

North Providence School Committee
Regular Meeting-Public Session Minutes
June 15, 2026

The North Providence School Committee met on Monday, June 15, 2026 at 6:30 PM in the North Providence High School Library. Members present: Chair, Dr. Frank Pallotta, Vice-Chair, Roderick DaSilva, Mr. Tom Norato, Mrs. Kristi Mangiocca, Mrs. Gina Picard Mr. Anthony Mariorenzi, and Mr. Arthur Corsini.

1. The Chair called the meeting to order at 6:30 PM and led the Pledge of Allegiance and a moment of silence.
2. The Chair asked for a motion to approve the open session minutes of the May 27, 2026 regular meeting. The motion was made by Mr. DaSilva and a second by Mrs. Mangiocca. Vote 7-0 in favor.
3. The Chair stated that there is no correspondence and no one signed up for public comment.
4. The Chair asked for a motion to approve the consent agenda items as submitted. The motion was made by Mrs. Picard and a second by Mr. DaSilva. Vote 7-0 in favor.
5. The Committee and the Superintendent recognized Interim Principals, Lori DeSimone and Lorraine Moschella. The Chair and the Superintendent presented each with a citation from the Committee and flowers in recognition for their service to North Providence Public Schools.
6. The Superintendent reported that based on a recent transportation study the School Department will not be updating the start times of the schools for the upcoming 26/27 school year.
7. The Superintendent asked for approval of a new Girls Wrestling Head Coach position for the expanding girls wrestling team at North Providence High School. A motion was made by Mr. Mariorenzi. Second by Mr. DaSilva. Vote 7-0 in favor
8. The Superintendent asked for approval to reconcile the FY27 Budget based on information provided by the state for funding and the town for municipal funding. Chairman Pallotta stated that the decrease in the budget was \$433,000, and would be cut from salaries and transportation. A motion was made by Mr. DaSilva. Second by Mrs. Picard. Vote 7-0 in favor.

9. The Committee received an SEL update and presentation from Christina DeLorenzo.
10. The Chair stated that there are no Committee reports or requests and no old business to discuss.
11. A motion was made by Mr. DaSilva to approve the MOA regarding non-certified employee. Second by Mrs. Mangiocca. Vote 7-0 in favor.
12. A motion was made by Mr. DaSilva to approve the Trust Life Insurance Plan and Membership Participation Agreement. Second by Mrs. Mangiocca. Vote 7-0 in favor.
13. A motion was made by Mrs. Mangiocca to approve the Student Cell Phone/Electronic Device Policy. Second by Mr. DaSilva. Vote 7-0 in favor.
14. A motion was made by Mr. DaSilva to approve the Bring Your Own Device (BYOD) policy and protocol. Second by Mr. Mariorenzi. Vote 7-0 in favor.
15. A motion was made by Mr. DaSilva to approve the Chartwells Food Service contract, pending review by RIDE and Legal Counsel. Second by Mrs. Mangiocca. Vote 7-0 in favor.
16. A motion was made by Mrs. Picard to approve the athletic equipment and uniforms bid. Second by Mrs. Mangiocca. Vote 7-0 in favor.
17. A motion was made by Mrs. Picard to approve the Birchwood Middle School dance agreement with Twelve Acres on June 5, 2027. Second by Mr. Mariorenzi. Vote 7-0 in favor.
18. A motion was made by Mrs. Picard to approve the list of bills as submitted. Second by Mr. Norato. Vote 7-0 in favor.
19. A motion was made by Mrs. Mangiocca to approve the property use requests as submitted. Second by Mr. Mariorenzi. Vote 7-0 in favor.

20. The Chair stated that there is no requests to address the Committee.
21. The Chair announced that the July School Committee meeting will be held on July 22, 2026 at 8:30 am in the Central Office administrative conference room.
22. The Chair asked for a motion to adjourn the meeting at 7:21 PM. The motion was made by Mrs. Mangiocca and a second by Mr. DaSilva. Vote 7-0 in favor.

Respectfully Submitted,

Norma-Jean Pirri
Recording Secretary

APPROVED: 7/22/2026