

**BROCKTON SCHOOL COMMITTEE
MARY E. BAKER SCHOOL – CAFETORIUM
45 QUINCY STREET, BROCKTON, MA
WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 2008 – 7:30 P.M.**

Dear Visitors:

Welcome to an open meeting of the School Committee. This is the agenda that will be discussed this evening. Please note that a Hearing of Visitors is included. If you have a statement or question, please be kind enough to give your name to the secretary.

AGENDA

- I. Calling of Meeting to Order – Establishing a Quorum – Flag Salute
- II. Hearing of Visitors
- III. Reading and Approval of Records
 - A. Approval of Regular SC Meeting Minutes of October 7, 2008 Enc. #1 Pages 1-4
- IV. Communication
- V. Unfinished Business
- VI. Report of Superintendent of Schools
 - A. Report on 2008 MCAS Test Results Enc. #2 Page 5
 - B. Authorization to submit an FY2009 Academic Support Services Allocation Proposal Enc. #3 Page 6
 - C. Acceptance of Community School Advisory Board Meeting Minutes of September 10, 2008 Enc. #4 Pages 7-9
 - D. Approval of BHS Field Trip to UN Headquarters, November 8, 2008 Enc. #5 Page 10
 - E. Acceptance of Donation to the Lincoln Alternative School Enc. #6 Pages 11-12
 - F. Notification of Personnel Appointments Enc. #7 Pages 13-15
 - G. Notification of Personnel Action Enc. #8 Pages 16-17
 - 1. Leaves of Absence
 - Kaitlin Clark – BHS (8 wk. Maternity – Eff. 12/11/08)
 - Sheila Hume – Angelo (12 wk. Maternity – Eff. 12/24/08)
 - Martha Gerry – Keith Paraprofessional (12 wk. unpaid FMLA – Eff. 10/9/08)
 - 2. Resignations
 - Larisa Badger – West Middle (Eff. 11/14/08)
 - Dixie Mosher-Hill – Downey Paraprofessional (Eff. 10/17/08)

VII. Report of Special Committees

A. Curriculum Subcommittee (October 21) Mrs. Joyce

Enc. #9 Pages 18-20

B. Superintendent Search (October 21) Mayor Harrington

Enc. #10 Pages 21-22

VIII. New Business

At this point in the meeting, the Committee should discuss with the Superintendent any special matters that should be scheduled for future agendas. This is one of the Committee's opportunities to look ahead, to ask the Superintendent to research special problems, and to make suggestions that will help the Superintendent prepare for future Committee agendas.

IX. Executive Session

X. Adjournment