

**NORTH SMITHFIELD SCHOOL COMMITTEE
NORTH SMITHFIELD, RHODE ISLAND
NOTICE OF SPECIAL MEETING**

DATE: August 18, 2026
PLACE: North Smithfield Middle School Cafeteria
1850 Providence Pike, North Smithfield, RI 02896

Virtual Zoom Meeting - Due to Governor McKee's Executive Order, the public will be allowed to attend in person but may also have the option of attending through the following means:

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AGENDA

TIME: 6:30 P.M. – Open Session

- I. Convene In Open Session
 - 1. Roll Call
 - 2. Pledge of Allegiance

Public Comment - Agenda Items Only
Community Comments – Any Subject

II. Consent Agenda: Discussion/Vote/Other Action

- 1. Approval of Regular Session Minutes: 7/21/26 SC Special Meeting
- 2. Disbursement Report: July 2026
- 3. Cash Receipts Report: July 2026
- 4. Homeschooling Requests:
 - A. S.D.
 - B. J.R.
 - C. N.D. A.D.
 - D. B.S. J.S. L.S.
 - E. I.S.
 - F. A.H.
 - G. M.V. A.V. I.V.
- 5. Approval of NEB Partner Support Plan for 26/27
- 6. Approval to purchase heating oil/fuel from Henry Oil, MPA #106
- 7. Approval of Emergency Procurement of Walk-in Cooler Condenser and Evaporator replacement

8. Approval of contract extension through 11/30/27 for electrical services (Motors, Hoists & Controls)
9. Approval of Marshall Food Equipment Service contract for maintenance, repair and emergency service to kitchen appliances and refrigeration; MPA #538
10. Approval of Paraco Gas as propane as distributor for FY27
11. Approval of purchases for Athletic Department through Grogan Marciano Sporting Goods; MHEC Contract No. MC17-B16
12. Approval of grant funded purchase for Business CTE – Makerspace Furniture from W.B. Mason
13. Approval of grant funded purchase for Music CTE – Musical Instruments from Steve Weiss Music
14. Approval of grant funded purchase for EMT CTE – Classroom Ambulance Simulator from Rescue Simulation Products
15. Approval of grant funded purchase for EMT Certification Course through RI Community Training Center – funded through FY27 Rural Healthcare Transformation Grant
16. Approval of Curriculum Subscription purchase – myPerspectives Online Component for the ELA Curriculum – This is a renewal of a subscription we currently carry; without this approval, teachers do not have access to teacher editions, teaching tools such as slide decks, PowerPoints etc. as well as accommodations for special needs students.
17. Administrator's Reports
18. Financial Report

III. Reports:

1. Superintendent Raleigh's Report:

- A. General Report

IV. Informational (Discussion only):

1. Personnel Resignations/Retirements/Leaves of Absence/Appointments:

- A. Kaya Kennedy, 1.0 Special Education Teacher @ NSMS – Resignation
- B. Brandon Wholey, 1.0 Instructional Assistant @ NSMS – Resignation
- C. Emily Cotoia, 1.0 MLL Teacher @ NSES – Resignation
- D. Salpi O'Neill, 1.0 School Nurse Teacher @ NSES – Resignation
- E. Christopher Depot, 1.0 Music/Band Teacher @ NSMS – Appointment
- F. Erin Paille, 1.0 Instructional Assistant @ NSES – Appointment
- G. Karah Armstrong, 1.0 Science @ NSHS – Appointment
- H. Lidia Ramos, 1.0 Instructional Assistant @ NSMS – Appointment
- I. Stephanie Lanoie, 1.0 Instructional Assistant @ NSES – Appointment
- J. Austin Faria-Meade, 1.0 Special Education Teacher @ NSMS – Appointment
- K. Rachel DeNofio, 1.0 MLL Teacher @ NSES – Appointment

2. Special/Extra-Curricular Appointments (all assignments could change based upon district/student need; 26-27 school year only):

- A. Adam Stanley, Junior Class Co-Advisor @ NSHS
- B. John D. Arango, Junior Class Co-Advisor @ NSHS
- C. Andrea Savignac, Yearbook Advisor @ NSHS
- D. Jennifer Roussin, Spanish Club Advisor @ NSHS
- E. Christopher Depot, Band Director @ NSMS

3. Coaching Appointments - Fall Season [2026-2027] school year only]:

- A. Brian Gartland Middle School Boys Soccer Coach
- B. Eric Korytkowski High School Boys Soccer Volunteer Coach

V. Old Business

1. FY27 Operating/Capital Budgets: Discussion/Vote/Other Action
2. Consideration of Revised Facilities Management Contract with ATM Development/WWIS: Discussion/Vote/Other Action
3. Approval of Revised Use of Facilities Fee Schedule: Discussion/Vote/Other Action

VI. Adjourn

The public is welcome to any meeting of the School Committee. If communication assistance (readers/interpreters/ captioners) is needed or any other accommodation to ensure equal participation, please contact the North Smithfield School Department at least three (3) business days prior to the meeting. Individuals requesting interpreter services for the hearing impaired must call RI Relay, 1-800-745-5555, forty-eight hours in advance of the meeting date(s). For North Smithfield School Committee, Terri Bartomioli, Chair.

Posted: Secretary of State: 8/14/26; NSSD Website: 8/14/26; NSMS: 8/14/26; Town Annex: 8/14/26