



# MEDFIELD PUBLIC SCHOOLS

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**To:** Medfield School Committee  
**From:** Jeffrey Marsden, Superintendent *JJM*  
**Date:** 1/6/2021  
**Re:** Narrative for the School Committee Meeting, January 7, 2021

**Executive Session:** To discuss issues related to collective bargaining or litigation if an open meeting may have a detrimental effect on the bargaining or litigating position of the public body. (Medfield Teachers' Association Unit A & B, AFL-CIO Custodians, Cafeteria Workers and Secretaries)

## Public Input

### Approval of Minutes

- Regular Meeting
  - 10/8/2020
- Amended Executive Session
  - 3/11/2019, 4/1/2019, 6/3/2019

## FY21 Budget Update

**School Learning Model Progress** – I will provide an update on the five bullet points below. As you know, we continue to progress toward more in-person learning time for students.

- Student Learning Time Regulations
- K-8/9-12 Special Education Students
- Expanded Synchronous Learning
- Full Day Kindergarten Update
- Wednesdays In-Person/Synchronous

## New Business

- New High School Schedule for 2021-2022 – Robert and Heather will be in attendance with the new schedule for the 2021-2022 school year. This schedule was an outgrowth of the work of Challenge Success and the SEL Task Force.
- Amend FY22 Budget Calendar – Revote – This date change gets us in line with previous budget calendars.
  - FY22 Budget Public Hearing January 28, 2021
- Review NESDEC Enrollment Projections – Included in your packet is the latest NESDEC projections. I would turn your attention to the Kindergarten projections for 2021-2022
- Scholarships – I will ask that you vote to approve the release of funds from the Madelyn L. Grant Scholarship in the amount of \$3000.00 to Caroline Nealon and to release \$3500.00 from the Jeanne McCormick Scholarship to Katherine Lapham, both 2020 Medfield High School Graduates.
- Other items since posting on January 5, 2021

**Old Business**

- FY22 Budget – We continue to refine the numbers of both our capital and operating budget. We will be ready to present the full budget on January 28<sup>th</sup>.
- Mascot Task Force Update – Jess will provide an update.
- Dale Street School Project Update - We have a School Building Committee meeting on 1/6/21. Anna Mae, Leo and I can provide an update.
- Donations - I ask that you accept the following donations
  - \$200.00 from Lueders Environmental, Inc. to the Medfield School Department.

**Informational Items** – As you know we are required to submit the Student Opportunity Act (SOA) plan on January 15<sup>th</sup>. Our subgroup focus is Special Education and EL. Specifically, the continuation of the co-teaching model at Dale Street and the expansion of our summer “Boot Camp” to include our EL students in the summer of 2021. I believe we will have a short meeting next week to review our plan.

**Future Agenda Items**

- Social Emotional Learning/SEL Task Force (February 11, 2021)
- Standards Based Report Card Feedback (March 11, 2021)
- Student Feedback (TBD March/April)

**Next Meeting** – January 21, 2021