

SCHOOL COMMITTEE  
HULL PUBLIC SCHOOLS  
HULL, MA 02045

SCHOOL COMMITTEE MINUTES  
THURSDAY, AUGUST 27, 2020

SCHOOL COMMITTEE MEMBERS PRESENT REMOTELY

Jennifer Fleming, Chair (present)  
David Twombly, Vice Chair (present)  
Lucas Patenaude, Secretary (present)  
Ernest Minelli, Member (present)  
Stephanie Peters, Member (present)

OTHERS PRESENT REMOTELY

Judy Kuehn, Superintendent of Schools  
David DeGennaro, Business Administrator  
Maggie Ollerhead, Secretary to the Superintendent

1.0 Call to Order

The meeting was remotely called to order by Jennifer Fleming, Chair at 6:03 p.m. remotely, via Go-To-Meeting.

Ms. Fleming explained remote participation protocols for this meeting.

2.0 Superintendent's Business Items

2.1 Information update on Charting the Course Together to Re-Open School

Joyce Sullivan, Hull Director of Public Health, discussed the metric and how she tracks COVID cases. Ms. Sullivan answered questions from School Committee members. Ms. Kuehn thanked Ms. Sullivan. Ms. Kuehn also took the time to thank a lot of people by name, including the educators, leadership team, custodians, technology, central office staff, nurses, HTA co-presidents and parents. Ms. Kuehn informed the Committee that students who have opted out for remote learning will be enrolled in Pirate Academy. Dr. Merrigan is the K-8 coordinator and Ms. Nosek and Ms. Grosso will coordinate at Hull High School. Pirate Academy is a one term or trimester commitment, with a two week notice they will be welcome to join whatever model we are in at that time. There have been and will have forum for parents. Grade 6 orientation and videos. We are working on bus routes and classroom procedures. Teachers will come to school at 8:00 am on Monday, August 31<sup>st</sup>. Currently there are 55 students at Jacobs signed up for remote, 33 at Memorial and 35 at Hull High. We usually have 10 homeschoolers but at this time we have 27 homeschoolers.

2.2 School Committee Policies

**Motion:** Stephanie Peters

**Second:** David Twombly

Move to approve the following policies for first reading with one change: ACAA, change "it can be reported" to "in shall be reported".

EBCFA Face Coverings

EBCFB COVID-19 Employee Policy Update: Recreational Travel & Mandatory Self-Quarantine  
EBCFB-E COVID-19 Employee Form: Self-certification of no symptoms  
ACAA/GBB Sexual Harassment  
ACAB Title IX  
KE Public Complaints  
**Roll Call Vote:** Ayes: Stephanie Peters, David Twombly, Lucas Patenaude, Ernest Minelli and Jennifer Fleming

### 2.3 School Calendar

Ms. Kuehn informed the Committee that the principals have updated the school calendar to reflect all the changes since the start date of school changed to September 16<sup>th</sup>.

**Motion:** Stephanie Peters **Second:** Lucas Patenaude  
Move to approve the school calendar as presented.  
**Roll Call Vote:** Ayes: Stephanie Peters, Lucas Patenaude, David Twombly, Ernest Minelli and Jennifer Fleming

### 2.4 School Committee Dates

**Motion:** Stephanie Peters **Second:** David Twombly  
Move to approve the school committee calendar after adding a Community Forum on October 28, 2020.  
**Roll Call Vote:** Ayes: Stephanie Peters, David Twombly, Ernest Minelli, Lucas Patenaude and Jennifer Fleming

### 30 Executive Session

Motion: Stephanie Peters **Second:** David Twombly  
Motion to go into Executive Session at 7:33 pm pursuant to M. G. L. c. 30A, Section 21(a)(3) – to discuss strategy with respect to litigation. An open meeting may have a detrimental effect.  
**Roll call vote:** Ayes Stephanie Peters, David Twombly, Lucas Patenaude, Jennifer Fleming and Ernest Minelli

### 4.0 Adjournment

These Minutes of a meeting of the Hull School Committee were approved and adopted by the Committee on September 30, 2020

Lucas Patenaude, Secretary  
Hull School Committee