

Wachusett Regional School District Committee

Regular Meeting #1433

Monday, October 6, 2025

7:00 PM

Media Center - Wachusett Regional High School

1401 Main St. Holden, MA

“Our vision is a safe, supportive, and inspiring learning community where our students grow to be creative and independent thinkers, compassionate and kind individuals, responsible and empowered citizens, and curious life-long learners” - WRSD Strategic Plan 2024-2027

Agenda

- I. Call to Order
- II. Public Comment
- III. Chair’s Opening Remarks
- IV. Student Representative’s Report
- V. Superintendent’s Report
 - A. Discussion of Report
 1. Special Education update
- VI. Secretary’s Report

Motion: To approve the Consent Agenda:

 1. **Motion**: To approve the Executive Session Minutes of September 8, 2025
 2. **Motion**: To approve the Regular Meeting Minutes of September 22, 2025
- VII. Committee Business
 - A. **Motion**: To affirm Policy 7161 - **Policy Relating to Support Operations- Naming of School Property & Grounds**, second reading
 - B. **Motion**: To amend Policy 7159 - **Policy Relating to Support Operations -Vandalism**, second reading
 - C. **Motion**: To adopt Policy 3370 - **Policy Relating to Education - Middle School Pathway Exploration**, first reading
 - D. **Motion**: To amend Policy 6637 - **Policy Relating to Pupil Services - Animals In Schools**, first reading
 - E. **Motion**: To adopt Policy 6638 - **Policy Relating to Pupil Services - Service Animals in Schools**, first reading
 - F. **Motion**: To delete Policy 4650 - **Policy Relating to Budget Finance - Wachusett Regional School District Treasure**, first reading
- VIII. Subcommittee Business
 - A. Business/Finance Subcommittee (J.Brennan-Chair, K. Govardhan-Vice Chair, D.Lorway, S.Poole)
 - B. Policy Subcommittee (B.Beardmore-Chair, B.Fisher, M.Gustafson-Vice Chair, L.Kirshenbaum, A.Stoica)
 - C. Legal Affairs Subcommittee (S.Runstrom-Chair, A.Stoica-Vice-Chair, M.Gustafson)

- D. Superintendent Goals and Evaluation Subcommittee (P.DuBois-Chair, B.Fisher, L.Kirshenbaum, J.Winters)
- E. Facilities and Security Subcommittee (S.Poole-Chair, N.Borreson, B.Cline, K.Govardhan-Vice Chair, J.Winters)
- F. Audit Advisory Board (L.Salmon-Garrett-Chair, J.Brennan-Vice-Chair)
- G. SEPAC Liaison Report (S.Runstrom)
- H. School Council Reports:
 - Central Tree Middle School (B.Beardmore), Chocksett Middle School (B.Cline), Davis Hill Elementary School (S.Poole), Dawson Elementary School (B.Fisher), Glenwood Elementary School (N.Borreson), Houghton Elementary School (J.Winters), Mayo Elementary School (M.Gustafson), Mountview Middle School (L.Kirshenbaum), Naquag Elementary School (K.Govardhan), Paxton Center School (S.Runstrom), Thomas Prince School (P.DuBois), Wachusett Regional High School (J.Brennan), Early Childhood Center (L.Salmon-Garrett)

IX. New Business

X. Adjournment

The above agenda items 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.