# CITY OF SOMERVILLE, MASSACHUSETTS SCHOOL COMMITTEE REGULAR MEETING – October 3, 2022 ZOOM WEBINAR– 7:00 P.M.

Pursuant to Chapter 20 of the Acts of 2021, this meeting of the School Committee\_will be conducted via remote participation.

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#### Somerville Public Schools - School Committee Goals 2019 - 2022

Through the following long-range goals, we commit to addressing deep-rooted systemic barriers that have prevented us from achieving our district vision of equity and excellence and ensuring that all students, regardless of race or ethnicity, have the supports and resources they need to achieve educational success in our district now and in the future. By 2022, we will ...:

- ...increase the percentage of support staff of color by 6 percentage points, teachers and counselors of color by 5 percentage points, and administrators of color by 4 percentage points through evaluating and strengthening all elements of our human capital system.
- ... 1) conduct a district enrollment study to understand the prospective future population of the district and 2) craft a vision for school assignment and programming aligned with the district's equity policy.
- ... design, evaluate, and partially or fully implement student-based budgeting to ensure that every student has equitable access to rich learning opportunities that help them thrive.
- ... design a robust system of aligned developmental academic and social-emotional benchmarks which will be used to inform practices, policies, and resource allocation.

#### **ORDER OF BUSINESS**

# I. CALL TO ORDER

Call to order with a moment of silence and a salute to the flag of the United States of America.

### II. PUBLIC COMMENT

# III. REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT

## A. District Report

- Mental Health Supports (Ms. Doncaster)
- Hispanic Heritage Month Recognition (Ms. Gallitano)

## IV. REPORT OF SUBCOMITTEES

- **A. School Committee Meeting for Rules Management:** September 19, 2022 (Ms. Barish) MOTION: To accept the report of the School Committee Meeting for Rules Management of September 19, 2022.
- **B. School Committee Meeting for Long Range Planning**: September 27, 2022 (Ms. Krepchin) MOTION: To accept the report of the School Committee Meeting for Long Range Planning of September 27, 2022.
- **C. School Committee Meeting for Finance and Facilities**: September 27, 2022 (Ms. Krepchin) MOTION: To accept the report of the School Committee Meeting for Long Range Planning of September 27,

2022.

**D. School Committee Meeting for Superintendent Search Firm**: September 29, 2022 (Dr. Phillips) MOTION: To accept the report of the School Committee Meeting for Superintendent Search Firm of September 29, 2022.

**E. School Committee Meeting for Superintendent Search Firm**: September 30, 2022 (Dr. Phillips) MOTION: To accept the report of the School Committee Meeting for Superintendent Search Firm of September 30, 2022.

## **V. NEW BUSINESS**

- A. Ratification of the SEU Unit D SCALE 2022-2024 MOA
- **B.** School Committee Office Hours Announcement (Ms. Dion)
- **C.** MASC Conference Delegate and Resolutions (Chair Green)
- D. Somerville High School 2022 Summer School Graduates (Recommended Action: Approval)

Jesiah Concepcion Somerville, MA Aiyana Henderson Somerville, MA

**E.** <u>Field Trips</u> (Recommended action: approval)

October 7, 2022 20 NW/FC Students will visit Mount Monadnock in

NH. Travel by School Van, student cost \$0.

October 14, 2022 SHS Chorus will visit the Dunkin Donuts Center in

Providence, RI to sing the National Anthem at a Bruins Game. Travel by Bus, student cost \$22.

**November 28, 2022 to November 30, 2022** Sixth Grade Students at the WSNS will visit Nature's

Classroom in Groton, MA. Travel by School Bus,

student cost TBD.

- **VI. ITEMS FROM BOARD MEMBERS**
- VII. CONDOLENCES
- VIII. ADJOURNMENT