

ACTON PUBLIC SCHOOL COMMITTEE MEETING

Cafetorium
Gates School

March 15, 2012
7:00 p.m.

AGENDA

- 1.0 CALL TO ORDER
- 2.0 CHAIRPERSON'S INTRODUCTION
- 3.0 STATEMENT OF WARRANT
- 4.0 APPROVAL OF MINUTES
 - 4.1 APS SC February 16, 2012 (*addendum*)
- 5.0 PUBLIC PARTICIPATION
- 6.0 EDUCATION REPORT – *Lynne Newman, Principal, Gates School*
- 7.0 APS SCHOOL COMMITTEE BUSINESS
 - 7.1 Health Insurance Plan Design Working Group– *Marie Altieri (oral)*
 - 7.2 Acton Health Insurance Trust Report – *John Petersen (oral)*
 - 7.3 FY'13 Budget
 - 7.3.1 ALG Report – *Xuan Kong*
 - 7.3.1.1 Materials from 3/8/12 meeting
 - 7.3.1.2 Revised ALG spreadsheet, post meeting
 - 7.3.2 Acton Finance Committee Report – *Xuan Kong*
 - 7.3.2.1 *Meeting on 3/6/12 (oral)*
 - 7.3.3 Classroom Assistants
 - 7.3.3.1 Before/After School Program Review – *Steve Mills*
 - 7.3.3.2 Letters of Support from PTO/PTSO Co-Chairs
 - 7.4 FY'12 Budget, 2nd Quarter Report – *Don Aicardi*
 - 7.5 Policy Update
 - 7.5.1 Revision: Assignment of Elementary Students from Other Schools File: JCAC –
SECOND READING - VOTE – *Marie Altieri*
 - 7.5.1.1 Proposed Policy Revision with changes from First Reading
 - 7.5.1.2 Current Policy
 - 7.6 Kindergarten Registration Update – *Marie Altieri (will bring to meeting)*
 - 7.7 Acton Students attending Blanchard – *Marie Altieri (oral)*
 - 7.8 APS SC statement regarding Regional District Study – *Mike Coppolino (oral)*
 - 7.9 Recommendation to Approve Gift to Gates School from Community Education Math Olympiad– **VOTE** – *Steve Mills (addendum)*
- 8.0 FOR YOUR INFORMATION
 - 8.1 Pupil Services
 - 8.1.1 ELL Student Enrollment Report – March 1
 - 8.2 FY'12 Monthly APS Financial Reports
 - 8.3 Student Enrollment Numbers/Class Size Info – March 1 (*addendum*)
 - 8.4 Coordinated Program Review: Conant School in compliance (*oral*)

Materials for this meeting are posted at <http://ab.mec.edu/about/meetings.shtml>

- 8.5 Correspondence from the Community (*none*)
- 8.6 Town Elections – *Mike Coppolino (oral)*
Acton election is March 27th. 3 School Committee candidates running for 2 seats:
Dennis Bruce, Adria Cohen, Deanne O’Sullivan
- 8.7 School Newsletters
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| Conant Crier: | http://conant.ab.mec.edu/pto/newsletter.html |
| Douglas Digest: | http://douglas.ab.mec.edu/pto/digest.html |
| Gates Gazette: | http://gatesschoolpto.org/gazette |
| McCarthy-Towne Bulletin: | http://www.mctptso.org/bulletin/ |
| Merriam Comm News: | http://www.merriampto.org/Merriam |
| Acton Public School Preschool: | http://ab.mec.edu/Preschool/index.htm |
- 8.8 “Pledge” Case update (if needed)
- 8.9 Acton Town Meeting Warrant Articles (*addendum*)
- 8.10 Spring Community Education Catalogue is posted at
<http://comed.ab.mec.edu/pdf/Website%20catalog%20spring%2012.pdf>

9.0 NEXT MEETINGS

- March 22, 7:30 pm JT SC at R.J. Grey Junior High School Library
April 2, 6:00 pm JT SC at ABRHS (pre Town Meeting, if needed)
April 3, 6:00 pm JT SC at ABRHS (pre Town Meeting, if needed)
May 3, 7:30 pm AB SC at R.J. Grey Junior High Library
May 17, 7:00 pm APS SC at Conant School

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