

VOLUNTOWN BOARD OF EDUCATION ----- AGENDA

Regular Board of Education Meeting
May 9, 2013

Voluntown Board of Education
Board of Education Meeting Room at 7:00PM

I. Call to Order/Roll Call

II. Pledge of Allegiance

III. Consent Agenda

- Approval of 4-11-13 Minutes
- Approval of Bills – April 2013
- Function/Object & Transfer Report – April 2013
- Food Services Accounts – April 2013
- Correspondence

IV. Citizen Comments

V. Guest Speakers: *Jim Ward – Technology Infrastructure Update*

VI. Administrative Reports:

1. Principal
2. Director of Special Education
3. Superintendent

VII. Committee Reports

1. Tools for Schools
2. Youth Service Bureau/Local Prevention Council
3. Wellness
4. School Climate Plan
5. School Readiness Council (*Authorization to submit the 13-14 School Readiness Grant*)
6. Professional Development (*Authorization of the 13-14 MOU for regional PD*)
7. Science Teacher Search Committee

VIII. Old Business

1. 2013-2014 Budget Proposal and Preparation for the Annual Town Meeting
2. Teacher Evaluation Committee
3. Policy 5131.111 Surveillance Policy (*2nd Reading*)
4. Eighth Grade Graduation (*Confirm change to Wednesday, June 19, 2013 at 7:00PM*)
5. Board of Education Action Goals for 13/14

IX. New Business

1. Resignation (*L. Christensen - CMT Testing Coordinator; Title I Family Involvement Coordinator*)
2. Retirement (*T. Barrie – Custodian*)
3. Summer School 2013
4. Technology Infrastructure Proposal

X. Suggestions for Next Regular Meeting – June 13, 2013

XI. Executive Session (*Security – School/Community Safety Team*)

XII. Adjournment

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Voluntown Board of Education Mission Statement

The Voluntown Board of Education commits to providing our students the basic skills essential to competent functioning in our society, including their ability to read, write, listen, speak, manipulate basic math concepts, and acquire a general knowledge of science.

It is, therefore, our mission to help our students mature into independent, reasoning, and responsible individuals, who can adapt constructively in an ever-changing, multi-cultural, & technological world. (April 2004)

Public Comment Disclaimer

The Board welcomes public participation and asks that speakers please limit their comments to five minutes. Speakers may offer objective comments of school operations and programs that concern them. To protect the impartiality of the board, we will not permit any expression of personal complaints or defamatory comments about Board of Education personnel and students, nor against any person connected with the Voluntown Public Schools. Such issues should be brought to the school administration. The board will not respond to comments made during public comment, except to clarify issues. When appropriate, district administration will follow-up at a later point in time.