# THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS METUCHEN, NEW JERSEY

#### **MEETING AGENDA**

#### of the Metuchen Board of Education

Metuchen High School 400 Grove Avenue Metuchen, NJ 08840

# Tuesday, December 17, 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

• Fall Sports Champions

Metuchen High School Undefeated Girls Cross Country Team White Division Champions

Zoey Brown Caroline Schleif
Sara Lignell Bridget Thomas
Caroline Leon Charlotte Waring
Molly Malague

### Individual GMC Champion

Caroline Schleif

# Metuchen High School Undefeated Boys Cross Country Team White Division Champions

Romir Anand Tanuj Gupta
Colin Beacher Thomas Kwok
Ryan Breen Giovanni Ortega

Joshua Byrne Raj Safi Jai Dreher Aakash Sood Jun Gesteland Alan Wu

# Metuchen High School Field Hockey Team GMC Champions

Lily Almeida Melanie McNeil Arielle Benderly Kaylee Mendez Olivia Bortman Caitlin O'Leary April Calish Skyler Pearsall Angelina Gassaway Isabel Small Claire Kenny Haley Sullivan Elizabeth Lackland Katie Sullivan Noelle Leaf Isabel Weiner Erica Li Sela Wyetzner Carly Manfre Jodie Zeng

### GMC Player of the Year

Noelle Leaf

# Girls Soccer Team Blue Division Champions

Alexandra Lipshutz Merin Boucher Charlotte Breen Sophie Lipshutz Nika Rockafeller Cassidy Connors Annalise DellaVentura Nicole Trolaro Serena Deniz Caitlin Waldron Erin Eustace Emma Walters Michaela Gwozdz Leah Wentnick Jena Kaul Grace Wetzel

# 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 26, 2019	Special Meeting I
November 26, 2019	Special Executive Meeting II
November 26, 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