November 7, 2024 Staples High School

### 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:** Pending Litigation

## RESUME PUBLIC SESSION/PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

7:00 p.m., Staples High School, Cafeteria B (Room 301)

#### ANNOUNCEMENTS FROM BOARD AND ADMINISTRATION

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

MINUTES: October 24 and 30, 2024

#### **DISCUSSION/ACTION**

Renewal of WestPAC Committee as Agent/Steward of the Westport
 Schools Permanent Art Collection, a part of the Westport Public
 Art Collections

 Kathie Bennewitz
 Ive Covaci
 Anne Boberski

2. Gifts of Artworks for Westport Schools Permanent Art Collection

Art Collections

Kathie Bennewitz

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Anne Boberski

#### DISCUSSION

1. Social Studies Program Evaluation Dr. Anthony Buono Dr. Lauren Francese

#### **DISCUSSION/ACTION**

1. Redistricting Thomas Scarice

2. Gifts Thomas Scarice

#### **DISCUSSION**

1. Tri-State Consortium Program Visit - K-12 Science Dr. Anthony Buono

2. FY 2026 Budget Cost Drivers and Assumptions Elio Longo

3. FY 2026 Budget Preparation Calendar Elio Longo

4. First Quarter Financial Report 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 on 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.
- Speakers must give name and address, and use microphone.
- Per Board policy, speakers must be a town resident, employee, student, 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.