

Agenda

7:00 PM

Budget Workshop/Public Forum/Hearing

Monday
June 1, 2009

Greely Middle School
Cafeteria

1. Call To Order - by MSAD #51 Board of Directors Chair, Dave Perkins ____ PM.
2. Approval of Minutes
3. Public Comment
4. Superintendent's Report
5. Budget Workshop/Public Forum/Hearing
6. Committee Reports
 - a) Finance
 - b) Policy
 - c) Negotiation
 - d) Facilities
 - e) Non-Standing Committees
7. Items for Action
 - a) Vote to approve the Computation and Declaration of Votes for the May 26, 2009 Budget Validation Referendum
 - b) Vote to adopt warrant regarding the 2009-2010 budget and to forward to public vote on June 10, 2009, and to call the District Budget Validation Referendum on June 16, 2009.
 - c) Vote to appoint continuing teacher contract for 2009-2010 school year
8. Communications
9. Adjourn Meeting _____ PM

MSAD #51 Mission

The mission of MSAD

#51 is to guide all students as they acquire enthusiasm for learning, assume responsibility for their education, achieve academic excellence, and discover and attain their personal best.

To accomplish this mission, the MSAD #51 community will collaborate to:

- Use effective instructional practices and provide professional development to assure that all students meet or exceed the District's Content Standards and Performance Indicators as they relate to the system of Maine Learning Results;
- Ensure a safe and respectful environment where all feel a sense of belonging; and
- Promote parental participation as fundamental to each student's success.

Board Goals for 2008-2009

1. Ensure that each student is effectively engaged in learning, meets or exceeds the District's Content Standards and Performance Indicators, and progresses towards attaining his/her personal best by:

- Supporting the District's ongoing work in curriculum, assessment, instruction and professional development;
- Measuring the District's progress towards attaining its mission by collecting, analyzing and sharing data on student performance;
- Supporting the District's ongoing work to meet measurable goals for student achievement; and
- Developing and evaluating the structures and policies necessary to ensure all students meet the District's Content Standards and Performance Indicators as they relate to the system of Maine Learning Results.

2. Implement accountability systems for providing, assessing and supporting student learning by:

- Recruiting, retaining and developing quality staff;
- Encouraging the ongoing development of instructional and administrative leadership; and
- Continuing to use a system of data analysis for decision making.

3. Promote community involvement in education by:

- Improving and expanding the array of communication tools employed by the District;
- Establishing an ongoing dialogue both within the District's community and with other governing boards;
- Collaborating with the community to meet student needs;
- Supporting work to focus on community connections and resources; and
- Utilizing Board meetings to encourage and facilitate engaged dialogue about educational developments and improvements.

4. Provide a quality learning and work environment to support our educational mission by:

- Exploring a plan to acquire and fund land for future school space;
- Continuing to update and expand funding for the capital plan for maintenance and improvement of facilities; and
- Completing the renovation to Greely High School.

5. Provide responsible oversight of District and Community resources by:

- Continuing to review and support inclusive and transparent systems of fiscal planning and accountability;
- Supporting continuous review and improvement of District policies, processes, and activities to maximize efficiency and promote long-term sustainability; and
- Continuing the development of long range budgetary goals that take into account community resources and a review of District needs and priorities.

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Upcoming Meetings/Events

- 6/2/09 – GMS Chorus/Chamber Singers Concert, 7:00 PM
6/3/09 – Early Release: grades K-5 @ 12:15 PM, grades 6-12 @ 1:15 PM
6/3/09 – NYMS Spring Concert, GMS, 6:30 PM
6/4/09 – GHS Class Day, Noon
6/4/09 – GMS Band/Jazz Band Concert, 7:00 PM
6/5/09 – GHS Candlelight
6/6/09 – SAT Exams
6/7/09 – Graduation, 2:00 PM
6/8/09 – Incoming Gr. 4 information night for parents, NYMS, 6:30 PM
6/9/09 – PTO Information Meeting, MIW 7:00 PM
6/10/09 – Public Budget Vote at Greely High School, 7:00 PM
6/10/09 – Early Release: grades K-5 @ 12:15 PM, grades 6-12 @ 1:15 PM
6/13/09 – ACT Tests
6/15/09 – School Board Meeting, GMS, 7:00 PM
6/16/09 – Budget Validation Referendum, June 16, at North Yarmouth & Cumberland polling locations
6/17/09 – Early Release: grades K-5 @ 12:15 PM, grades 6-12 @ 1:15 PM
6/21/09 – Fathers Day, 1st day of spring
6/22/09 – Last Day of School. Release times: Gr. K-5 @ 12:15 PM, Gr. 6-8 @ 11:15 AM, Gr. 9 – 11 Exams
6/23/09 – Teacher In-Service Day

Please go to www.msad51.org for budget information or contact the Superintendent's office, 829-4800. The following [Vote Meeting Guide](#) provides details.

2009-2010 MSAD 51 Budget Votes - Meeting Guide

Public Budget Meeting - 1st Vote

Vote on June 10, 2009

Registration Begins: 6:30pm

Meeting Begins: 7:00pm

Greely High School Gym

(You must be present to vote)

Meeting Agenda - The meeting will start promptly at 7pm

- Swearing in of Moderator
- Swearing in of Ballot Clerks
- Presentation of Budget by Board of Directors
- Vote on each Budget Article –explanation by the moderator, public questions and comment prior to voting
- Adjourn

Parking

- Senior Citizen and handicap parking will be in the front parking lot of Greely High School.
- Parking is available at Greely High School and at Mabel Wilson and Greely Middle Schools located on Tuttle Road. You may walk up to Greely High School on the paths behind the schools.

Registration

- Registration will begin at 6:30pm. **PLEASE NOTE THAT ONCE YOU REGISTER YOU MAY NOT LEAVE AND RETURN LATER.**
- **North Yarmouth** voters will register at tables in the **entrance hallway** of Greely High School.
- **Cumberland** voters will register at tables in the Greely High School **cafeteria**.
- You must be a registered voter. Please register at your town hall or you may register at the meeting.
- Voters must be present at the meeting to vote.

Voting

- Voting on most warrant items will be by a show of hands. Some warrant articles will require voting by paper ballot. In that case, ballot boxes will be available in the gym and the voting will be supervised by the ballot clerks.

and

Budget Validation Referendum - 2nd Vote

June 16, 2009

Cumberland and North Yarmouth Town Voting Locations

North Yarmouth - Wescustogo Hall, 475 Walnut Hill Rd., 8 am until 8:00 pm

Cumberland - Town Hall, 290 Tuttle Rd., 7 am - 8 pm

(Absentee Voters: Contact your town offices for ballots)

As part of the new consolidation law, a Budget Validation Referendum to approve or disapprove the budget acted upon at the 6/10/09 District Budget Meeting is required.