



Town of Danvers School Committee

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Regular Meeting 6:30 p.m. - Multi-purpose Room Holten-Richmond Middle School

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1. **REGULAR MEETING - CALL TO ORDER**
Mission Statement of Danvers Public Schools – *Creating a supportive environment where all learners thrive.*
2. **ITEMS OF INTEREST TO SUPERINTENDENT, SCHOOL COMMITTEE, COMMUNITY**
3. **RECOGNITIONS (6:40-6:55)**
 - A. Student Representative Report
 - B. MASS Certificate of Academic Excellence
4. **UNFINISHED BUSINESS (6:55-7:05)**
 - A. The Superintendent recommends the approval of Policy ACL, Protect Act for a second reading (vote)
 - B. Appointment of Delegate and Alternate to MASC Annual Business Meeting
5. **NEW BUSINESS (7:05-7:40)**
 - A. Approval of Out of State Field Trip (vote)
 - B. Adoption of K-12 School Improvement Plans; Elementary, HRMS, DHS (vote)
 - C. Finance Report - Pam Crum
 - D. Superintendent recommends the approval of the proposed E-sports user fee (vote)
 - E. E-Bikes on School Grounds - DPD
 - F. Early Childhood Center - Superintendent recommends the approval of fees (vote)
6. **INFORMATION FROM THE SUPERINTENDENT (7:40-8:10)**
 - A. Curriculum, Instruction Priorities and Assessment Data
 - B. October 1 Enrollment Report
 - C. Superintendent presents Professional Practice Goals
 - D. Review of MASC Resolutions
7. **ORDER OF BUSINESS (8:10-8:20)**
 - A. Minutes - (The Secretary) moves to approve and release the minutes from the September 14, 2026 regular meeting and approve but not release the minutes from the September 14, 2026 Executive Session.
 - B. Consent Agenda - motion to approve the fundraising and home school applications (vote)
 - C. Communications
 - D. Legislation
 - E. Subcommittee/Liaison Updates/Yearly Agenda Items

Curriculum and Equity	Policy	Safety	NEC	DEEP
DanversCARES	SEPAC	Danvers Human Rights	and Inclusion	