



# Northbridge Public Schools

## Northbridge School Committee

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### Northbridge Public Schools School Committee Meeting

#### Tuesday, May 25, 2021 7:00PM

Northbridge High School Media Center

#### Join Zoom Meeting

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- I. Call to Order (7:00)
- II. Statement regarding Governor Baker’s March 12, 2020 Order Suspending Certain Provisions of the Open Meeting Law
- III. Attendance
- IV. Statement of Audio and Video Recording
- V. Statement of Mission
- VI. School Committee Reorganization (7:05)
  - A. Chairperson
  - B. Vice-Chairperson
  - C. Secretary
- VII. Appointments and Subcommittees
  - A. Budget Subcommittee
  - B. Policy Subcommittee
  - C. Negotiations Subcommittee
  - D. Building, Planning, and Construction Subcommittee
  - E. Community Preservation Committee
  - F. Fields Committee
  - G. Green Committee
  - H. Safety Committee
  - I. School Building Committee (School Committee Representative)

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- J. School Building Committee (Community Representative)
- VIII. Public Comment (7:20)
  - Comments for this meeting may be emailed in advance of the 7:00 p.m. start time to [school\\_committee@nps.org](mailto:school_committee@nps.org). All comments will be recorded in the record, and all attempts will be made to mention them live during the meeting. Any emails received during the meeting before the public comment period ends will also be attempted to be mentioned.*
- IX. Superintendent's Report (7:25)
- X. Presentation
  - A. 2018-2021 District Strategic Plan – End of Plan Report
- XI. Consent Agenda (7:30)
  - A. School Committee Meeting Minutes from May 11, 2021
  - B. Warrant 41-46s \$336,122.47 May 13, 2021
- XII. Action Items (7:35)
  - A. Kitchen Surplus
  - B. Replace AC-Non-Discrimination Policy with updated Policy AC – *Non-Discrimination and Harassment*
  - C. Eliminate Policy JBA – Student to Student Harassment (covered by new Policy AC and grievance procedures)
  - D. Remove Policy JICFB – Bullying and Harassment Policy (covered by new Policy AC and grievance procedures)
  - E. Rename Policy ACAB-E/JICFB – E Bullying and Harassment Policy to Policy JICFB - *Anti-Bullying Policy*
  - F. Eliminate Policy ACA – Non-Discrimination on the Basis of Sex (redundant)
- XIII. Discussion (7:45)
  - A. Before/After School Programs RFP Update
- XIV. Information
  - A. YTD Budget Report
- XV. School Committee Individual Comments
- XVI. Adjournment (8:00)

Note: The listings of matters are those reasonably anticipated by the Chair which may be discussed at the meeting. Not all items listed may in fact be discussed and other items not listed may also be brought up for discussion to the extent permitted by law. Also, the timeframe for each topic is a general guideline and may not be strictly adhered to.