VOLUNTOWN BOARD OF EDUCATION ------ AGENDA

Regular Board of Education Meeting April 11, 2013 Voluntown Board of Education Board of Education Meeting Room at 7:00PM

<u>There will be a Public Hearing about the Board of Education 13/14 Budget Proposal at</u> 7:00PM in the Board of Education Meeting Room

- I. Call to Order/Roll Call
- II. Pledge of Allegiance
- III. Consent Agenda
 - Approval of 3-14-13 Minutes
 - Approval of Bills March 2013
 - Function/Object & Transfer Report March 2013
 - Food Services Accounts March 2013
 - Correspondence
- IV. Citizen Comments
- V. Guest Speakers:
- 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. Curriculum Steering Committee
 - 4. Transportation
 - 5. Wellness
 - 6. School/Community Safety Team
 - 7. Library Committee
 - 8. School Readiness Council (Increase enrollment limit in the program for three-year olds)
 - 9. Professional Development (Report on 3-28-13 Program)
- VIII. Old Business
 - 1. Teacher Evaluation Committee (Request a Board of Education vote of approval as per state guidelines)
 - 2. 2013-2014 Budget Proposal
 - 3. Strategic School Profile 2011-2012 (*if available*)
 - 4. Policy #6114 Emergencies and Disaster Plan (2nd Reading)
 - 5. Board of Education Action Goals for 2013-2014 (2nd Reading and Approval Requested)
 - 6. **Review of 3000 Series** (*To be distributed at the meeting*)
- IX. New Business
 - 1. Preparation for the Annual Town Meeting scheduled for Thursday, May 9th at 7:00PM
 - 2. Eighth Grade Graduation (Thursday, June 20, 2013 at 7:00PM)
 - 3. Retirement (Official Announcement by Stan Woronik)
 - 4. Surveillance Policy (To be distributed at the meeting)
- X. Suggestions for Next Regular Meeting May 9, 2013 @ 8:00PM or directly after the town meeting
- **XI. Executive Session** (*Negotiations*)
- 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.