

**PORTSMOUTH SCHOOL BOARD PUBLIC MEETING FOR SEPTEMBER 13, 2011**

CITY HALL, EILEEN DONDERO FOLEY COUNCIL CHAMBERS

PORTSMOUTH, NH

DATE: TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 13, 2011

TIME: 7:00PM [or thereafter]

**NOTICE OF NON-PUBLIC MEETING: 6:00 – 6:30 PM.** IT IS ANTICIPATED THAT THE PORTSMOUTH SCHOOL BOARD WILL HOLD A NON-PUBLIC SESSION IN CONFERENCE ROOM A IN ACCORDANCE WITH RSA 91-A: 3, I (3).

**NEW STAFF MEMBER RECEPTION: 6:30 TO 7:00 P.M.** IT IS ANTICIPATED THAT THE PORTSMOUTH SCHOOL BOARD WILL HOLD A RECEPTION FROM 6:30 TO 7:00 P.M. IN THE PORTSMOUTH ROOM FOR NEW STAFF MEMBERS. THE PUBLIC IS WELCOME TO ATTEND.

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**I. CALL TO ORDER**

**II. ROLL CALL**

**III. INVOCATION**

**IV. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

**V. ACCEPTANCE OF MINUTES**

- a. AUGUST 16, 2011 PUBLIC MINUTES
- b. AUGUST 23, 2011 PUBLIC MINUTES

**VI. PUBLIC COMMENT**

**VII. SPECIAL PRESENTATION**

- a. KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS DONATION
- b. NEW STAFF MEMBER INTRODUCTIONS

**VIII. SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT**

- a. ITEMS OF INFORMATION
  - i. *BOARD AND ADMINISTRATOR*, AUGUST
  - ii. *SUPERINTENDENT'S UPDATE*, SEPTEMBER
  - iii. DRAFT OF 2011-12 PROGRESS REPORT
  - iv. SAFE ROUTES TO SCHOOLS UPDATE AND SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS
  - v. *THE MISSING LINK IN SCHOOL REFORM* IN FALL 2011 STANFORD SOCIAL INNOVATION REVIEW
  - vi. NICHINAN, JAPAN VISIT
- b. CORRESPONDENCE
  - i. PUBLIC WORKS DIRECTOR, STEVE PARKINSON, THANK YOU
  - ii. RESIDENCY RESOLUTION PROCESS
  - iii. RESPONSE TO CITY COUNCIL'S REQUEST FOR SCHOOL CHOICE UPDATE

- c. DISTRICT REPORTS
  - i. FINANCIAL, MR. BARTLETT

**IX. OLD BUSINESS**

- a. DISCUSSION ON IMPACT OF SCHOOL CHOICE
- b. 2<sup>ND</sup> READING OF POLICIES
  - i. SERVICE ANIMALS (IMGA)
  - ii. BEHAVIOR MANAGEMENT AND INTERVENTION (JLDBA)
  - iii. SCHOOL GUIDANCE AND COUNSELING PROGRAM (JLD)
  - iv. HEALTH EDUCATION AND EXEMPTION FROM INSTRUCTION (IHAM)
  - v. COMMUNITY RESOURCES (IJO)
  - vi. HARASSMENT/SEXUAL HARASSMENT (GBAA)
  - vii. GRADES (IKAD)
  - viii. DATA/RECORDS RETENTION (EHB)

**X. NEW BUSINESS**

**XI. COMMITTEE UPDATE**

- a. JBC

**XII. ADJOURNMENT**

Respectfully submitted by:

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Ed. McDonough". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Ed McDonough  
Superintendent of Schools