

Ipswich School Committee
Thursday, July 20, 2023
Turner Hill Golf Club
6:00 PM

RETREAT MINUTES

Attendees: Kate Eliot, Jeff Poirier, Jen Donahue, Dianna Freehan, Sasha Sopic, Jenny Connolly, Brian Blake

Meeting called to order at 6:10 PM

Enter into Executive Session

Motion by Kate, seconded by Jen D. Unanimously approved

Resume open session. Brief adjournment for dinner. Resume discussion at 7:45 PM

- Discussion of Superintendent Evaluation process and DESE Model System for Educator Evaluation; discuss form of evaluation and process of feedback as evidence
- SC Goals – upcoming budget cliff (budget committee), SOI acceptance, MSBA filing details for 2023, negotiations (not a specific goal), school security (SC or Superintendent goal?), Feoffees policy review, possible creation of Feoffees working group and workshop for Feoffee's policy group, communications/social media (subcommittee); educational enhancement goal
- Review of subcommittee assignments, etc.
- Discussion of SC meeting calendar for year
- School inspection assignments – HS/MS – Jeff and Mat, Doyon – Jen and Jenny , Winthrop – Sasha

New business:

- Discussion of election of Chair and Vice Chair. Nominations and election to occur at the next meeting.
- Discussion of opportunity due to turnover of new administrators for Superintendent goal

Motion to adjourn by Kate, second by Jeff. Unanimous. Adjourned at 10:04 PM.