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**ORGANIZATION:** **Leicester School Committee**

**MEETING**

**PUBLIC HEARING** (Please circle appropriately)

**Day &**

**DATE:** **Monday, April 03, 2017**

**TIME:** **4:45 PM**

**LOCATION:** **Leicester High School Media center**

**REQUESTED BY:** **Judith J. Paolucci – Superintendent of Schools**

*ALL MEETING NOTICES MUST BE FILED AND TIME STAMPED IN THE TOWN CLERK'S OFFICE AND POSTED ON THE MUNICIPAL BULLETIN BOARD 48 HOURS PRIOR TO THE MEETING. (in accordance with Chapter 303 Acts of 1975)*

**LIST OF TOPICS TO BE DISCUSSED**

- I. Call to order
- II. Showcase – Leicester Middle School
- III. Student Recognition
- IV. Public Comment Period
- V. Approval of Minutes
  - a. Open Session Minutes of Meeting on February 14, 2017 [vote to approve]
  - b. Open Session Minutes of Workshop on March 6, 2017 [vote to approve]
  - c. Executive Session Minutes of Workshop on March 6, 2017 [vote to approve]
- VI. Reports
  - a. Report from School Committee Chairperson
    - i. MSBA Process for Middle School
  - b. Report from Student Liaisons
  - c. Superintendent's Report
    - i. Thoughtexchange Survey Results
  - d. Other Reports from Committees or Liaisons
- VII. Reading of Policies
  - a. Second Reading: GBED Tobacco and Vapor/E-Cigarette Use on School Property by Staff Members [vote to approve]
  - b. First Reading: GBEB-R Professional Culture [vote to table]
- VIII. Finance Items
  - a. Monthly Financial Report [vote to approve]
- IX. Business Items
  - a. School Choice Participation [vote to approve]
  - b. MSBA CORE Applications\* [vote to approve]
  - c. First Amendment to the Project Funding Agreement (the "PFA") for the Leicester High School [vote to approve]

X. Items for Next School Committee Meeting, April 11, 2017 and/or School Committee Workshop May 1, 2017

XI. Executive session to discuss strategies related to collective bargaining with the Government Employees' Union Local 4 (Food Services) in accordance of M.G.L. Chapter 30(A) Section 21 and not to reconvene in open session.

XII. Adjourn

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**\*MSBA SOI VOTES**

Resolved: Having convened in an open meeting on March 14, 2017, prior to the closing date, the School Committee of Leicester Public Schools, in Leicester, MA, in accordance with its charter, by-laws, and ordinances, has voted to authorize the Superintendent to submit to the Massachusetts School Building Authority the Statement of Interest dated March 15, 2017 for the Leicester Memorial School located at 11 Memorial Drive Leicester MA, which describes and explains the following deficiencies and the priority category(s) for which an application may be submitted to the Massachusetts School Building Authority in the future: Replacement of or addition to obsolete buildings in order to provide for a full range of programs consistent with state and approved local requirements. The current facility is not programmatically ADA accessible, is in poor condition, and does not provide appropriate learning space; and hereby further specifically acknowledges that by submitting this Statement of Interest form, the Massachusetts School Building Authority in no way guarantees the acceptance or the approval of an application, the awarding of a grant or any other funding commitment from the Massachusetts School Building Authority, or commits the City/Town/Regional School District to filing an application for funding with the Massachusetts School Building Authority.

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