

LYNN PUBLIC SCHOOLS
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SCHOOL COMMITTEE MEETING AND AGENDA

December 18, 2025

The Second Special meeting of the Lynn School Committee will be held on Thursday, December 18, 2025, at **195 Market Street, 1st floor, School Committee Room**. The timing format of the meetings will be as follows. There will be a Committee of the Whole meeting at 6:00 p.m., a Policy Sub-Committee and a Committee of the Whole meeting at 6:30 p.m., the open mic session, then immediately following that, the Second Special meeting will begin.

The meeting can be viewed via LPS Website – Webcast Live Stream, on channel 22 for Comcast, and channel 37 for Verizon.

Committee of the Whole Meeting
6:00 p.m.

- I. Farewell to members Dugan and Reid

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Policy Sub-Committee Meeting and a Committee of the Whole Meeting
6:30 p.m.

- I. Policy – JEB – Entrance Age – Jacqueline Gallo and Charlie Gallo
II. Policy – JFABD – Homeless children and unaccompanied youth – Lauren Walsh

ORDER OF BUSINESS

- I. Salute to the Flag
II. Moment of Silence
III. In Memoriam
A. Marilyn J. (Scarborough) Meuse – former teacher on November 16, 2025
B. Dorothy E. Healy – retired paraprofessional on November 18, 2025
C. Patricia Hourihan – retired administrator on November 21, 2025
D. James McGahan – retired teacher on November 30, 2025
E. Dr. James T. Leonard – retired Superintendent of Schools on December 3, 2025
IV. Minutes
A. Seventeenth Regular meeting on November 13, 2025
V. Ratification of Sub-Committee Votes
A. Ratification of votes, if any, taken in the Policy Sub-Committee meeting
VI. Appointments / Elections (none)
VII. Presentations
A. Budget update and Projected numbers – Molly Cohen
VIII. Unfinished Business (none)
IX. New Business
A. Request to accept the following donations
1. Donation of \$2,000 from the Cummings Community Giving Award to Ford Elementary for Grade 3 classrooms
2. Miscellaneous donations to the Classical High School Trades Scholarship totaling \$400
3. Books from a G.E. Aerospace book drive – recipient schools are to be determined
B. Purpose 3 – M.G.L. Chapter 30A §21 (a)(3) to discuss strategy with respect to collective bargaining or litigation if an open meeting may have a detrimental effect on the bargaining or litigating position of the public body and the Chair so declares in order to provide the Committee with an update on potential Massachusetts Commission Against Discrimination litigation.
C. Pursuant to M.G.L Chapter 30A, Section 21 (a)(2) to discuss strategy in preparation for negotiations with non-union personnel – Administrator of Special Education and Executive Directors
D. Ratification of votes, if any, taken in Executive Session
X. Communications and Information
A. NEC 2025 Annual Report
B. Superintendent's Report