

East Providence School Department
East Providence Building Committee – EPSD Districtwide
July 21, 2025

The East Providence Building Committee met on Monday, July 21, 2025 at 5:30 p.m. in the library at Martin Middle School. Members in attendance: Manuel Vinhateiro, Stephen Amoroso, Alexandra Gonzalez, Dan Carpenter, Alfred Villeneuve, Anthony Ferreira, Patrick McDonald, Laurie Marchand, Jack Rezendes, Tom Brun, Jessica Beauchaine and Karen Rebello.

Karen Moore, Bob Rodericks, Superintendent Forand and John Iemma were absent.

Anne DaSilva, Sam Bradner, Andrew Pepe, Samantha Lane, Nate Williams and Antonio deSimas were also present.

I. Call to Order

Mr. Vinhateiro called the meeting to order at 5:31 p.m.

II. Martin Middle School Auditorium Ceiling Demolition

Anne DaSilva and Ai3 went through the auditorium upgrade estimate with regard to the two options; enhanced scope estimate and ceiling replacement estimate. At the next meeting, the Committee will determine to go ahead with option 1 or option 2.

Motion by Laurie Marchand, seconded by Mr. Rezendes and carried by unanimous consent to approve the Martin Middle School auditorium ceiling demolition with amendment to include masonry.

III. Next Meeting Date

The next meeting will be held on Thursday, August 7, 2025 at 5:30 pm at Martin Middle School. There will be a walkthrough at 5:00 pm. Rhode Island Department of Education will be attending this meeting.

IV. Adjournment

Motion by Mr. Villeneuve seconded by Ms. Beauchaine and carried by unanimous consent to adjourn the meeting at 6:27 pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Sharon Corsi
Executive Assistant

Manuel Vinhateiro
Building Committee Chair