) Petition for School Bus**
 - g. **Health Services Expansion/HRSA Grant** (pages 29-31)
 - h. **Comfort Care/Do Not Resuscitate Orders in the School Setting** (pages 32-34)

RECOMMENDATION: That the School Committee vote to refer to Comfort Care/do Not Resuscitate orders in the School Setting to Rules-Policies.

i. **Travel Requests** (pages 35-40)

RECOMMENDATION: That the School Committee vote to approve the travel requests.

5. **OLD BUSINESS**

a. **Food Service Contract Bids** (update)

b. **School Physician/Medical Advisor Posting** (pages 41-42)

RECOMMENDATION: That the School Committee vote to post the position of School Physician/Medical Advisor.

c. **Update on Statements of Interest for McMahan and HHS Science Wing Projects** (verbal)

6. **PERSONNEL**

a. **Appointments** (pages 43-45)

RECOMMENDATION: That the School Committee vote to receive the appointments.

b. **Retirements** (page 46)

RECOMMENDATION: That the School Committee vote to receive the retirements.

c. **Resignations** (page 47)

RECOMMENDATION: That the School Committee vote to receive the resignations.

7. **ANNOUNCEMENTS & ADJOURNMENT**

The listing of matters 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.

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