Notice of Meeting

To be filed in duplicate

Notice is hereby given in accordance with Chapter 30A, Sections 18-25 of the General Laws of a meeting of the:

Chicopee School Committee

The meeting will be held at **7:00 PM** on **Wednesday, July 19, 2023**

The location of the meeting will be **Chicopee City Hall (Auditorium)**

Full description of location **274 Front Street (3rd Floor), Chicopee, MA 01013**

If you would like to participate in the meeting virtually (via Zoom), you may request the link by contacting the Superintendent's Office at (413) 594-3410, or by emailing shoar@cpsge.org.

The purpose of the meeting:

Regular Meeting of the School Committee
preceded by the Superintendent's Briefing at 6:30 PM
and followed by Executive Session
(please see attached agenda)

John L. Vieau

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Mayor/School Committee Chairperson

Title

July 14, 2023

(to be completed by signing authority)

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Report of the Superintendent

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Agenda

Chairperson	Call to Order and Pledge of Allegiance Announcement of Meeting Recording Announcement of Members Participating Remotely

**A moment of silence will be observed for those who serve in the military and for others who help protect us.*

Recorder	Roll Call Board Attendance
Chairperson	Public Announcements by Committee Members
Superintendent	Public Announcements
Chairperson	Open Public Input
Visitor:	**Carl Ingram, Director of Career and Technical Education** Student Builders Incorporated (Requested by Samuel Shumsky)

Approval of Minutes

23-7-1	Move that, the minutes of the School Committee Training Session held on May 31, 2023, be approved.
23-7-2	Move that, the minutes of the Regular Meeting of the School Committee held on June 21, 2023, be approved.

Reports

23-7-3	**Report on Personnel Action Taken**
23-7-4	**Report of the Policy and Human Resources Subcommittee**

Unfinished Business None

New Business

23-7-5 Move that, the bills (Warrant S062323) totaling $935,431.51, be approved.

23-7-6 Move that, the bills (Warrant S063023) totaling $2,414,141.82, be approved.

23-7-7 Move that, the bills (Warrant S070723) totaling $629,012.63, be approved.

23-7-8 Move that, the bills (Warrant S071423) totaling $565,794.02, be approved.

23-7-9 Move that, the Memorandum of Agreement between the Superintendent of Schools and Ann Kos, Director of Transportation be approved and the Chairperson be authorized to sign.

23-7-10 Move that, the contract between the Chicopee Public Schools and David Gottsegen, MD, School Physician, be approved and the Chairperson be authorized to sign.

23-7-11 Move that, the first reading of the following policies be approved, as recommended by the Policy and Human Resources Subcommittee:

a. Dual Enrollment Policy (I5);
b. Equal Educational Opportunities (J2);
c. Harassment of Students (J3);
d. School Choice (J9);
e. Student Absences and Excuses (J12);
f. Prohibition of Hazing (J23);
g. Student Fundraising Activities (J31);
h. Corporal Punishment (J39)
i. Physical Restraint of Students (J40);
j. Immunizations of Students (J50);
k. Communicable Diseases (J51);
l. Student Fees, Fines and Charges (J57)
m. Student Photographs (J59);
n. Educational Opportunities for Military Children (J63);
o. Educational Opportunities for Children in Foster Care (J64);
p. Exclusions and Exemptions from School Attendance (J65);
q. Student Complaint and Grievances (J66); and
r. Educational Equity (J67).

New Business *continued*

23-7-12 **Appointment of Assistant Superintendent for Instruction and Accountability**
Jennifer Bellville

Move that, the employment contract between the Superintendent of Schools and Jennifer Bellville, Assistant Superintendent for Instruction and Accountability, be approved and the Chairperson be authorized to sign.

23-7-13 **Appointment of Assistant Superintendent for Student Support Services**
To be Announced

Move that, the employment contract between the Superintendent of Schools and the Assistant Superintendent for Student Support Services, be approved and the Chairperson be authorized to sign.

Executive Session
Move that, the School Committee adjourn into Executive Session to approve Executive Session minutes, to conduct strategy sessions in preparation for negotiations with nonunion personnel, and to discuss strategy with respect to collective bargaining and not to reconvene in Open Session. The Chair declares that an executive session is necessary to protect the bargaining position of the Committee.

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