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SOUTHERN BERKSHIRE REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

**PUBLIC HEARING ON FY'15
DISTRICT OPERATING, TRANSPORTATION & CAPITAL BUDGETS**

**Mt. Everett Library
491 Berkshire School Road
Sheffield, MA**

Thursday, February 27, 2014

6:00 p.m.

Agenda

1. Welcome / Call to Order – Carl Stewart, Chair, SBR School Committee
2. Overview of FY'15 Operating, Transportation, and Capital Budgets – Superintendent David Hastings, Business Administrator Bruce Turner, with Vito Valentini, Chair, and Members of the SBR Finance Subcommittee
3. Overview of Assessments to District Towns – B. Turner, Business Administrator
4. Comments and Questions from Town Officials / Audience Members
5. Adjourn

SCHOOL COMMITTEE MEETING #1,472

Thursday, February 27, 2014

(Immediately following the Public Hearing; to begin not earlier than 6:30 p.m.)

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. **PRESENTATION OF 2013-14 SUPERINTENDENT'S AWARD:** Congratulations to Danielle Goewey, this year's recipient of the MA Association of School Superintendents' Award for Excellence
3. **APPROVAL OF MINUTES,** Meeting of February 6 with Town Officials, School Committee Meeting #1,470, Open and Executive Sessions; School Committee Working Meeting of February 20, 2014
4. **COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE AUDIENCE PERTAINING TO THIS EVENING'S AGENDA ITEMS**
 - A. Student Representatives to the School Committee
 - B. Other

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4. **UPDATE(S)/PRESENTATION(S):**
 A. Superintendent's Entry Findings Report – Superintendent David Hastings
5. **BUSINESS**
 A. Superintendent's Report – D. Hastings
- B. Request for Approval of 2014-15 School Calendar
- D. Subcommittee/Representative Reports
- Finance Subcommittee
 - 1) Further discussion of FY'14 budget (as necessary)
 - Policy Subcommittee
 - 1) 1st reading of Policy JEB, Entrance Age
 - 2) 1st reading of Policy IHB, Special Instructional Programs and Accommodations
 - Executive Evaluation Subcommittee
 - Food Service Subcommittee
- E. Financial Updates / Transfers (as needed) – B. Turner
6. **COMMUNICATION FROM THE PUBLIC / REQUESTS FOR FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS**
7. **GENERAL INFORMATION**

Upcoming School Committee Meetings are scheduled as follows:

Thursday, March 13	6:00 p.m.	School Committee Meeting (includes adoption of FY'15 Operating and Capital Budgets)	Mt. Everett Library
Thursday, April 10	6:00 p.m.	School Committee Meeting	Mt. Everett Library
Thursday, May 8	6:00 p.m.	School Committee Meeting	Mr. Everett Library
Thursday, June 12	6:00 p.m.	School Committee Meeting	Mt. Everett Library
Thursday, June 26	6:00 p.m.	School Committee Meeting	Mt. Everett Library

Other Events:

- March 3 – "Bee" Celebration – 2:00 p.m., UME Gym
- March 5-7 – Trip to Washington, D.C., involving Grade 8, Grade 10 Honors Economics Class, and Grade 12 Honors History Class
- March 7-8 – Wrestling to New England Tournament
- March 11, 8:30 a.m. – Grades K-3 Talent Show, UME Cafeteria
- March 12, 8:30 a.m. – Grades 4-6 Talent Show, UME Cafeteria
- March 13, 6:30 – 8:00 p.m. – Grade 6 Parent Information Night, Mt. Everett Cafeteria
- March 14 – SAVE THE DATE – **eagle fund** 15th Anniversary Celebration, 6:00 – 10:00 p.m., Community Entrance Atrium and TAC/PAC
- March 20, 6:30 – 8:00 p.m. – 8th Grade Parent Information Night, Mt. Everett Cafeteria
- March 27, 9:00 – 3:00 p.m. – Red Cross Blood Drive, Mt. Everett Gym