

Frenchtown Board of Education Goal Setting Meeting Agenda

June 9, 2020 6:45 p.m.

1. CALL TO ORDER – Opening Statement

Adequate notice of this regularly scheduled meeting of the Frenchtown Board of Education has been provided in accordance with the Open Public Meeting act by notification to the Hunterdon County Democrat on January 16, 2020. A copy of this notice has also been posted at the public school, at the municipal building and filed with the borough clerk.

The public may view and participate in public comment by visiting the following website:
www.dvrhs.org/fesboemeeting

2. THE PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

3. ROLL CALL

Mr. Adam Blackburn
Mrs. Kara Bobrowski
Mrs. Laura Einhorn

Ms. Laine Nauman
Mrs. Teresa Pearson
Mr. Hugo Rodriguez

Mrs. Kate Nugent

4. PRESENTATIONS / RECOGNITIONS

5. PUBLIC COMMENT (all school-related topics; time limits: 30 min. total; 3 min. /person)

At this time, comment is invited on any matter relating to the school district.

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6. 2019/2020 BOARD and DISTRICT GOALS

Frenchtown District Goals (2019- 2020)

1. Incorporate Community Service Learning into the educational program, including an 8th grade capstone community service project.

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2. Expand current Personalized Student Learning Plan for students in grades 6 thru 8 to further differentiate and individualize instruction.
3. Consider new scheduling models for middle school.
4. Assess the needs and goals for technology, and anticipate any upcoming expenses. Create a five year technology plan.

Board Goals (2019- 2020)

1. Negotiate a new teachers' contract with the Frenchtown Education Association to replace the current contract which expires June 30, 2020.
2. By February 1st of 2020, create a three to five year feasibility plan for the district to explore options for dealing with cuts in state funding.
3. Create more opportunities to positively market our school, including participation in town events such as Riverfest and Bastille Day.
4. Assess the viability of Green Certification in our district.

7. BOARD RETREAT

- A. Superintendent Evaluation
- B. Board Self-Evaluation
- C. 20/21 Goal Setting

8. BOARD SECRETARY REPORT

Informational Items

- Board Meeting Schedule
 - ✓ June 23, 2020 – Action Meeting
 - ✓ August 25, 2020 – Action Meeting
 - ✓ September 22, 2020 – Action Meeting
- School Board Candidate Kits Available
 - ✓ 3– Three-Year Seats Available
 - ✓ Petitions Due to the County Clerk – July 27, 2020

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9. CONSENT AGENDA

Matters listed within the consent agenda have been referred to members of the Board of Education for reading and study and will be enacted with one motion. The Personnel items on the consent agenda are recommended by the Superintendent. If separate discussion is desired, the item may be removed from the consent agenda by Board action.

Action Items:

Personnel

ESY Teachers

9.1 Motion to approve the following virtual summer Instruction Teachers from July 6, 2020 to July 30, 2020 from 9 :00 am to 12 :00 pm

Teacher	Position	Rate
Brandi Bontempo	Teacher	\$45.00 / Hour
Cristina Doyle	Teacher	\$45.00 / Hour
Katelynn Yard	Teacher	\$45.00 / Hour

10. NEW BUSINESS

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The Board President may terminate the remarks of any individual, when they do not adhere to the rules established above.

12. EXECUTIVE SESSION

Motion to approve the following resolution:

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WHEREAS, Section 6 of the Open Public Meetings Act, Chapter 231, P.L. 1975 (R.S. 10:4-13), permits the exclusion of the public from a meeting or portion of a meeting of this public body in certain circumstances and

WHEREAS, the Board must consider (see check below), which is/are exempt from public discussion pursuant to the Act;

- 1. Matter which by express provision of law is rendered confidential
- 2. Release of information which would impair receipt of federal funds
- 3. Individual Privacy/ Student Matters
- 4. Collective Bargaining/Negotiations
- 5. Real estate matters
- 6. Disclosure could impair public safety
- 7. Pending/Anticipated Litigation
- 8. Terms and conditions of employment
- 9. Deliberations involving imposition of specific civil penalty.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Education adjourn to executive session at ____p.m. to discuss the above-mentioned matters to the exclusion of all others. Matters discussed may or may not be made public this evening. Resulting action may or may not be taken following re-entry into regular session.

13. ADJOURNMENT