



School Committee

There will be a special meeting of the Chelsea School Committee on Thursday, July 30, 2020 at 6:30 p.m. to discuss and take action on the items in the following agenda. The meeting is **closed** in order to observe social distancing guidelines. The meeting will be livestreamed for the public at <https://www.facebook.com/ChelseaPublicSchools/>

AGENDA

1. **Call to Order**
2. **Pledge of Allegiance:**
3. **School Committee Minutes:** Approval of the minutes of the regular meeting of June 25, 2020. (Enclosure A)
4. **Public Comment:** Anyone wishing to speak during the public comment period must sign up before 5:00 p.m. on July 30th to receive call in information. To indicate you would like to speak at the meeting, contact superintendent@chelseaschools.com or 617-466-4450. Public Comments can also be emailed or telephoned in before 5:00 p.m. and will be read into the record.
5. **Report of the Superintendent of Schools:** Reopening of Schools Update Presentation

Student Achievement:

Personnel Update: None

Enrollment Reports: None

Committee Reports: None

6. **Unfinished Business:** None

7. **New Business:**

- Consideration and action to support the Resolution to Support a Call for Full State Reimbursement of all COVID -19 Expenses for Chelsea Public Schools.
(Enclosure B)

Explanation: Year after year, the Chelsea Public School System has experienced budget cuts. It is time for the state to support the community of Chelsea. Reopening schools will require an enormous amount of PPE (personal protective equipment) and we need the financial support in order to ensure the safety of our students, staff and faculty.

- Consideration and action to accept \$11,506 from the Department of Elementary and Secondary Education for the Summer and Vacation Learning Program grant.
(Enclosure C)

Explanation: The FY2021 Summer and Vacation Learning Program Grant supports efforts to develop, expand, or enhance high quality, summer and/or school vacation learning programs. This year, funding can

be used for programs that are in-person, virtual, or a combination of both. The funds will be used for stipends, indirect costs and other expenses for extended school year, and to support implementation of the Calculus Project, a program designed to increase the number of students of color that eventually pass AP Calculus in high school.

Massachusetts General Laws, Chapter 71, Section 37A provides for the acceptance of grants for educational purposes only with the approval of the Chelsea School Committee.

8. Communications:

9. Announcements:

10. Adjournment: