

MINUTES OF WESTON SCHOOL COMMITTEE MEETING  
Weston High School  
May 16, 2019

A meeting of the Weston School Committee was called to order at 7:45 AM at the Weston High School Media Center by Mr. John Henry, Chair. In attendance were Ms. Danielle Black, Vice Chair, Mr. Alex Cobb and Ms. Rachel Stewart, members of the school committee; Dr. Midge Connolly, Superintendent; and Dr. J. Kimo Carter, Assistant Superintendent for Teaching and Learning. Not attending: Ms. Anita Raman of the school committee.

Also present were Mr. Anthony Parker, High School Principal; and members of the High School Council.

Mr. Henry welcomed everyone, introduced members of the School Committee and Administration, and reviewed the agenda.

Presentation of School Improvement Plan (SIP)

Mr. Parker first provided an overview of three areas of focus in the school's SIP, including (1) agency: staggering assessments and projects, restructuring homework, and creating pathways and opportunities for students to stand out; (2) equity: finding ways to leverage student input and use advisory to engage students in analyzing data regarding students; and (3) engagement: investigate new recognition and feedback processes, and new professional development to drive student engagement. Ms. Vicky Rakov, a parent and member of the school council, presented detailed analysis of data gained through student life surveys regarding homework, grades, stress, and engagement. Mr. Parker and Ms. Rakov then provided additional information regarding each area of focus and responded to questions from the audience.

No action taken.

Adjournment

MOTION: Upon motion made by Mr. Cobb and seconded by Ms. Black, the School Committee voted unanimously to adjourn at 9:20 AM.