

Andover School Committee
Minutes of November 25, 2019

Type of Meeting: Open Session
Meeting Facilitator: Joel Blumstein, Chair
Members Present: Vice Chair, Tracey Spruce, Shannon Scully, Paul Murphy, Susan McCready
Location: School Committee Conference Room, 2nd Floor School Admin Bldg.

I. Call to Order

Joel Blumstein called the School Committee to order at 10:20 A.M. in the School Committee Meeting Room in the School Administration Building.

II. Executive Session

Shannon Scully moved for the School Committee to meet in executive session pursuant to M.G.L. chapter 30A, sec. 21(a) for the following purpose: Purpose (3): to discuss strategy with respect to and in preparation for collective bargaining with the Andover Education Association Unit A (Teachers) because an open discussion may have a detrimental effect on the bargaining position of the Committee, and not to return to Open Session. Susan McCready seconded the motion. The Chair so declared that an open discussion would have a detrimental effect on the bargaining position of the School Committee.

Roll call: S. Scully-Y, S. McCready-Y, T. Spruce-Y, P. Murphy-Y, J. Blumstein-Y. Motion passes 5-0.

The Chair announced that the motion passed and that the School Committee would now be meeting in executive session pursuant to M.G.L. chapter 30A, sec. 21(a) for the following Purpose: Purpose (3): to discuss strategy with respect to and in preparation for collective bargaining with the Andover Education Association Unit A (Teachers) because an open discussion may have a detrimental effect on the bargaining position of the Committee, and not to return to Open Session. The Chair declared that an open discussion may have a detrimental effect on the bargaining position of the Committee. The chair announced that the School Committee would not be reconvening in open session.

Respectfully submitted,
Dee DeLorenzo