

WESTPORT BOARD OF EDUCATION

AGENDA*

(Agenda Subject to Modification in Accordance with Law)

PUBLIC CALL TO ORDER

6:00 p.m., Staples High School, Room 1025c

EXECUTIVE SESSION ANTICIPATED: Executive session anticipated: Board review of administration’s response to student matter involving allegations of antisemitic bullying and discussion of attorney-client privileged communication regarding same.

RESUME PUBLIC SESSION/PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

8:00 p.m., Staples High School, Cafeteria B (Room 301)

HOLIDAY SEASON PERFORMANCE

The Staples High School Orphenians: Choral Director Lauren Pine

RECOGNITION OF CHRISTINA TORRES

ANNOUNCEMENTS FROM BOARD AND ADMINISTRATION

PUBLIC QUESTIONS/COMMENTS ON NON-AGENDA ITEMS (15 MINUTES)

MINUTES: December 14, 2023

DISCUSSION/ACTION

- 1. Approval of Tentative Agreement with the Westport Association of Educational Secretaries, United Public Services Employees Union

John Bayers

DISCUSSION

- 1. K-8 Student Achievement Report
- 2. Budget Overview

Dr. Anthony Buono

Thomas Scarice
Elio Longo

ADJOURNMENT

*A 2/3 vote is required to go to executive session, to add a topic to the agenda of a regular meeting, or to start a new topic after 10:30 p.m. The meeting can also be viewed on Cablevision channel 78 and by video stream @www.westportps.org.

PUBLIC PARTICIPATION WELCOME USING THE FOLLOWING GUIDELINES:

- Comment on non-agenda topics will occur during the first 15 minutes *except* when staff or guest presentations are scheduled.
- Board will not engage in dialogue on non-agenda items.
- Public may speak as agenda topics come up for discussion or information.
- Speakers on non-agenda items are limited to 2 minutes each, except by prior arrangement with chair.
- Speakers on agenda items are limited to 3 minutes each, except by prior arrangement with chair.
- Comments may concern any subject within the Board’s jurisdiction
- The Board may modify these limitations at the beginning of a meeting if the number of persons wishing to speak makes it advisable to do so
- Speakers must give name and address, and use microphone.
- Per Board policy, speakers must be town residents, employees, or a parent/guardian of an enrolled student
- Responses to questions may be deferred if answers not immediately available.
- Public comment is normally not invited for topics listed for action after having been publicly discussed at one or more meetings.

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