



## **Agenda**

### **WATERTOWN BOARD OF EDUCATION**

**Monday, February 22, 2021 - 7:30 PM**

**\*\*\*\*REMOTE MEETING\*\*\*\***

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- A. Convene**
- B. Pledge of Allegiance**
- C. Roll Call**
- D. Minutes**
  - Regular Board meeting – February 8, 2021
  - Special Board meeting – February 9, 2021
- E. Report from Student Council Representative – Natalie Lindstrom**
- F. 2021-2022 Superintendent's Budget Recommendations: Additional Material & Discussion**
- G. Public Participation: Comments limited to 2021-2022 Budget**
- H. Superintendent's Recommendations and Report**
  - 1) Appointment (Information Only)  
Ms. Fawn Duffield to the position of Kindergarten Paraprofessional Category 2/Special Education at John Trumbull Primary School, effective February 22, 2021 at a contractual hourly rate of \$15.17, Step 1 of the Secretarial contract.
- I. Items of Discussion**
  - a) 2021-2022 Proposed School Year Calendar.
  - b) Defining Remote learning and Snow Days in Fiscal Year 2022

**J. Public Participation - (Please state name, address and topic of discussion)****K. Communications - Secretary****L. Committee Reports:**

Curriculum and Instruction Committee, Ms. Cathie Rinaldi, Chair

Policy and Labor Committee, Ms. Janelle Wilk, Chair

Budget and Finance Committee, Mr. Robert Makowski

Facilities/PBC/Operations Committee, Leslie Crotty

Governance and Community Engagement Committee, Mr. Robert Makowski, Chair

**M. Report from the Board Chair****N. Action Items – Adoption of items to be Approved by Consent****1) Consideration to Approve the Proposed 2021-2022 Budget**

The proposed budget for fiscal year 2021-2022 was provided and presented to the Board on February 8, 2021. In accordance with the Town Charter, the proposed 2021-2022 budget must be provided to the Town by March 1, 2021.

It is recommended that the Board approve of the proposed budget for fiscal year 2021-2022, as recommended by the Superintendent of Schools.

**2) Consideration of the Approval of the Proposed 2021-2022 School Year Calendar.**

The Proposed 2021-2022 school year calendar is presented tonight, for Board approval.

It is recommended that the Board approve of the proposed 2021-2022 calendar for Watertown Public Schools.

**O. Future Agenda Items and Board Members' Comments****P. Public Participation - (Please state name, address and topic of discussion)****Q. Adjournment**