

## Agenda

West Hartford Public Schools Board of Education  
Tuesday, May 17, 2016, 7:00 p.m.  
Town Hall, 50 South Main Street  
Legislative Chamber - Room 314

### I. Call to Order

- A. Roll Call
- B. Pledge of Allegiance
- C. Revision to Agenda Order

### II. Student Participation

III. **Public Communications:** Comments on topics of interest from the public. Board members do not respond to comments (3 minutes per individual, 20 minutes per subject matter).

### IV. Unfinished Business

### V. New Business

#### A. [State of Connecticut Healthy Food Certificate](#)

**Recommendation:** That the Board of Education approve West Hartford Public Schools take action to re-certify that:

- All West Hartford Schools will comply with the Connecticut Nutrition Standards pursuant to Section 10-215e of the Connecticut General Statutes for the period of July 1, 2016 through June 30, 2017.
- Exemptions will be allowed for the sale of food items that do not meet the Connecticut Nutrition Standards provided that 1) the sale is in connection with an event occurring after the end of the regular school day or on the weekend, 2) the sale is at the location of the event, and 3) the food is not sold from a vending machine or school store.

#### B. [Proposed Revision to 2016-2017 School Calendar](#) which was Adopted by the Board of Education on March 17, 2015 (First Reading)

**Recommendation:** That the Board of Education review as a First Reading the proposed revision to the 2016-2017 school calendar which was adopted by the Board of Education on March 17, 2015

#### C. Motion by Cheryl Greenberg, Mark Overmyer-Velazquez, and Mark Zydanowicz to Approve [Revised Policies 4140, 4210, and 4220—First Reading](#)

**Recommendation:** THAT the Board of Education accept as a First Reading the following policies which were revised by the Board Policy Subcommittee:

4140---Staff Development  
4210---Substitute Teachers  
4220---Student Teachers

- D.** Motion by Cheryl Greenberg, Mark Overmyer-Velazquez, and Mark Zydanowicz to [Approve Reviewed Policies 4150, 4180, 4230](#)

**Recommendation:** THAT the Board of Education approve the following policies which were reviewed by the Board Policy Subcommittee:

4150---Exchange Teaching  
4180---Moving Expenses of Teachers  
4230---Homebound Teachers

**VI. Staff Communications and Reports**

- A. Superintendent's Report
- B. Staff Reports and Board Discussions

**1. [High School Redesign](#)**

Background: Dr. Nancy DePalma and Mr. Paul Vicinus will report.

**2. Personnel Report**

Background: Mr. Rick Ledwith will report.

**VII. Routine Matters**

- A. Approval of Minutes
1. Approval of the [Minutes from the May 3, 2016 Regular Board of Education meeting](#)

**Recommendation:** THAT the Board of Education approve the minutes of the Regular Board of Education meeting of May 3, 2016

**VIII. Information and Reports**

- A. Board Members: Communications and Reports
1. Reports from Other Boards and Organizations
2. Other Information and Discussions

A. Non-Staff Communications and Report

1. Reports from Student Board Representatives

**IX. Future Business**

- A. Announcement of Future Meeting Dates
1. Tuesday, May 31, Board Awards, 6:00 p.m., King Philip Middle School, 100 King Philip Drive

2. Tuesday, June 7, regular BOE meeting, 7:00 p.m., Town Hall, room 314, Legislative Chamber

B. Request for Future Agenda Items

X. **Comments from Visitors** – 3 minutes per individual, 20 minutes per subject matter

XI. **Executive Session**

XII. **Adjournment**