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BEDFORD SCHOOL BOARD PUBLIC HEARING Monday, April 8, 2024 SAU Office board room 103 County Road, Bedford NH 03110 7:00 p.m.

AGENDA

PUBLIC SESSION

1. Call to Order/Roll Call

7:00 p.m.

2. Affirm Agenda Items

3. Public Hearing on Bond Refunding

Proposed Action:

The School Board is holding this public hearing regarding the possible issuance of refunding bonds, the proceeds of which would be used to refinance the District's bonds dated as of November 20, 2014 which mature on July 15 in the years 2025 through 2029, inclusive, in the aggregate principal amount of \$12,770,000 in order to achieve interest cost savings and to pay the costs of issuing the refunding bonds.

Supporting Documents

Bond Resolution

4. Participation at School Board Public Hearings

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RECESS PUBLIC HEARING

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4. <u>Community Senate Update</u>

Proposed Action:

Owen Lubick and Brody Hoang, Members of the Bedford High School Community Senate will update the Board on the items they have been discussing.

5. Bond Resolution

Proposed Action:

Approval of Resolution as presented at public hearing for School Board approval.

Supporting Documents

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6. Policy Updates

Proposed Action:

Superintendent Fournier will present the Board with the following draft policy for a first read.

- Draft Policy GBEF: Internet Access for Staff (Draft Procedure GBEF-R)
- Draft Policy IMAH: Daily Physical Activity

7. Community Engagement

Proposed Action:

Superintendent Fournier will discuss the schedule and topics of the upcoming Community Engagement events.

Supporting Documents:

- <u>Community Engagement Dates</u>
- Informational Flyer

8. <u>Minutes</u>

• Draft Minutes of 03.25.2024

9. Materials Included

- Enrollment Report
 - Suspension Reports
 - 0 <u>ISS</u>
 - 0 <u>055</u>
 - Bullying Report
 - <u>Saturday School</u>
- <u>24/25 School Board Committee Assignments</u>

10. <u>Consent Agenda</u>

- <u>Manifest of 04.09.2024</u>
- Professional Staff Nominations

11. Short Subjects and Good News Notes

12. Nonpublic Session Per RSA 91-A:3, II (I)

• Legal advice

13. <u>Adjournment</u>

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