### LYNN PUBLIC SCHOOLS

# Administrative Offices 90 Commercial Street Lynn, Massachusetts 01905

## Second Special Meeting of the School Committee Student Government Day Tuesday, April 23, 2013 at 7:05 p.m.

**Members present:** Ms. Capano, Ms. Carrasco, Ms. Coppola, Mr. Ford

Mr. Gallo, Mr. Starbard, Mayor Kennedy

In Attendance: Dr. Latham, Superintendent

Dr. Warry, Deputy Superintendent Ms. Rowe, Deputy Superintendent

Mr. McHugh, School Business Administrator

**Attorney Mihos** 

Mr. Iarrobino, Secretary of the School Committee

#### **Student School Committee**

Ms. Capano Claudia Buruca, English High School

Ms. Carrasco David Mejia, Fecteau-Leary

Ms. Coppola Caroline Frias, Classical High School

Mr. Ford Kennedy Gomes, Lynn Vocational Technical Institute

Mr. Gallo Fredy Hincaipe, Classical High School

Mr. Starbard Jen Dubon, Lynn Vocational Technical Institute Mayor Kennedy Andrew Blocksridge, Classical High School

#### **Student Administrators**

Superintendent Latham Kati Vu, English High School

Deputy Superintendent Warry Daylin Munoz, Lynn Vocation Technical Institute

Deputy Superintendent Rowe Ysabel Espinal, Classical High School

School Business Manager McHugh Stephanie Downs School Committee Secretary Iarrobino Shallom Adewale

Mayor Kennedy opened the meeting with a salute to the flag and a moment of silence.

#### **NECROLOGY**

- 1. Sally E. Ryan, retired teacher, April 7, 2013
- 2. M. Virginia Doonan, retired teacher, April 12, 2013

### **MINUTES**

- 1. Policy Sub-committee Meeting, April 11, 2013
- 2. Seventh Regular Meeting, April 11, 2013

Ms. Capano made a motion to approve the above-listed minutes. Seconded. Motion passed on a unanimous voice vote.

#### **UNFINISHED BUSINESS**

1. Kindergarten Space Issues

Superintendent Latham presented a proposal to open a Kindergarten Center at Lynn Vocational Technical Institute this September. She presented information showing a significant increase in enrollments at Brickett, Ford and Tracy elementary schools.

Mr. Starbard made a motion to go forward with the Superintendent's plan for a Kindergarten Center. Seconded.

Discussion ensued.

| Roll Call<br>Member | Vote |
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| Ms. Capano          | Yes  |
| Ms. Carrasco        | Yes  |
| Ms. Coppola         | Yes  |
| Mr. Ford            | Yes  |
| Mr. Gallo           | Yes  |
| Mr. Starbard        | Yes  |
| Mayor KennedyYes    |      |

2. "Best Communities in America for Music Education" Award – Joe Picano

Ms. Capano made a motion to Table. Seconded.

Motion passed on a unanimous voice vote.

3. Superintendent's Evaluation – Discussion of Goals

Superintendent Latham provided information on the Massachusetts Department of Elementary & Secondary Education, Massachusetts Model System for Educator Evaluation. Part III: Guide to Rubrics and Model Rubrics for Superintendent, Administrator, and Teacher.

#### **NEW BUSINESS**

1. Lynn Teachers Union requested negotiations over terms & conditions of employment relative to Teaching Strategies Gold.

Mr. Starbard made a motion to accept for the files. Seconded. Motion passed on a unanimous voice vote.

### **COMMUNICATIONS**

1. March 2013 Monthly Project Update Report - New Thurgood Marshall Middle School

Ms. Capano made a motion to accept for the files. Seconded. Motion passed on a unanimous voice vote.

#### INFORMATION

1. Superintendent's Report

Student Government Day
Budget process is ongoing
Classical High School Hall of Fame
English High School—John Hoffman
LPS Special Olympics
All City Art Exhibit
Harry Agganis Night

Massachusetts Association of School Committee—Workshop Schedule: May 2 and 16, 2013

A motion from the floor was made to adjourn at 7:40 p.m. Seconded. Motion passed on a unanimous voice vote.

THOMAS P. IARROBINO Secretary of the School Committee

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