

**School Committee Meeting
March 9, 2022, 8:30 am - 2:00 pm
Warren Building, Room 110
90 Washington St.**

The meeting was called to order at 8:45 am. Those present included Chair Catherine Mirick, Vice Chair Linda Chow, Secretary Leda Eizenberg and members Melissa Martin and Craig Mack. Also present was Superintendent David Lussier.

Ms. Mirick announced that the public could attend the meeting via a previously shared comment line.

PUBLIC COMMENT

There was no one on the line.

DISCUSSION

The Committee developed norms for the meeting as follows: assume positive intentions; respect all perspectives; keep an open mind; take an inquiry stance; ensure all voices are heard; have a growth mindset/lean in; Stay on topic; avoid surprising each other; no hidden agendas; operate from a place of mutual trust.

BREAK

The committee took a break from 10:45-10:58.

The Committee brainstormed areas of focus for the coming year, including public engagement, communications, and the development of the strategic plan. The Committee plans to engage the community around the development of the Strategic Plan via outreach, meetings, possible surveys, and other communications.

The Committee discussed future topics for School Committee consideration, including the hiring of a Communications firm. The Committee made plans to discuss Town Meeting Preparation, the Strategic Plan, School Committee Goals, and Academic Excellence at future meetings.

ADJOURNMENT

At 2:00 p.m., Mr. Mack moved adjourn the meeting, and Ms. Eizenberg seconded. A vote was taken and the motion passed unanimously.

Respectfully Submitted,

Leda Eizenberg
Secretary