

**THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS  
METUCHEN, NEW JERSEY**

**MEETING AGENDA**

**of the Metuchen Board of Education**

Metuchen High School  
400 Grove Avenue  
Metuchen, NJ 08840

**Tuesday, November 26, 2019**

**1. Call to Order**

**2. Flag Salute**

**3. Notice of Meeting**

I hereby make this statement to indicate compliance with the Open Public Meetings Act known as Chapter 231 of the Public Laws of New Jersey, 1975, which became effective 90 days after enactment, January 19, 1976.

Notice of this meeting was given by providing the location, time and date of this meeting, and posting of the same on the front door of the Board of Education offices, by delivering copies to the Borough Hall and the Metuchen Public Library, The Home News and Tribune, The Criterion Sentinel, The Star Ledger, The Metuchen Mirror, and by filing a copy with the Borough Clerk as prescribed by this law.

**4. Roll Call**

Mr. Benderly		Mr. Lifton	
Ms. Cook		Mr. Manley	
Mr. Derflinger		Mr. Small	
Mr. Glassberg		Mr. Suss	
Ms. Killean			

**5. Showcase of Success**

- Christopher McEwan's Vivaldi Ensemble will perform as a preview to the Metuchen High School Music Department's Winter Concert on Thursday, December 12 at 7 pm. The Concert will feature performances by the Concert Choir, The Orchestra, Vivaldi Ensemble, Jazz Band and Concert Band.

This year the concert season will be dedicated in memory and celebration of the life and work of Edward Logue, former band director.

**6. Meeting Open to the Public**

*(for any topic)*

**7. Presentations/Discussions**

**8. Reports**

- ❖ President’s Report
- ❖ Superintendent’s Report
- ❖ Business Administrator/Board Secretary’s Report
- ❖ Committee Reports

**9. New Business**

**10. Old Business**

**11. Approval of Minutes of the Board of Education Meetings**

Move to approve the minutes of the following meetings:

November 12, 2019	Special Meeting I
November 12, 2019	Special Executive Meeting II
November 12, 2019	Board Meeting

**12. Meeting Open to the Public**

*(for any topic discussed up to this point in the meeting and for comments on the recommendations of the Superintendent of Schools)*

**13. Recommendations of the Superintendent of Schools**

*(at this time the Board will take formal action on the following items – see attachments)*

Often times it may appear to members of our audience that the Board of Education takes action with very little comment and in many cases a unanimous vote. Before a matter is placed on the agenda at a public meeting, the administration has thoroughly reviewed the matter with the Superintendent of Schools. If the Superintendent is satisfied that the matter is ready to be presented to the Board of Education, it is then referred to the appropriate board committee. The members of the board committee work with administration and the Superintendent to assure that the members fully understand the matter. When the committee is satisfied with the matter, it is presented to the Board of Education for discussion before any final action is taken. Only then, is it placed on the agenda for action at a public meeting.

- A. Personnel
- B. Finance
- C. Policy
- D. Curriculum

**14. Meeting Open to Public**

*(for anything you wish to discuss)*

**15. Announcements**

**16. Motion to Go Into Executive Session** *(when applicable)*

*Resolution to Close Meeting*

BE IT RESOLVED, pursuant to the Sunshine Act, N.J.S. 10:4-12 and 13, that the Board of Education will now meet in executive session to discuss \_\_\_\_\_ and that matters discussed will be disclosed to the public as soon as the reason for confidentiality no longer exist.

**17. Adjournment**