Southern Berkshire Regional School District

SCHOOL COMMITTEE MEETING #1,557

Date: Thursday, January 31, 2019

Time: Executive Session – 6:00 p.m.

Open Session – 6:30 p.m. (approximately)

Location: Mt. Everett Regional School Library, 491 Berkshire School Road, Sheffield, MA

Agenda

All interested members of the public are invited to attend.

[The listing of matters is those reasonably anticipated by the Chairman which may be discussed at the meeting. Not all items listed may in fact be discussed and other items not listed may also be brought up for discussion to the extent permitted by law.]

1. Call to Order

2. Executive Session

Motion to go into Executive Session for the following purposes:

Pursuant to M.G.L. c.30A, §21(a)(7), to comply with or act under authority of, any general or special law or federal grant-in-aid requirements, specifically M.G.L. c.30A, §22(f) and (g) with regard to the review, approval, and/or consideration for non-disclosure of executive session minutes from 2016 to 2017, and/or related appointment of one or more designees and to reconvene to open session. Roll Call Vote Required.

3. Standing Reports

- a. Approval of Minutes of School Committee Meeting #1556 of January 10, 2019
- b. Approval of Executive Session Minutes
- c. Miscellaneous Correspondence

4. Student Representative Report

- 5. Student Spotlight
- 6. Public Comment

7. New Business

- a. Approval of Overnight Field Trip (March 7-8, 2019) to New York City for Frida Kahlo Exhibit at Brooklyn Museum and Tour of Lower East Side Street Art through Gotham Street Art Walks S. Graham
- b. MS Program Overview for 2019-2020
- c. Greenagers: Vernal Pool Train Elia DelMolino (Letter of Permission)
- d. Governor's Budget
 - Letter to Senator Hinds and Rep Pignatelli Regarding Rural Aid

8. Unfinished Business

School Committee Meetings in Member Towns

February 14, 2019 – New Marlborough

April 4, 2019 – Monterey

April 25, 2019 - Egremont

May 9, 2019 - Sheffield

June 13, 2019 - Alford

9. Business with District Member Towns

a. Superintendent Regional Roundtable Meeting – February 7, 2019 at 5:30 p.m.

10. Subcommittee Reports

a. Policy Subcommittee – D. Sears

First Read

Policy JFABB – Admission of Exchange Students

Policy IE – Organization of Instruction

Policy EEAG – Student Transportation in Private Vehicles

Policy KF and KF-R – Community Use of School Facilities

Policy BEDH – Public Participation at School Committee

Policy BEDH-E – Guidelines for Public Comment

- b. Curriculum Subcommittee D. Travis and P. Dufresne
- c. SBEF Ad Hoc Subcommittee D. Sears
- d. Community Outreach and Input Subcommittee B. Silvers
- e. Executive Session Review Subcommittee J. Blaugrund

11. Chairman's Report

- 12. Superintendent's Report
- 13. Curriculum & Professional Development Coordinator's Report
- 14. Director of Student Services Report
- 15. Business Manager's Report
 - a. Approval of Warrants: January 11 and January 25, 2019
 - b. Vote to approve payment of prior year invoices. Notice received 12/13/18 of non-payment for softball officiating: Fran McKeever \$189 and Bob Claffie \$189
 - c. Accept Grants and Gifts

Next School Committee Meetings:

d. Budget Transfers

16. Future Agenda Items

17. Adjourn

February 14, 2019 – New Marlborough March 14, 2019 (Adoption FY 20 Budget) April 25, 2019 – Egremont June 13, 2019 – Alford (?)		March 7, 2019 (Open Hearing) April 4, 2019 - Monterey May 9, 2019 – Sheffield June 27, 2019
February 9, 2019	6:30-9:00 p.m.	CABARET – Elementary Café
March 22, 2019	$7:00-9:00 \ p.m.$	High School Musical TACPAC
March 23, 2019	$3:00-5:00 \ p.m.$	High School Musical TACPAC
March 24, 2019	$3:00-5:00 \ p.m.$	High School Musical TACPAC
May 16, 2019	$7:00-9:00 \ p.m.$	Grades 7-12 Spring Instrumental Concert TACPAC
May 30, 2019	$6:00-8:00 \ p.m.$	Gr 7-12 Music Banquet
June 1, 2019	-	Graduation - Tanglewood
June 6, 2019	$6:00-7:30 \ p.m.$	Gr 3-6 Chorus/Band - TACPAC

Events are continuously added on the District Events Calendar. Please check the district website for updates.

The SBRSD shall post all School Committee and Subcommittee meetings on its website (http://www.sbrsd.org/school-committee.html) in compliance with Open Meeting Law and pursuant to the regulations of the Massachusetts Attorney General's Office 940 CMR 29.03(4). Please visit the SBRSD's website for all meeting information. All approved meeting minutes of the SBRSD school committee are posted on the district's website on the school committee page.