

**REGULAR MEETING OF THE FALL RIVER SCHOOL COMMITTEE**

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**Tuesday, July 18, 2017**

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**Morton Middle School Auditorium  
1135 North Main Street  
Fall River, MA 02720**

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FALL RIVER, MA

**AGENDA**

1. Roll Call
2. Salute to the Flag
3. Citizens Input
4. Recognition Awards
5. Superintendent's Report
6. Approval of Minutes
7. Committee of the Whole
8. Request for Executive –
  - M.G.L. Chapter 30A, Section 21(a)(3): To discuss strategy with respect to collective bargaining relative to ALL Administrators and Employees represented by the Fall River Administrators' Association.
  - M.G.L. Chapter 30A, Section 21(a)(3): To discuss strategy with respect to collective bargaining relative to ALL professional teaching employees of the Fall River School System including coaches, Title I, teachers, nurses, occupational and physical therapists, and specialists in the teaching profession represented by the Fall River Educators' Association.
  - M.G.L. Chapter 30A, Section 21(a)(2): To conduct strategy sessions in preparation for negotiations with non-union personnel and/or to conduct contract negotiations with non-union personnel including Thomas Coogan, Executive Director of Human Resources; and Jocelyn LeMaire, Human Resources Manager
  - M.G.L. Chapter 30A, Section 21(a)(7): To review and approve Executive Session Committee Minutes for the May 23, 2017 Special Meeting of the Fall River School Committee.
  - M.G.L. Chapter 30A, Section 21(a)(7): To review and approve Executive Session Committee Minutes for the June 12, 2017 Regular Meeting of the Fall River School Committee.

9. New Business: Topics for discussion that could not reasonably be anticipated by the Chairman forty-eight (48) hours prior to the meeting
10. Addendum

**CITIZENS INPUT**

This agenda item allows time for public comment on topics related to the Agenda. The Committee would like the opportunity to hear the wishes and ideas of the public. Although this is not a time for discussion, the School Committee appreciates public input and may refer such comments to administration for appropriate follow-up.

**RECOGNITION AWARDS**

There are no Recognition Awards at this time.

**SUPERINTENDENT’S REPORT**

This agenda item provides an opportunity for the Superintendent to share letters of recognition, commendation, or other news associated with Fall River Public Schools.

- FY18 Budget
- Indirect Cost Agreement
- Talbot After-School Programming
- FY18 Staffing Update

**APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

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**TRAVEL REQUESTS**

Greene 21<sup>st</sup> Century Program Site Coordinator, Charlotte Doyle, requests permission for travel:

Destination	Pawtucket Red Sox Baseball Game Pawtucket, RI
Objective(s) of the Trip	Students will have the experience of attending a professional baseball game
Class/Club/Grade	21 <sup>st</sup> Century Summer Program at Greene School; Grades 3 & 4
# of Adult Chaperones	6
# of Students	45
Date(s)	Wednesday, July 19, 2017
Departure/Return Time	10:00am/2:30pm
Means of Transportation	One bus
Cost Per Student	\$4.50 (bus); \$8.00 (admission)
Funding Source(s)	Donations

Director of School Improvement and Leadership Services, Siobhan Ryan, requests permission for travel:

Destination	Narragansett Bay Cruise
Objective(s) of the Trip	To support the summer curriculum for Fonseca’s 21 <sup>st</sup> Century Community Learning Centers summer program “Our World, My World” that focuses on the rivers, bays, and its rich marine life.
Class/Club/Grade	Grades 2-5

# of Adult Chaperones	15
# of Students	70
Date(s)	July 27, 2017
Departure/Return Time	8:30am-2:30pm
Means of Transportation	Bus
Cost Per Student	Approximately \$8.50 per person (\$600 + bus)
Funding Source(s)	21 <sup>st</sup> Century Community Learning Centers

Durfee High School Principal, Maria Pontes, requests permission for travel:

Destination	Festival Disney @ Walt Disney World Orlando, FL
Objective(s) of the Trip	Durfee Performing Arts Department (Band, Chorus, Theatre, and Orchestra)
# of Adult Chaperones	3 teachers, 7 other chaperones
# of Students	90
Date(s)	May 3, 2018 (after school)-May 6, 2018
Departure/Return Time	Departure @ 6pm/Return @ 10pm
Means of Transportation	Air
Cost Per Student	\$1,600-\$1,700
Funding Source(s)	Fundraising and student deposits

### DONATIONS

- Superintendent Malone, on behalf of the Fall River Public Schools, requests acceptance of a \$15,000 donation from BankFive. This donation will be used for the science program.
- Superintendent Malone, on behalf of Kuss Middle School Interim Principal, Brian Raposo, requests acceptance of a donation of power tools, electronic equipment, and theatrical equipment totaling \$5,033 from Ms. Diane Duprey. This donation will be used for the Kuss Middle School Theater Arts Program in memory of Eric Spencer, the program's longtime director.
- Superintendent Malone, on behalf of Silvia Elementary School Principal, Jean Facchiano, requests acceptance of an \$800 donation from Empower Schools. This donation will be used to purchase technology and engineering materials.
- Superintendent Malone, on behalf of Kuss Middle School Interim Principal, Brian Raposo, requests acceptance of an \$800 donation from Empower Schools. This donation will be used for training.
- Superintendent Malone, on behalf of Viveiros Elementary School Principal, Anne-Marie Scott, requests acceptance of a \$500 donation from Martin Richard Foundation. This donation will be used for social learning.
- Superintendent Malone, on behalf of Siobhan Ryan, Director of School Improvement and Leadership, requests acceptance of a \$450 donation from the Fall River Elks. This donation will be used in the summer enrichment program.

**CONTRACTS**

**CONTRACTS FOR SCHOOL COMMITTEE APPROVAL, July 18, 2017**

<b>VENDOR</b>	<b>DESCRIPTION</b>	<b>FUNDING SOURCE &amp; AMOUNT</b>
<b>COMMUNITY PARTNERSHIP CONTRACTS</b>		
Community Matters, LLC	Fall River labor management facilitation	Operating Budget-Contracted Services-\$20,000.00
Katie Brown Educational Program	Violence prevention program for students	Title I-\$80,000.00
PAACA-Positive Action Against Chemical Addiction, Inc.	Youth Court	Title I-\$30,000.00
People Incorporated	District re-engagement center at Resiliency Preparatory School	Title I-\$50,000.00
Southcoast Mentoring Initiative for Learning and Educations Services (SMILES)	Mentoring program	Title I-\$50,000.00
Uaspire	Support services offered to students for college	Operating Budget-Contracted Services-\$50,000.00
<b>FACILITIES &amp; OPERATIONS</b>		
Clark's Security	Fire alarm replacement at Talbot Middle School	Facilities & Operations Budget-\$26,000.00
Dude Solutions, Inc.	Software for maintenance work orders/inventory and distribution/Use of Schools Coordination	Facilities & Operations Budget-\$17,867.96
West Interactive Services Corporation	School Messenger, FY 2018 renewal	Facilities & Operations Budget-\$17,329.95
<b>GRANT CONTRACTS</b>		
Center for Responsive Schools, Inc.	Responsive Classroom Course for Elementary Educators (\$21,000.00), Middle School Educators Course (\$16,500.00)and Fonseca Elementary School (2) (\$42,000.00)	Total Cost-\$79,500.00 Title I-School Support-\$75,338.00 Fonseca School Redesign Grant-\$3,150.00 Support/Underperforming Districts-\$1,012.00
<b>MISCELLANEOUS CONTRACTS</b>		
AP Exams	Cost of Advancement Placement Exams	Operating Budget-Textbooks-\$14,654.00
CISCO	VOIP project, final phase, three year contract, Total cost-\$118,601.35, \$39,533.78 per year. Years 2 and 3 contingent upon availability of funding.	Operating Budget-Telephone/Communications-\$39,533.78
Cengage Learning	Reach textbooks/materials	Operating Budget-Textbooks-\$24,625.61
Curriculum Associates	I-Ready Diagnostic and Instruction Math Site licenses	Operating Budget-Textbooks-\$51,450.00
Discovery Education	Digital Textbook Renewals-Grade 4-5 Science Techbook District-Wide, Middle School Science & Social Studies @ Morton/Talbot/Kuss/Doran/Lord, Science Techbook @ Durfee High School	Operating Budget-Textbooks-\$50,737.00
Dreambox Learning	Renewal of Math Student Licenses for elementary and middle schools, 2017-2018 school year	Operating Budget-Textbooks-\$54,000.00
Follett/X2 Development Corp.	Aspen Student Information System, FY 2018 renewal	Operating Budget-Technology-\$59,896.50
K-12 Insight	K-12 solutions for customer service and sustained stakeholder engagement	Total Cost-\$24,000.00 Operating Budget-Technology-\$19,000.00 School Lunch-\$5,000.00

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Learning A-Z	Reading A-Z.com & Headsprout licenses	Operating Budget-Textbooks-\$30,754.88
People Admin	SchoolSpring Unlimited, TalentEd Recruit & Hire, services & training	Operating Budget-Contracted Services-\$12,250.00
SRC Solutions, Inc.	Parent Registration Software to facilitate intake and placement of students.	Operating Budget-Technology-\$15,673.00
Anthony C Terceira	FY 2018 E-Rate consulting services	Operating Budget-Technology-\$15,950.00
<b>SPECIAL NEEDS CONTRACTS</b>		
AMEGO	Tuition for Special Needs Students	Operating Budget-SPED-\$216,000.00
Bradley Hospital	Tuition for Special Needs Students	Operating Budget-SPED-\$1,514,000.00
BICO Collaborative	Tuition for Special Needs Students	Operating Budget-SPED-\$29,220.00
Brandon Residential Treatment	Tuition for Special Needs Students FY2017	Operating Budget-SPED-\$20,952.00
Brandon Residential Treatment	Tuition for Special Needs Students	Operating Budget-SPED-\$47,142.00
Bristol County Rehabilitation Services, Inc.	Physical and Occupational Therapy services for school year 2017-2018	Operating Budget-SPED-\$45,000.00
Crystal Springs	Tuition for Special Needs Students	Operating Budget-SPED-\$82,689.60
Cultured Care, Inc.	Nursing services for various special needs students for extended school year 2017	Operating Budget-SPED-\$20,000.00
Devereux Foundation	Tuition for Special Needs Students	Operating Budget-SPED-\$177,000.00
Fall River Deaconess Home	Tuition for Special Needs Students	Operating Budget-SPED-\$158,000.00
Futures HealthCore, LLC	Pathologists & Assistants for extended school year 2017	Operating Budget-SPED-\$17,989.16
Groden Center	Tuition for Special Needs Students	Operating Budget-SPED-\$446,000.00
Home for Little Wanderers	Tuition for Special Needs Students	Operating Budget-SPED-\$122,000.00
J. Arthur Trudeau Memorial Center	Tuition for Special Needs Students	Operating Budget-SPED-\$47,000.00
Justice Resource Institute	Tuition for Special Needs Students	Operating Budget-SPED-\$891,000.00
Kennedy Children's Action Corps	Tuition for Special Needs Students	Operating Budget-SPED-\$56,000.00
Kennedy Donovan Center	Tuition for Special Needs Students	Operating Budget-SPED-\$93,000.00
Latham Centers, Inc.	Tuition for Special Needs Students	Operating Budget-SPED-\$190,000.00
Learning Center for the Deaf	Tuition for Special Needs Students	Operating Budget-SPED-\$134,000.00
May Institute	Tuition for Special Needs Students	Operating Budget-SPED-\$607,000.00
Meeting Street	Tuition for Special Needs Students	Operating Budget-SPED-\$68,000.00
Mt. Prospect School	Tuition for Special Needs Students	Operating Budget-SPED-\$48,000.00
New England Center for Children	Tuition for Special Needs Students	Operating Budget-SPED-\$112,000.00
New England Pediatric Care	Tuition for Special Needs Students	Operating Budget-SPED-\$53,000.00
North River Collaborative	Tuition for Special Needs Students	Operating Budget-SPED-\$43,782.00
Pilgrim Area Collaborative	Tuition for Special Needs Students	Operating Budget-SPED-\$37,000.00
Protestant Guild for Human Services	Tuition for Special Needs Students FY 2017	Operating Budget-SPED-\$12,522.88
Protestant Guild for Human Services	Tuition for Special Needs Students	Operating Budget-SPED-\$91,572.63
Roman Music Therapy	Music therapy sessions for Special Needs Students	Operating Budget-SPED-\$10,040.00
READS Collaborative	Tuition for Special Needs Students	Operating Budget-SPED-\$544,000.00
St. Vincent's Home	Tuition for Special Needs Students	Operating Budget-SPED-\$131,000.00
Schwartz Center for Children	Tuition for Special Needs Students	Operating Budget-SPED-\$167,000.00
S.E. Mass. Educational Collaborative	Tuition for Special Needs Students	Operating Budget-SPED-\$66,000.00

SEEM Collaborative	Tuition for Special Needs Students	Operating Budget-SPED-\$40,000.00
South Coast Educational Collaborative	Tuition for Special Needs Students	Operating Budget-SPED-\$2,750,000.00
Southeastern MA Educational Collaborative	Teacher of the Visually Impaired for school year 2017-2018	Operating Budget-SPED-\$38,880.00
South Shore Education Collaborative	Tuition for Special Needs Students	Operating Budget-SPED-\$48,000.00
Specialized Education of Massachusetts	Tuition for Special Needs Students	Operating Budget-SPED-\$45,000.00
Walker School	Tuition for Special Needs Students	Operating Budget-SPED-\$258,000.00
Whitney Academy Inc.	Tuition for Special Needs Students	Operating Budget-SPED-\$236,000.00

### **GRANTS**

#### **GRANTS FOR SCHOOL COMMITTEE APPROVAL, July 18, 2017**

<b>Grant Name</b>	<b>Funding</b>	<b>Duration</b>	<b>Amount</b>	<b>Grant Director</b>
Supplemental Support	Federal	05/24/2017-08/31/2017	\$ 20,000.00	Matthew Desmarais
Professional Development Revised Frameworks & Standards	Federal	06/01/2017-08/31/2017	\$ 50,000.00	Siobhan Ryan
21 <sup>st</sup> Century Community Learning – Durfee, Greene	Federal	07/01/2017-08/31/2017	\$ 39,000.00	Siobhan Ryan
21 <sup>st</sup> Century Community Learning – Durfee, Greene	Federal	07/01/2017-08/31/2017	\$ 84,080.00	Siobhan Ryan
21 <sup>st</sup> Century Community Learning – Fonseca	Federal	07/01/2017-08/31/2017	\$ 45,261.00	Siobhan Ryan
21 <sup>st</sup> Century Community Learning – Doran	Federal	07/01/2017-08/31/2017	\$ 26,822.00	Siobhan Ryan
Sped/21 <sup>st</sup> Century-Enhanced-Durfee	Federal	07/01/2017-08/31/2017	\$ 3,000.00	Siobhan Ryan
Sped/21 <sup>st</sup> Century-Enhanced-Doran, Fonseca	Federal	07/01/2017-08/31/2017	\$ 8,000.00	Siobhan Ryan
<b>TOTAL</b>			<b>\$ 276,163.00</b>	

### **DISCUSSIONS**

1. **Presentation:** Entry Plan presentation to include overview of Fall River Public School learning and teaching framework, *as presented by Dr. Matthew Malone, Superintendent of Schools*
2. **First Read:** Long-Range Capital Improvement Plan, *as presented by Mr. Kenneth Pacheco, Chief Operating Officer*
3. **Discussion and Vote to Approve:** Resiliency Middle School and Resiliency Preparatory School's name change to Resiliency Preparatory Academy (7-12), *as presented by Mr. Robert Correia, Principal of Resiliency Preparatory School*
4. **Second Read and Vote to Approve:** Attendance Policy, *as presented by Ms. Barbara Allard, Director of Early Childhood and Parent Information*
5. **Vote to Approve:** Whitson's Food Service Contract Amendment No. 1, which is a one-year extension of the original Agreement dated September 1, 2016, *as presented by Mr. Kenneth Pacheco, Chief Operating Officer*

6. **Second Read and Vote to Approve:** Revised Wellness Policy, as presented by Ms. Marcia Picard, School Wellness Coordinator, and Ms. Karen Long, Nursing Supervisor
7. **Discussion:** School Resource Officer Funding, as requested by School Committeeman, Joseph Martins
8. **Discussion and Vote to Approve:** Superintendent’s Evaluation Report, as referred by the Evaluation Subcommittee

**FOR YOUR INFORMATION**

**RETIREMENTS:**

<b>Name</b>	<b>Position</b>	<b>Effective</b>
John Silva	Custodian, Spencer Borden Elementary School	09/02/2017
Laura Vaughan	Special Education Teacher, Durfee High School	09/16/2017

**RESIGNATIONS:**

<b>Name</b>	<b>Position</b>	<b>Effective</b>
Luis Aguiar	Cafeteria Worker	06/09/2017
Brittany Baptiste	Biology Teacher, Durfee High School	06/30/2017
Joshua Baxter	Paraprofessional, Doran Community School	06/26/2017
Laura Bentley	Grade 1 Teacher, Fonseca Elementary School	06/30/2017
Helena Chaves	Part-Time Cafeteria Worker	06/08/2017
Noelle Cormier	Teacher, Spencer Borden Elementary School	06/26/2017
Mahlon Davis	Chemistry Teacher, Durfee High School	06/30/2017
Kourtny DeForitis	Safety Officer, Durfee High School	07/25/2017
Stephanie Dugas	Teacher, Silvia Elementary School	06/26/2017
Timothy Dunbar	Math Teacher, Durfee High School	06/27/2017
Leah Faria	Special Education Teacher, Henry Lord Community School	06/30/2017
Kevin Fennessey	Paraprofessional, Fonseca Elementary School	06/30/2017
Kelsey Jenks	School Psychologist, Stone Day School	06/29/2017
Kelly Kalunga	Paraprofessional, Henry Lord Community School	07/20/2017
Christina Kunze	ESL Teacher, Durfee High School	06/26/2017
Anthony Moreira	Part-Time Cafeteria Worker	05/12/2017
Neysha Pearson	Paraprofessional, Watson Elementary School	06/30/2017
Matthew Silva	Vice Principal, Kuss Middle School	07/02/2017

**APPOINTMENTS:**

<b>Name/Address</b>	<b>Position</b>	<b>Effective</b>	<b>Salary/Certifications</b>
Mr. Jamie Argo 291 Concord Street Fall River, MA 02723	Painter	07/10/17	\$1,941.15 + \$22.50 longevity
Ms. Ashley Barbosa 597 Tower Street Fall River, MA 02721	Grade 4 Teacher Greene Elementary School	09/05/17	\$40,778 per annum Bachelor’s Degree, Step 1 Elementary (1-6)
Ms. Julia Carlson 15 Moses Brown Street Providence, RI 02906	Assistant Superintendent/Chief Academic Officer	06/12/17	\$125,000 per annum Superintendent/Assistant Superintendent, All Levels

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Ms. Kristen Charpentier 67 Underwood Avenue Warwick, RI 02888	Special Education Co-taught Grade 3 Teacher Fonseca Elementary School	09/05/17	\$43,069 per annum Master's Degree, Step 1 Moderate Disabilities PreK-8
Ms. Shelby Chung 210 Lowell Street Lexington, MA 02420	Math Teacher Durfee High School	09/05/17	\$40,778 per annum Bachelor's Degree, Step 1
Mr. Thomas Coogan 189 Fairwood Drive Tiverton, RI 02878	Executive Director of Human Resources	07/03/17	\$110,000 per annum
Ms. Margaret Corey 5 Oak Street, #2 Middleboro, MA 02346	Grade 4 Teacher Fonseca Elementary School	09/05/17	\$42,818 per annum Bachelor's Degree, Step 2 Elementary 1-6
Mr. Robert Correia 52 Lynch Lane Fall River, MA 02720	Principal Resiliency Preparatory Academy	07/01/17	Salary to be negotiated Principal/Assistant Principal
Dr. Tracy Curley 11 Hawthorne Road Kingstown, MA 02364	PreK-12 Curriculum Coordinator – Math/Science	07/01/17	\$119,728 per annum Doctorate Degree, Level 3A, Step 4 Principal/Assistant Principal
Ms. Thea Darling 162 Colonial Avenue Tiverton, RI 02878	Grade 7 Math Teacher Doran Community School	09/05/17	\$49,559 per annum Bachelor's Degree, Step 5 Middle School Math/Science (5-8)
Ms. Bridget Figueroa 50 Mary Boyle Way Boston, MA 02127	Grade 5 Math Teacher Fonseca Elementary School	09/05/17	\$40,778 per annum Bachelor's Degree, Step 1 Elementary 1-6
Ms. Kerri Frattaruolo 1 Bristow Street Warren, RI 02885	Math Department Head Doran Community School	08/28/17	\$71,889 per annum Bachelor's Degree +15, Level 2A, Step 1 Supervisor/Director – Core Math
Ms. Michela Gardner 2015 Shawmut Avenue North Dartmouth, MA 02747	Music Teacher Morton Middle School	09/05/17	\$52,234 per annum Master's Degree, Step 5 Music: Vocal/Instrumental/General, All Levels
Ms. Sarah Jackson 60 Bogle Street Fall River, MA 02723	ELS Inclusion Teacher Fonseca Elementary School	09/05/17	\$40,778 per annum Bachelor's Degree, Step 1
Ms. Joann Pereira 10 Ann Avenue Dartmouth, MA 02747	Principal Greene Elementary School	07/01/17	\$104,500 per annum Professional
Mr. Joseph Pomfret 6 Cosma Road Easton, MA 02356	Vice Principal Henry Lord Community School	08/28/17	\$100,425 per annum CAGS Degree, Level 2C, Step 4 Principal/Assistant Principal PreK-6
Ms. Kathryn Psillaki 940 Quaker Lane #319 Warwick, RI 02818	Grade 5 ELA Teacher Fonseca Elementary School	09/05/17	\$45,198 per annum Master's Degree, Step 2
Ms. Jenna Rapoza 227 Charlotte White Road Westport, MA 02790	Grade 5 Math Teacher Letourneau Elementary School	09/05/17	\$40,778 per annum Bachelor's Degree, Step 1 Elementary 1-6
Ms. Elvira Reis 234 Calvin Street Fall River, MA 02720	Cafeteria Assistant Letourneau Elementary School	06/13/17	\$11.00 per hour
Mr. Zachary Rogers 7 Alberta Lane Lakeville, MA 02347	Grade 8 Math Teacher Doran Community School	09/05/17	\$42,818 per annum Bachelor's Degree, Step 2 5-8 Preliminary



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Ms. Ashley Rosko 5 Michael Way Townsend, MA 01474	Grade 2 Teacher Fonseca Elementary School	09/05/17	\$40,778 per annum Bachelor's Degree, Step 1
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**DEATH NOTICES:**

<b>Name</b>	<b>Position(s) Held</b>	<b>Date of Death</b>
Helena (Arruda) Chaves	Cafeteria Worker, Fall River Schools	06/28/2017
Doris Flora (Freve) Lajoie	Cafeteria Worker, Fall River Schools	07/03/2017



Administrative Assistant