



**BELCHERTOWN PUBLIC SCHOOLS  
REGULAR SCHOOL COMMITTEE MEETING  
May 14, 2019**

**LOCATION:** Chestnut Hill Community School -Library

**TIME:** 7:00 p.m.

**AGENDA**

Pledge of Allegiance

- I. Call to order
- II. For emergency issues only, School Committee members' additions to the agenda (with the consent of the majority)
- III. Public comment regarding items on the agenda
- IV. Special awards and presentations: SEL Presentation-Cold Spring School  
Summer Food Service Grants Received  
Chestnut Hill Presentation
- V. Update from BHS Student Advisory Council representative: James Wang
- VI. **Consent Items**
  - A. Approval of minutes (A.I.)  
April 9, 2019, Regular Session
  - B. Approval of Warrants  
Accounts payable warrant: S/042219, 042219SA, S/050619,  
Payroll warrant: Warrant #1942
  - C. Personnel Update
  - D. Budget Transfers
- VII. Unfinished business
  - A. Superintendent Appointment
  - B. School Committee Goals- Building Walkthrough Updates
  - C. School Committee Handbook
  - D. Track Bid
- VIII. New business
  - A. Job Description- Summer Coordinator Lunch Program
  - B. Job Description- Summer Cook/Manager
  - C. Natick Court Decision
- IX. Reports and recommendations of the Superintendent
  - A. Town Meeting Update
  - B. MySchoolBucks
- X. Reports of Subcommittees
  - A. Curriculum & Instruction (5-14-19)
  - B. Personnel & Policy (5-28-19)
  - C. Property & Transportation (6-11-19)
  - D. Finance & Budget Subcommittee (5-13-19)
- XI. Reports of school department liaisons
  - A. Healthy & Safer Schools Advisory Committee
  - B. Collaborative for Educational Services

## XII. Correspondence

- A. Agenda, April 22, 2019
- B. Minutes, April 9, 2019 (Regular Session)
- C. SEL Presentation- Cold Spring School
- D. Accounts Payable and Payroll Warrants
- E. Personnel Update
- F. Budget Transfers
- G. School Committee Goals- Building Walkthrough Updates
- H. School Committee Handbook
- I. Summer Coordinator Lunch Program Job Description
- J. Summer Cook/Manager Job Description
- K. 2-Board of Administrators Newsletters (Informational Only)

## XIII. Vote to enter into Executive Session:

- A. Pursuant to M.G.L. c. 30A, s. 21, Part 3 to discuss strategy with respect to collective bargaining or litigation with Units, A, B, C, D and E; as conducting said business in open session would have a detrimental effect on the School Committee's bargaining or litigation position.
- B. Executive session pursuant to M.G.L. c. 30A, s. 21(a)(2) to discuss strategy in preparation for negotiations with nonunion personnel (i.e., the Superintendent, Food Service and Facilities).

## XIV. Vote to adjourn

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*The listings of matters are those reasonably anticipated by the Chair which may be discussed at the meeting. Not all items may in fact be discussed and other items not listed may also be brought up for discussion to the extent permitted by law.*

*Vision Statement*

*Belchertown students, both individually and collaboratively, will be innovative thinkers, problem solvers and unique, creative contributors to their community and the world*

*Mission Statement*

*In the pursuit of excellence and the development of life-long learners, it is the mission of the Belchertown Public Schools to challenge and engage all students in a respectful, positive learning environment that fosters personal, social and academic growth in order to achieve success in a global society.*

The Belchertown School Committee conducts its business in open session pursuant to Chapter 30A, Section 21 of the Massachusetts General Laws. The public is welcome to comment only on items on the agenda for this meeting as noted above. If you wish to address the School Committee regarding an item not on the agenda for this meeting, please contact the Superintendent of Schools at 413.323.0423 or via email at [superintendent@belchertownps.org](mailto:superintendent@belchertownps.org) to determine the best way to address your concerns (see [School Committee Policy BEDH](#)).