

VOLUNTOWN BOARD OF EDUCATION AGENDA

Regular Board Meeting
October 11, 2012 at 7:00PM

Voluntown Board of Education
Board of Education Meeting Room

I. Call to Order/Roll Call

II. Pledge of Allegiance

III. Consent Agenda

- Approval of 9-13-12 Minutes
- Approval of Bills – September 2012
- Function /Object Report September 2012
- Food Services Accounts – September 2012
- Correspondence

IV. Citizen Comments

V. Guest Speakers: (*Meg Bernhard – Kelly Services*)

VI. Administrative Reports:

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

VII. Committee Reports:

1. Tools for Schools
2. Local Prevention Council and Youth Services Bureau
3. Curriculum Steering Committee
4. Transportation
5. Wellness
6. School/Community Safety Team
7. Board Committee Assignments
8. Library Committee
9. PTO Report
10. School Readiness Council
11. Professional Development
12. Alternate 8th through 12th Grade Program
13. Teacher Evaluation Committee (*PEAC Update*)

VIII. Old Business

1. Development of the 13-14 Budget Proposal (*Review of past "Actual Expenditures"*)
2. Solar Panel Project
3. Stairway
4. 5113.2 Truancy Regulations (*2nd Reading*)

IX. New Business

1. Upgrade CIRMA liability limits
2. State Department of Education 2010 Common Core of Teaching: Foundation Skills
3. 5112.4 – Disenrollment Policy (*1st Reading*)
4. Field Trip Requests (*8th Grade – Museum of Science - Boston, MA on Friday, April 12, 2013*)
5. Title I After School Tutors
6. Use of Building (*if needed*)
7. Other

X. Suggestions for Next Regular Meeting – November 8, 2012 @ 7:00PM

XI. Executive Session – negotiations

XII. Adjournment

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(Updated by ASB on 10-1-12)

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.