



# GREATER NEW BEDFORD REGIONAL VOCATIONAL TECHNICAL HIGH SCHOOL

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## NOTICE OF OPEN MEETING

In accordance with the provisions of Massachusetts General Meeting Laws, Chapter 30, Section 21, please post notice that there will be an open meeting of the Greater New Bedford Regional Vocational Technical High School District:

Public Body: School Committee Time: 6:30 (P.M.)

Date: Monday - April 23, 2018

Location: Greater New Bedford Regional Vocational Technical High School - **Library**  
1121 Ashley Boulevard, New Bedford, Massachusetts 02745

List of Topics that may be discussed (attach additional sheet(s) if necessary):

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\_\_\_\_\_. Continued on attached sheet(s)? **(Yes)**

In accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA), if any accommodations are needed, please contact Maria Fredette at 508-998-3321, ext. 275. Requests should be made as soon as possible but at least 48 hours prior to the scheduled meeting.

Signed: James L. O'Brien Title: Secretary Date: April 13, 2018

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This notice has been posted at least forty-eight (48) hours in advance, exclusive of Saturdays, Sundays and legal holidays.

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The Town Clerk has been informed by the relevant Chair that the meeting addresses an emergency that requires immediate action (as described in the list of topics), and that this notice has been posted as soon as was reasonably possible.

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This notice has been rejected as untimely, with no emergency basis given.

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<b>James L. O'Brien</b> <i>Superintendent-Director</i>	<b>Michael P. Watson</b> <i>Principal</i>	<b>Robert J. Watt</b> <i>Principal</i>	<b>Paul B. Kitchen</b> <i>Business Manager</i>
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Anyone who wishes to record or photograph the meeting must first notify the Chair, who will then inform the public (per Massachusetts Open Meeting Law, July 2010). Such audio or video recording may not interfere with the meeting.

A Regular Meeting of the Greater New Bedford Regional Vocational Technical High School will be held on Monday, April 23, 2018 at the Greater New Bedford Regional Vocational Technical High School, 1121 Ashley Boulevard, New Bedford, Massachusetts at 6:30 P.M.

## **AGENDA**

- I. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE
- II. A. PUBLIC HEARING ON GREATER NEW BEDFORD REGIONAL VOCATIONAL TECHNICAL HIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT OPERATING AND CAPITAL COSTS BUDGET FOR FISCAL YEAR COMMENCING JULY 1, 2018 AND ENDING JUNE 30, 2019.  
  
B. PUBLIC HEARING ON SCHOOL CHOICE FOR FISCAL YEAR COMMENCING JULY 1, 2018 AND ENDING JUNE 30, 2019.
- III. ROLL CALL
- IV. READING OF NOTICE OF MEETING
- V. EXECUTIVE SESSION UNDER CHAPTER 30, SECTION 21:
  - 1. To conduct strategy sessions in preparation for negotiations with union and non-union personnel.
- VI. NEW BUSINESS
  - A. Vote to Approve a Cost of Living Increase
  - B. Adoption of the Greater New Bedford Regional Vocational Technical High School District Operating and Capital Costs Budget for Fiscal Year Commencing July 1, 2018 and Ending June 30, 2019
  - C. Vote For / Against School Choice for the 2018/2019 School Year
- VII. READING AND ACCEPTANCE OF MINUTES OF THE MARCH 12, 2018 MEETING

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VIII. REPORTS

- A. Approval of Bills
- B. Preliminary 2018/2021 Strategic Plan
- C. April Artisan Report – Superintendent
- D. Student Representative’s Report – Dylan Mouri

IX. REPORT ON PERSONNEL APPOINTMENTS, RETIREMENTS OR RESIGNATIONS  
TO BE RECEIVED AND PLACED ON FILE:

- A. Notification of Resignation

X. COMMUNICATIONS

A. INFORMATIONAL

- 1. MASC Joint Conference – November 7-10, 2018
- 2. Chandra Orrill, Ph.D. – UMASS Dartmouth – March 8, 2018
- 3. Jeffrey Goulart, Century House – March 8, 2018
- 4. Michael R. Canastra, 1<sup>st</sup> Vice-President - Clube Madeirense S.S. Sacramento  
Inc. – April 1, 2018
- 5. Calendar of Events

XI. COMMITTEE DISCUSSION

XII. ANY OTHER BUSINESS THAT MAY PROPERLY COME BEFORE IT:

XIII. EXECUTIVE SESSION UNDER CHAPTER 30, SECTION 21:

- 1. Conduct strategy sessions with respect to pending litigation.
- 2. Conduct strategy sessions in preparation for negotiation with non-union personnel.

XIV. ADJOURNMENT