

NEW BEDFORD PUBLIC SCHOOLS  
455 COUNTY STREET  
NEW BEDFORD, MASSACHUSETTS 02740

**REGULAR MEETING OF THE**  
**NEW BEDFORD SCHOOL COMMITTEE**  
**CASIMIR PULASKI ELEMENTARY SCHOOL**  
**AUDITORIUM**  
1097 Braley Road  
New Bedford, Massachusetts  
**MONDAY, JANUARY 9, 2012**  
**7:00 P.M.**

# **AGENDA**

**1. CALL TO ORDER**

- Pledge of Allegiance - Pulaski School students

**2. ROLL CALL OF COMMITTEE MEMBERS**

- Election of a Vice-Chairperson for 2012
- Assignment of Subcommittees

**3. APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

- December 12, 2011 – Regular Meeting
- November 28, 2011 – Special Meeting
- October 24, 2011 – Special Meeting
- October 17, 2011 – Regular Meeting
- July 11, 2011 – Regular Meeting
- June 23, 2011 – Special Meeting & Budget Working Session
- June 13, 2011 – Regular Meeting

**4. REPORTS**

- A. Financial Report
- B. Personnel Report
- C. Superintendent's Report
- D. School Committee Report(s)
- E. Student Representative Report

**5. NEW BUSINESS**

- A. Marissa Perez-Dormitzer/Recycling Champions, announcement of this month's recycling contest winner.
- B. Request approval of the following field/building usage:
  - 1) David Vieira/President/NB Youth Soccer Assoc., for permission to use the Normandin field every Saturday from 8:00 AM-4:00 PM and Sunday from 10:00 AM-3:00 PM in March through mid-June, for their Spring Soccer Program, with a waiver of all fees. In addition, permission is also being requested to use the same field every Saturday from 7:00 AM-5:00 PM beginning in August through mid-November, for their Fall Soccer Program, with a waiver of all fees. (Rental fees: \$1,410 / Custodial fees:\$10,890 Total: **\$12,300**)
- C. Request authorization to accept the following donations:
  - 1) Matthew Riley/Principal/Taylor – various toys from Toys for Tots to be distributed to various students.
  - 2) Derek Medeiros/Principal/Hathaway – various winter garments and Price Rite gift cards (\$75 total) from the Marion Cook Lunch Mission to be distributed to various students.
  - 3) Dr. Jeanne Bonneau/Principal/Normandin – \$960.74 from LifeTouch Studios for the school fund.
  - 4) Richard Desrosiers/Principal/Keith - \$782.49 from LifeTouch Studios for the school fund.
  - 5) New Bedford Public Schools - Seven (7) \$350 Mini-grants to various teachers/administrators from the Community Foundation of Southeastern Massachusetts to facilitate and support improvements and initiatives in the areas of the Arts, STEM, and World Languages.
  - 6) Susan Beck/Principal/Hannigan - \$50 grant award from the Aquidneck Collaborative for Education for the student activity fund.
- D. Request approval to declare, in accordance with School Department Policy DN-R, a recommended list of surplus property located at the Parker, Ashley, and Pacheco Schools and the Federal Office at the Administration Building.

E. Other Business

6. PUBLIC COMMENT

7. COMMUNICATIONS

Communication from the City Council requesting that New Bedford Public Schools as part of all future school building construction, renovations and retrofitting projects, install Radar Speed Limiting Signs.

8. EXECUTIVE SESSION

For the purpose of:

- Union Negotiations Update

9. ADJOURN

**NEXT REGULARLY SCHEDULED MEETING:**

**MONDAY, FEBRUARY 13, 2012**

**CARNEY ACADEMY ELEMENTARY SCHOOL - 7:00 P.M.**