

# VOLUNTOWN BOARD OF EDUCATION AGENDA

Regular Board Meeting 7:00PM  
January 14, 2016

Voluntown Board of Education  
Board of Education Meeting Room

- I. Call to Order/Roll Call
- II. Pledge of Allegiance
- III. Consent Agenda

- Approval of Regular Meeting Minutes: December 10, 2015
- Approval of Bills – December 2015
- Function/Object – December 2015
- Food Services Accounts – December 2015
- Correspondence

- IV. Citizen Comments
- V. Guest Speaker: John Iovino - NFA

- VI. Administrative Reports:
  - 1. Principal/Assistant Superintendent of Schools
  - 2. Director of Special Education
  - 3. Superintendent

- VII. Committee Reports:
  - 1. Indoor Air Quality/Tools for Schools and Safety
  - 2. Youth Services Bureau/Local Prevention Council
  - 3. Curriculum Steering Committee
  - 4. Transportation
  - 5. School Security and Safety Committee
  - 6. School Readiness Council
  - 7. High School (*Status of 8<sup>th</sup> grade choices*)
  - 8. Building Committee – Roof Project
  - 9. Solar Panel Project
  - 10. Stairway Committee

- VIII. Old Business
  - 1. 2016-2017 Budget Preparation
  - 2. Paraprofessional Evaluation Format (*Review of the first year*)
  - 3. Policy and Regulation #4118.51/4218.51 Acceptable Computer Network Use

- IX. New Business
  - 1. Policy and Regulation #5144.1 Restraint (*1<sup>st</sup> Reading*)
  - 2. School Calendar for 2016-2017
  - 3. Substitute Bus Driver (*Nicole Grillo*)
  - 4. Special Education Transportation PM Bus Monitor (*Linda Greczkowski*)

- X. Suggestions for Next Regular Meeting – February 11, 2016 @ 7:00PM
- XI. Executive Session
- 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.*