

**School Committee Meeting Agenda  
Fairhaven Public Schools**

**Wednesday  
October 14, 2026  
6:30 pm**



**Fairhaven High School  
Bernard F. Roderick Library  
12 Huttleston Avenue, Fairhaven**

or via Zoom

**Meeting ID: 849 6703 1533**

**Password: 127084**

Call 1-929-205-6099 to join in the meeting remotely

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1. CALL TO ORDER
2. ROLL CALL OF COMMITTEE MEMBERS
3. DELEGATIONS, VISITORS, ETC
4. APPROVAL OF MINUTES:  
September 16, 2026 - Regular Session Minutes
5. REPORT OF THE STUDENT ADVISORY COMMITTEE
6. PUBLIC COMMENT
7. REPORTS AND RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE SUPERINTENDENT
  - Special Education Update
  - SMEC Update
  - Leroy L. Wood School recognized as a 2025-2026 Special Olympics Massachusetts Unified Champion School
  - Fairhaven Public School District recognized as a 2025 - 2026 Unified Champion School District from PreK through Fairhaven High School
  - Review of iReady Test Schedule and MCAS results
  - Budget Update
    - Recap of the Finance Subcommittee Meeting
    - Receive FY28 Budget Timeline
    - Propose approved School Committee Meeting date changes to coincide with the budget timeline
      - Vote to cancel the January 27, 2027 School Committee Meeting
      - Vote to create a February 24, 2027 School Committee Meeting
      - Vote to move the April 14, 2027 School Committee Meeting to April 28, 2027
8. DISCUSS UPCOMING EVENTS
  - Acushnet Sub Committee Meeting - October 20, 2026
  - School Committee Meeting - November 18, 2026
9. NEW BUSINESS
  - Receive Draft of Protect Act Policy ACL for first read
  - Receive Draft Artificial Intelligence Policy for a second read and vote to accept
  - Vote to allow the Fairhaven High School PTO to utilize Alumni Stadium to prepare for and play the annual Powder Puff Flag Football Game on November 3, 2026.
  - Vote to accept the Fairhaven High School Break-In Restitution Check for \$5,000.
  - Vote to accept Peter Marsh Grant check in the amount of \$1,767 for music chair racks at the Middle School
  - Vote to approve a donation of \$2,593 from a carwash fundraiser for the Fairhaven High School Activity Fund
  - Vote to approve a donation of \$2,260 from the Matty Oliveira Memorial Fund for Elizabeth Hastings Middle School Rec Program
  - Vote to approve a donation of \$500 from Anne & Robert Kocor toward purchasing a Mural for East Fairhaven Elementary School
  - Vote to approve the following mini grant donations from the Fairhaven Alumni Association totaling \$22,462 (information received prior to the meeting):
    - Drama Club \$4,000
    - A. P. Biology \$1,200
    - Music \$5,000
    - Art (ceramic classes) \$1,330
    - Math \$932
    - DECA \$5,000
    - Library \$5,000
10. UNFINISHED BUSINESS
  - Update on possible Acushnet Tuition Agreement
11. QUESTIONS FROM INDIVIDUAL COMMITTEE MEMBERS
12. ANY BUSINESS NOT REASONABLY ANTICIPATED 48 HOURS PRIOR TO THE POSTING OF THIS MEETING
13. ADJOURNMENT