

**LYNN PUBLIC SCHOOLS
Administrative Offices
90 Commercial Street
Lynn, Massachusetts 01905**

**Third Special Meeting of the School Committee
Wednesday, June 19, 2013 at 8:05 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
Attorney Mihos
Mr. Iarrobino, Secretary of the School Committee

Mayor Kennedy presided.

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

- 1. Set a date for the Public Hearing on the FY 14 Budget

Ms. Capano made a motion to approve the proposed FY 14 Budget for the purpose of a Public Hearing in accordance with the terms of the City Charter. Seconded.

Roll Call

Member	Vote
Ms. Capano	Yes
Ms. Carrasco	Yes
Ms. Coppola	Yes
Mr. Ford	Yes
Mr. Gallo	Yes
Mr. Starbard	Yes
Mayor Kennedy	Yes

Motion passed.

Discussion ensued regarding the need to have at least 30 days from date of publication which is scheduled for Friday, June 21, 2013.

Ms. Capano made a motion to set the date for the Public Hearing on the FY 14 Budget for Thursday, August 8, 2013 at 6:00 p.m. Seconded.

Roll Call

Member	Vote
Ms. Capano	Yes
Ms. Carrasco	Yes
Ms. Coppola	Yes
Mr. Ford	Yes
Mr. Gallo	Yes
Mr. Starbard	Yes
Mayor Kennedy	Yes

Motion passed.

2. Discussion on the Kindergarten Center

The Chair recognized Committee members who discussed issues raised by parents at the Public Hearing held earlier in the evening.

Ms. Coppola made a motion to allow Ford School to be excluded from the Kindergarten Center. Seconded.

Roll Call

Member	Vote
Ms. Capano	No
Ms. Carrasco	Yes
Ms. Coppola	Yes
Mr. Ford	No
Mr. Gallo	No
Mr. Starbard	No
Mayor Kennedy	No

Motion failed.

Mr. Gallo made a motion to reaffirm Mr. Starbard’s unanimously passed motion of April 23, 2013, “to go forward with the Superintendent’s plan for a Kindergarten Center,” such plan being in the best interests of the students of the Lynn Public Schools. Seconded.

Roll Call

Member	Vote
Ms. Capano	Yes
Ms. Carrasco	Abstain
Ms. Coppola	No
Mr. Ford	Yes
Mr. Gallo	Yes
Mr. Starbard	Yes
Mayor Kennedy	Yes

Motion passed.

A motion from the floor was made to adjourn at 9:05 p.m. Seconded.
Motion passed on a unanimous voice vote.

THOMAS P. IARROBINO
Secretary of the School Committee

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