

GREENFIELD CITY COUNCIL  
Regular Meeting Minutes  
August 17, 2022

John Zon Community Center/Zoom (Hybrid)

6:30 pm

**CALL TO ORDER:** Meeting was called to order at 6:30 p.m. by President Gilmour.

**CHAIRS STATEMENT:** This meeting is being recorded by the City Council and GCTV-15. If any other persons present are doing the same you must notify the chairperson at this time. In accordance with MGLc 30A SS 20(g) “No person shall address a meeting of a public body without permission of the Chair and all persons shall, at the request of the chair, be silent. No person shall disrupt the proceedings of a meeting of a public body. If, after clear warning from the chair, a person continues to disrupt the proceedings, the chair may order the person to withdraw from the meeting and if the person does not withdraw, the chair may authorize a constable or other officer to remove the person from the meeting.”

**ROLL CALL OF MEMBERS:** Roll Call was taken. Councilors Bullock, Mayo and Elmer attended via Zoom. Councilors Golub and Forgey were absent.

**ALSO PRESENT:** City Clerk Kathryn J. Scott; Finance Director/City Auditor/City Accountant Elizabeth Gilman; IT Director Fernando Fleury; GCTV Director Nick Ring; (Acting) Police Chief William Gordon; DPW Director Marlo Warner; GCTV-15 staff; Mary Byrne, *the Recorder*; and members of the public.

The Pledge of Allegiance was held.

**ACCEPTANCE OF MINUTES:** On a motion by Councilor Ricketts, second by Councilor Guin, it was,

**MOVED:** TO ACCEPT THE CITY COUNCIL MINUTES OF JULY 20, 2022.

**MOTION:** On a motion by Councilor Terounzo, second by Councilor Desorgher, it was unanimously, **VOTED:** TO AMEND THE CITY COUNCIL MEMBER ROLL CALL LIST BY REMOVING EDWARD JARVIS AS PRECINCT 1 COUNCILOR AND REPLACING WITH KATHERINE GOLUB AS NEWLY APPOINTED PRECINCT 1 COUNCILOR.

Motion to Accept City Council Minutes of July 20, 2022, as amended was now on the floor.

It was unanimously,

**VOTED:** TO ACCEPT THE CITY COUNCIL MINUTES OF JULY 20, 2022, AS AMENDED.

**COMMUNICATIONS:**

**SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENT AND SCHOOL COMMITTEE:** Superintendent DeBarge and School Committee Chairperson Proietti submitted their report to the Council in writing (see attached).

**MAYOR, CITY OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES:** None.

President Gilmour stated Fire Chief Robert Strahan was unable to attend to speak on the current status of the new Fire Station building project. He had been rescheduled for the September 21, 2022, City Council regular meeting.

**OTHER CITY EMPLOYEES AS NEEDED, BY INVITATION:**

- IT Director Fernando Fleury and GCTV Director Nick Ring spoke to the Council in regards to the difficulties experienced with Zoom/in person hybrid technology and troubleshooting the issues that have currently arisen.
- APC(Acting Police Chief) Gordon reported on the Police Department activities and performance since the Council voted to reduce their budget at the May 18, 2022, meeting.

Councilors asked the following questions:

- Crimes stated in APC Gordon's statistics report had not been proven yet in court and were any individuals arrested for multiple offences.
- Response times of officers once an emergency call came in.
- Use of a city vehicle by the police chief who was on administrative leave.
- Prioritization of emergency calls that the police department receive.
- State police assistance on calls.
- Additional State funding to cover vehicle gasoline costs.
- Number of crimes or violations committed by visitors/non residents.

**PUBLIC COMMENT:** The following members of the public spoke:

- Jon Magee, Green Street, spoke in favor for the establishment of a Community task force.
- Devorah Rosenberg, Madison Circle, spoke in support of hiring a new LSP (Licensed Site Professional) to investigate the contamination on the property located on 298 Federal Street.
- Jesus Leyva, High Street, addressed a Councilor on his commitment to be a Councilor. He also spoke to the reduction to the Police Department's budget and how police misconduct had not been addressed.
- Jean Wall, Country Side, spoke in support of hiring a new LSP to investigate the contamination on property located at 298 Federal Street.
- Susan Worgaftik, Forest Avenue, spoke in support of hiring a new LSP to investigate the contamination on property located at 298 Federal Street.
- Pamela Goodman, High Street, spoke on many issues including the police department, thanked the Health Department for their help and hiring a new LSP to investigate the contamination on property located at 298 Federal Street.
- Dorothy McIver, Columbus Avenue, spoke in support of hiring a new LSP to investigate the contamination on property located at 298 Federal Street.
- Dorothea Melnicoff, Norwood Street, spoke in support of hiring a new LSP to investigate the contamination on property located at 298 Federal Street.
- Caroline Bruno, Peabody Lane, spoke to her support for the establishment of a Community task force.
- Glen Ayers, Davis Street, spoke to his support of the Board of Health and Health Department working with a new LSP in the effort to clean up the property located at 298 Federal Street.

**PUBLIC HEARINGS:** None

President Gilmour called for a 5 minute recess at 8:42 pm.  
President Gilmour resumed meeting at 8:52 pm.

## **MOTIONS, ORDERS, AND RESOLUTIONS**

### **Order no. FY 23-020**

**MOTION:** On a motion by Councilor Terounzo, second by Councilor Lapienski, it was unanimously,

**VOTED:** THAT IT BE ORDERED THAT THE GREENFIELD CITY COUNCIL TAKE FROM THE TABLE ORDER NO. FY 22-155 "\$175,000 BE APPROPRIATED FROM FUND 8400 GENERAL STABILIZATION TO FUND AN INDEPENDENT ASSESSMENT / AUDIT OF THE

CITY OF GREENFIELD'S POLICE DEPARTMENT'S STRUCTURE, POLICIES AND PRACTICES. AREAS TO BE COVERED INCLUDE, BUT ARE NOT LIMITED, THE FOLLOWING: ORGANIZATIONAL STRUCTURE AND GOVERNANCE; OPERATING POLICIES AND PROCEDURES; DEPARTMENT CULTURE; HIRING AND PROMOTIONAL PRACTICES; PROFESSIONAL STANDARDS AND ACCOUNTABILITY; BUDGETING AND PLANNING” WHICH WAS TABLED AT THE JULY 20, 2022, CITY COUNCIL MEETING.

Order no. FY22-155 was now on the table.

**DISCUSSION:** The Ways & Means Committee members reported this issue was taken from the table in order to discuss the issue and was re-tabled at their meeting.

**MOTION:** On a motion by Councilor Lapienski, second by Councilor Ricketts, it was by roll call, 9 yes, 1 no,

**TABLED:** ORDER NO. FY22-155.

**Order no. FY 23-018**

**MOTION:** On a motion by Councilor Guin, second by Councilor Ricketts, it was unanimously,

**VOTED:** THAT IT BE ORDERED THAT THE GREENFIELD CITY COUNCIL, PURSUANT TO CHARTER SECTION 2-10, AFFIRMS THE FOLLOWING APPOINTMENT BY THE MAYOR TO THE HUMAN RIGHTS COMMISSION: MECKENZIE SARAGE, FOR A THREE YEAR TERM TO EXPIRE JUNE 30, 2025.

Vice President Guin stated the proposed rules of procedure were a collective effort between the Clerk’s Office, the Council’s Office, and individual Councilors. The following were the proposed amendments forwarded by the Appointments & Ordinances Committee with either a unanimous or majority positive recommendation.

**Order no. FY 23-005**

**MOTION:** On a motion by Councilor Guin, second by Councilor Desorgher, it was by roll call, 11 yes, 0 no,

**VOTED:** THAT IT BE ORDERED THAT THE GREENFIELD CITY COUNCIL VOTES TO AMEND THE CITY COUNCIL RULES OF PROCEDURE §565-1, RULE 1, ORGANIZATION, SECTION A: ORGANIZATIONAL MEETING, AS FOLLOWS:

**A. ORGANIZATIONAL MEETING**

The City Council shall meet for organization **annually on the first business day** in January ~~following the regular City elections. This organizational meeting shall be held before the regular City Council meeting.~~  
(Charter 8.8: (a))

**Order no. FY 23-006**

**MOTION:** On a motion by Councilor Guin, second by Councilor Ricketts, it was,

**MOVED:** THAT IT BE ORDERED THAT THE GREENFIELD CITY COUNCIL VOTES TO AMEND THE CITY COUNCIL RULES OF PROCEDURE §565-1, RULE 1, ORGANIZATION, SECTION C: ELECTION OF OFFICERS, AS FOLLOWS:

**B. ELECTION OF OFFICERS**

The City Council shall by majority vote of all the members present, elect a President **and** Vice-President, ~~Treasurer~~ and any other officers deemed necessary. (Charter 8.8: (c))

**DISCUSSION:** It was noted that the Section was incorrectly listed as C: Election of Officers and should be changed to B. It was decided that this change would be effective at the next organizational meeting held in January of 2023.

It was by majority, 10 yes, 1 no,

**VOTED:** TO APPROVE ORDER NO. FY 23-006.

**Order no. FY 23-007**

**MOTION:** On a motion by Councilor Guin, second by Councilor Lapienski, it was,

**MOVED:** THAT IT BE ORDERED THAT THE GREENFIELD CITY COUNCIL VOTES TO AMEND THE CITY COUNCIL RULES OF PROCEDURE §565-1, RULE 1, ORGANIZATION, BY ADDING NEW SECTION F: COUNCIL ORIENTATION AS FOLLOWS:

**§ 565-1. Rule 1, Organization.**

**F. COUNCIL ORIENTATION**

**All Councilors should have a one (1) hour orientation with the Clerk’s Office and a one (1) hour orientation with the Financial Director or their designee. One hour should be the minimum required for each of the two meetings and should occur by February 15<sup>th</sup> annually at the latest.**

**DISCUSSION:** It was noted that Councilors did have meetings with the Finance Director in regards to their policies and procedure on financial issues; however, it had not happened as of last year. The rationale was most of what the Council did was not in writing and this would rectify that situation. It was also noted that this was not a mandatory measure and would not affect the Councilors duties.

It was by roll call, 9 yes, 1 no,

**VOTED:** TO APPROVE ORDER NO. FY 23-007.

**Order no. FY 23-008**

**MOTION:** On a motion by Councilor Guin, second by Councilor Ricketts, it was unanimously,

**VOTED:** THAT IT BE ORDERED THAT THE GREENFIELD CITY COUNCIL VOTES TO AMEND THE CITY COUNCIL RULES OF PROCEDURE §565-2, RULE 2, MEETINGS, SECTION D: QUORUM, TO ADD THE FOLLOWING LANGUAGE IN BOLD:

**D QUORUM**

The presence of seven (7) members shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business. The Affirmative Vote of a majority vote of those present shall be required to adopt any ordinance or appropriation order unless otherwise provided by general law or by Charter **Section 2-6(b)**.

**Order no. FY 23-010**

**MOTION:** On a motion by Councilor Guin, second by Councilor Ricketts, it was unanimously,

**VOTED:** THAT IT BE ORDERED THAT THE GREENFIELD CITY COUNCIL VOTES TO AMEND THE CITY COUNCIL RULES OF PROCEDURE §565-4, RULE 4, VOTING, SECTION B: VOTE, TO ADD THE FOLLOWING LANGUAGE IN BOLD:

**B. VOTE**

Every Councilor present when the question is put shall vote yes, no, or abstain; **with the exception of the President or Presiding Officer, who may vote on any item they so choose to or when required to break a tie vote.**

**Order no. FY 23-011**

**MOTION:** On a motion by Councilor Guin, second by Councilor Ricketts, it was unanimously,  
**VOTED:** THAT IT BE ORDERED THAT THE GREENFIELD CITY COUNCIL VOTES TO AMEND THE CITY COUNCIL RULES OF PROCEDURE §565-7, RULE 7, DUTIES OF THE CLERK OF THE COUNCIL, SECTION F: FILING OF PAPERS, AS FOLLOWS WITH STRIKETHROUGH LANGUAGE TO BE REMOVED AND BOLD LANGUAGE TO BE ADDED:

**F. FILING OF PAPERS**

Any order or resolution or other form of business to be presented to the City Council at its regular meeting for its action shall be submitted to the Clerk of the Council no later than ~~12:00 noon of the Wednesday~~ **five (5) business days** preceding the regular ~~Council meetings.~~ **monthly Committee Chairs meeting.**

**Order no. FY 23-012**

**MOTION:** On a motion by Councilor Guin, second by Councilor Ricketts, it was unanimously,  
**VOTED:** THAT IT BE ORDERED THAT THE GREENFIELD CITY COUNCIL VOTES TO AMEND THE CITY COUNCIL RULES OF PROCEDURE §565-7, RULE 7, DUTIES OF THE CLERK OF THE COUNCIL, SECTION G: FILING FOR COMMITTEE DOCUMENTS, WITH STRIKETHROUGH LANGUAGE TO BE REMOVED AND BOLD LANGUAGE TO BE ADDED:

**G: FILING FOR COMMITTEE DOCUMENTS**

All documentation for City Council Committees shall be submitted ~~one (1) week in advance of Committee meetings, except for Public Hearing notices which should be submitted twelve (12) days before the hearing date.~~ **in the same manner as listed in Section F.**

**Order no. FY 23-013**

**MOTION:** On a motion by Councilor Guin, second by Councilor Lapienski, it was,  
**MOVED:** THAT IT BE ORDERED THAT THE GREENFIELD CITY COUNCIL VOTES TO AMEND THE CITY COUNCIL RULES OF PROCEDURE §565-8, RULE 8, ORDER AND DISPOSITION OF BUSINESS, SECTION A: AGENDA, SUBSECTION (1) TO ADD TEN (10) MINUTES TIME FOR COMMUNICATIONS WITH THE MAYOR AND SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS AND SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

**DISCUSSION:** Additional time was needed to amend the language to this order for a more coherent amendment.

Without objection, Order No. FY23-013 would be placed on the Committee Chairs agenda for September.

**Order no. FY 23-014**

**MOTION:** On a motion by Councilor Guin, second by Councilor Ricketts, it was unanimously,  
**VOTED:** THAT IT BE ORDERED THAT THE GREENFIELD CITY COUNCIL VOTES TO AMEND THE CITY COUNCIL RULES OF PROCEDURE §565-8, RULE 8, ORDER AND DISPOSITION OF BUSINESS, SECTION A: AGENDA, SUBSECTION (3) TO REPLACE IT IN ITS ENTIRETY WITH NEW LANGUAGE IN BOLD AS FOLLOWS:

~~(3) At each full meeting of the City Council a Councilor designated by the President of the Council shall have the opportunity to invite a person or group of people to lead the City Council in the Pledge of Allegiance (voluntary) in A.(1)(3). No Councilor shall be required to make such an invitation or participate in the Pledge of Allegiance notwithstanding that they have made such an invitation. The inviting Councilor shall be provided the opportunity to introduce the invited guest(s). The President shall produce a schedule of Councilor designated meetings within the 1st week of January of each year, providing that no Councilor~~

~~is given more than one invitation. The President shall be able\* at their discretion provide such an invitation when other Councilors decline to participate or at Special meetings of the Council as they see fit.~~

**During the time of meeting, the City Council shall, at ninety (90) minutes intervals, be scheduled to take a five (5) minute recess. The recess shall be held after the question has been addressed and voted on.**

**Order no. FY 23-015**

**MOTION:** On a motion by Councilor Guin, second by Councilor Lapienski, it was unanimously, **VOTED:** THAT IT BE ORDERED THAT THE GREENFIELD CITY COUNCIL VOTES TO AMEND THE CITY COUNCIL RULES OF PROCEDURE §565-8, RULE 8, ORDER AND DISPOSITION OF BUSINESS, SECTION D: ITEMS REFERRED FOR ADMINISTRATIVE ACTION, SUBSECTION (2) (E), TO REMOVE LANGUAGE WITH STRIKETHROUGH AND ADD LANGUAGE IN BOLD AS FOLLOWS:

(e) The Clerk of the Council will keep a list of pending matters which will be furnished to ~~the~~ Councilors ~~monthly~~: **by way of the Committee Chairs Agenda.**

**Order no. FY 23-021**

**MOTION:** On a motion by Councilor Guin, second by Councilor Desorgher, it was unanimously, **VOTED:** THAT IT BE ORDERED THAT THE GREENFIELD CITY COUNCIL VOTES TO AMEND THE CITY COUNCIL RULES OF PROCEDURE §565-9, RULE 9, COMMITTEES, SECTION B: COMPOSITION-CHARGE, SUBSECTION (1): WAYS AND MEANS, TO REMOVE LANGUAGE WITH STRIKETHROUGH AND ADD LANGUAGE IN BOLD AS FOLLOWS:

- (1) Ways and Means Committee

To consist of five (5) members of the Council to deal with all matters ~~that pertains~~ **pertaining** to expenditures, ~~and matters pertaining to~~ **budget, tax classification and other financial issues.** The Ways and Means Committee shall hold all public hearings on the above matters, unless otherwise provided for.

**Order no. FY 23-022**

**MOTION:** On a motion by Councilor Guin, second by Councilor Ricketts, it was by roll call, 11 yes, 0 no, **VOTED:** THAT IT BE ORDERED THAT THE GREENFIELD CITY COUNCIL VOTES TO AMEND THE CITY COUNCIL RULES OF PROCEDURE §565-9, RULE 9, COMMITTEES, SECTION B: COMPOSITION-CHARGE, SUBSECTION (4): COMMUNITY RELATIONS AND EDUCATION, TO REMOVE LANGUAGE WITH STRIKETHROUGH AND ADD LANGUAGE IN BOLD AS FOLLOWS.

- (4) Community Relations ~~and Education~~ Committee

To consist of five (5) members of the Council to act as liaisons between City departments, commissions, and boards with a focus on quality of life issues in Greenfield. The Community Relations ~~and Education~~ Committee will also provide a regular venue during meetings for communications with ~~the School~~ **City Departments** on cultural and social aspects within the ~~schools~~ **City**. The Community Relations ~~and Education~~ Committee shall promote on-going communication between residents and City government, encourage resident participation in City meetings, **discuss proposed Resolutions**, and provide forums, ~~both in-person and electronic~~, for interaction between Council members and the public.

**Order no. FY 23-023**

**MOTION:** On a motion by Councilor Guin, second by Councilor Ricketts, it was unanimously,

**VOTED:** THAT IT BE ORDERED THAT THE GREENFIELD CITY COUNCIL VOTES TO AMEND THE CITY COUNCIL RULES OF PROCEDURE §565-12, RULE 12, PUBLIC PARTICIPATION, SECTION A: CONDUCT, SUBSECTION (1), TO REPLACE LANGUAGE WITH STRIKETHROUGH TO LANGUAGE IN BOLD AS FOLLOWS:

- (1) Any citizen or petitioner shall be limited to ~~five (5)~~ **three (3)** minutes or another amount of time at the discretion of the Presiding Officer.

**PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS AND SIMILAR PAPERS** None.

**REPORTS OF COMMITTEES** – None.

**UNFINISHED BUSINESS:** None.

**OLD BUSINESS:** None.

**NEW BUSINESS:** Councilor Terounzo held the following first reading:

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- Approval to repurpose \$57,955.54 of previously authorized financial orders for parts and repair of transfer station doors.
- Appropriate \$45,000 from Fund 8400 General Stabilization for establishment expenses of a Public Safety Community Task Force.

President Gilmour addressed the issue of Councilors responsibilities and involvement in their assigned subcommittees. Resignations from sub-committees would not be accepted unless it was due to a situation beyond the Councilor’s control. Other comments included:

- It would be unfair to Councilors who serve on subcommittees when other Councilors choose not to participate without just cause.
- It was important for the Councilors to review all forms of communication from their constituents and other individuals, including emails, phone calls and written correspondence.

Vice President Guin read the following statement (see attached)

**MOTION:** On a motion by Councilor Guin, second by Councilor Desorgher, it was **MOVED:** TO CENSURE COUNCILOR LAPIENSKI IMMEDIATELY WITH THE EXPECTATION THAT THIS CONDUCT WILL CEASE.

**DISCUSSION:** It was noted that using a title to “grandstand” or represent your opinion were considered unprofessional. Councilors need to treat others with respect and the use of derogatory comments was deemed counterintuitive.

It was by roll call, 9 yes, 0 no, 2 abstentions,

**VOTED:** TO APPROVE MOTION.

**MOTIONS FOR RECONSIDERATION:** None.

It was the consensus of the City Council to adjourn the meeting at 9:51 pm.

A true copy,

Attest: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Kathryn J. Scott, City Clerk

GREENFIELD CITY COUNCIL MEMBERS

John Zon Community Center/Zoom Hybrid  
 Regular Meeting  
 August 17, 2022

	Attendance	Table FY22-155	FY23-005	FY23-007	FY23-022	Censure Councilor Lapienski
1. Golub, Katherine	N	---	---	---	---	---
2. Guin, Daniel	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
3. Desorgher, Virginia	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
4. Bottomley, John	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
5. Bullock, Marianne	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A
6. Gilmour, Sheila	Y	---	Y	---	Y	Y
7. Lapienski, Jasper	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	A
8. Mayo, Douglas	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
9. Helie, Derek	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
10. Elmer, Philip	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
11. Forgey, Christine	N	---	---	---	---	---
12. Ricketts, Penny	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
13. Terounzo, Michael	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y
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Submitted by School Superintendent DeBarge and School Committee Chair Proietti for City Council meeting August 17, 2022

To: Greenfield City Council  
From: Christine DeBarge, Ed.D  
Re: School Update  
Date: August 17, 2022

Good evening

On behalf of Chair Proietti, I am pleased to share the following information about the Greenfield Public Schools.

School Tour

The tour of our school buildings is scheduled and the agenda is attached for your reference. We hope you are able to join us for all or any portion of the tours. It is appreciated if you can let the Superintendent’s office know if you intend to join the tour so we can plan for the group size. We look forward to seeing you Tuesday evening.

NESDEC Report

Thank you to Councilman Helie for asking about the Greenfield High School roof in the NESDEC report. We were able to follow up and get clarification. Please see the attached addendum to that report. The addendum will also be added to the copy on the Greenfield Public Schools website and sent to the City to update their online version.

Community based discussions are being scheduled for this fall and information will be communicated through a variety of ways including the Superintendent’s Parent Updates, Principals’ newsletters, websites and included in updates to the Council.

School Year 2022-2023

We are excited to begin a new school year on August 31 for students in grades 1 – 12. This will be an early release day for students. Our Kindergarten and Preschool students will begin school on September 2, also with an early release day for PK and K only. Teachers will begin the school year on August 29 with professional development and staff meetings.

The full district calendar can be found on the GPS website under “calendar”.

We look forward to seeing all of the new students and staff.

There are still some positions unfilled but the positions have been posted and we are working to fill them prior to the start of school.

The athletic schedule can be found on the Greenfield High School website home page, please scroll down. The schedule is on [www.arbiterlive.com](http://www.arbiterlive.com) and a link is available through the GHS page.



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Dr. Christine DeBarge  
Superintendent of Schools  
Greenfield Public Schools  
195 Federal Street, Suite 100  
Greenfield, MA 01301

August 4, 2022

Subject: Amendment to Greenfield Best Educational Use of School Facilities Study

Based on additional conversations with Greenfield Public Schools regarding the Greenfield High School roof, it is reported by the client that they find that the roof is not leaking. Thus, NESDEC hereby notes:

Amendment for slide 84  
Major Systems and Maintenance  
Roof is reported as satisfactory

If you require any further information regarding this amendment, please contact:

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Chris Malone".

Chris Malone  
NESDEC Consultant  
[cmalone@nesdec.org](mailto:cmalone@nesdec.org) 508-481-9444

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Karen LeDuc, Ph.D.".

Karen LeDuc  
Senior Associate  
[kleduc@nesdec.org](mailto:kleduc@nesdec.org) 508-481-9444

To: Greenfield School Committee  
Greenfield City Council  
Greenfield Planning and Construction Committee  
From: Christine DeBarge, Ed.D  
Re: Tour of Buildings  
Date: August 17, 2022

You are invited to participate in a tour of the Greenfield Public School facilities on August 23, 2022, prior to the start of the 2022 – 2023 year. Building administrators will provide a tour of areas they wish to highlight for members. This is meant to serve as a way to highlight the capital projects we have completed as well as to provide members some context for discussions about our facilities.

Newton and Federal will be wrapping up family play dates that evening but will have parking for us, as noted below.

**TOUR OF GREENFIELD PUBLIC SCHOOLS**

**Newton School 4:30 pm**

Principal: Darlene Rehor  
Parking – upper portion of the parking lot to the left of the school  
Enter through the main entrance

**Federal Street School 5:10 pm**

Interim Principal: Kelly Halpin  
Parking – front lot  
Enter through the entrance on the left side facing the building

**Greenfield Middle School 5:45 pm**

Principal: Michelle Fenimore  
Parking – side lot on left side of school  
Enter through the front door on Federal Street

**Discovery School 6:25 pm**

Principal: Michael Browning  
Parking – front lot  
Enter through the main entrance

**Academy of Early Learning 7:00 pm**

Principal: Nancy Putnam  
Parking – in circle or on-street in front of the bus circle  
Enter through the door on the bus circle

**Greenfield High School 7:35 pm**

Principal: Derek Morrison  
Parking – front lot facing Veteran’s Field  
Enter through the main doors

**Tour Finishes 8:05 pm**

Presented at City Council meeting August 17, 2022 by Vice President Guin-

**Whereas the Greenfield City Council values diverse opinions but expects Council members to conduct themselves in a manner that is consistent with their oath of office, their obligation to work to strengthen our city, with other city councilors and officials.**

- 1) Councilor Lapienski continues to use derogatory comments on the floor of the council and using his council title in publications, media, and other meetings representing his own opinion using the title while disrespecting and attacking other councilors and city employees.**

**This behavior is unacceptable, and I move to censure Councilor Lapienski immediately with the expectation that this conduct will cease.**

Daniel Guin  
Greenfield City Council