MANCHESTER BOARD OF EDUCATION
REGULAR MEETING
MONDAY, AUGUST 25, 2014

7:00 P.M.
Lincoln Center – Hearing Room

A. OPENING
1) Call to order
2) Pledge of Allegiance
3) Board of Education Minutes – July 14, 2014 A – 3

B. CONSENT CALENDAR
1) Personnel Information B – 1
2) Extended Field Trip Request Form – Bennet Academy Team Ruby Bridges Discovery Center, Woodstock, CT; Approx. 150 Students; 8 Teacher Chaperones; 10/6/14 – 10/8/14 B – 2
3) Extended Field Trip Request Form – Bennet Academy Team Truth Discovery Center, Woodstock, CT; Approx. 150 Students; 8 Teacher Chaperones; 10/8/14 – 10/10/14 B – 3
4) Extended Field Trip Request Form – Illing Middle School – 8th Grade Class Trip to Washington, DC., Approximately 250 students; Teacher/Parent Chaperones; 5/6/15 to 5/8/15. B – 4
5) Establish an appropriation in the amount of $28,088 for FY14/15 for the Manchester Head Start, State Dept. of Education Link Grant. B – 5
6) Establish an appropriation in the amount of $94,884 for FY14/15 for the Enfield Head Start, State Dept. of Education Enhancement Grant. B – 6
7) Establish an appropriation in the amount of $39,988 for FY14/15 for the Enfield Head Start, State Dept. of Education Link Grant. B – 7
8) Establish an appropriation in the amount of $2,966 for FY14/15 for the Enfield Head Start, State Dept. of Education Services Grant. B – 8
9) Extended Field Trip Request Form – Washington Elementary – Discovery Center – Woodstock, CT; Approximately 60 Students; 3 Teacher Chaperones; 11/17/14 to 11/19/14 B – 9
10) Permission to apply for the Adult Education REACT I College Transition Pilot Grant for FY14/15 in the amount of $102,500. B – 10
11) Permission to apply for the MCC/Adult Education REACT II College Transition Pilot Grant for FY14/15 in the amount of $268,000. B – 11
12) All Hazards School Security and Safety Plan

C. PUBLIC COMMENTS (any item before the board)
D. **SUPERINTENDENT’S REPORT**
   1) Introduction on Interim Middle School Principal
   2) Opening of School Update

E. **UNFINISHED BUSINESS**
   None

F. **NEW BUSINESS**
   None

G. **COMMUNICATIONS**
   None

H. **COMMITTEE REPORTS**
   1) Building & Sites Committee Meeting Minutes – August 7, 2014

I. **PUBLIC COMMENTS** (comments limited to items on tonight’s agenda)

J. **ITEMS FOR FUTURE AGENDAS**

K. **ADJOURNMENT**

Welcome to the Manchester Board of Education meeting. Observers are always welcome. The following instructions are to assist those who wish to speak during the Public Comment session(s):

1) Print your name and address on the sign-in sheet at the podium for accurate record keeping.
2) State your name and address for the record. Students state name only.
3) First Session: Three minute time limit for any item that may come before the Board. Listen for the bell.
4) Second Session: Comments must be limited to items on the Board’s agenda for this meeting. The Board Chair has the discretion to limit comment time.
5) Written statements may be substituted for Board members if time runs out for speaker.
6) Immediate replies to questions/concerns should not be expected (Board Chair/Superintendent’s discretion).
7) Inappropriate topics: Confidential information, personal issues and legal concerns. Please avoid derogatory and profane language. Board of Education Policy #1220.