

Hollis Brookline Cooperative School District
Special District Meeting
October 5, 2021



School Board Members

- Holly Deurloo Babcock, Chair
- Tom Solon, Vice Chair
- Beth Williams, Secretary
- Elizabeth Brown
- Kate Stoll
- Krista Whalen
- Cindy VanCoughnett

Administration

SAU Office

- Andrew Corey
- Gina Bergskaug
- Kelly Seeley
- Linda Sherwood
- Lauren DiGennaro

HBHS

- Tim Girzone
- Bob Ouellette
- Amanda Zeller
- Kimberly Meyer

HBMS

- Patrick West
- Jennifer Campbell
- Yolanda Flamino

Superintendent

Assistant Superintendent

Business Administrator

Asst. Business Administrator

Director of Student Services

Principal

Assistant Principal

Assistant Principal

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Meeting Officials

- James O'Shaugnessy
- Diane Leavitt
- Supervisors of the Checklist
- Ballot Clerks
- Assistants and Counters

District Counsel

District Clerk

Meeting Rules

- Moderator proposes operating rules
- Must be adopted every meeting
- Change rules by 2/3 vote
- Robert's Rules only a guide
- Rules found in Town Report yellow section
 - Hollis page 214
 - Brookline page 178

Speaking

- Come to microphone
- Wait to be recognized
- Speak into microphone
- Show card, state name and address clearly
- Address moderator not audience
- Speak only once until others have spoken
- 2 minutes
- Speaking time cannot be yielded or transferred

Speaking at the Meeting, RSA 40:7

No person shall speak in any meeting without leave of the moderator, nor when any person speaking is in order; and all persons shall be silent at the desire of the moderator

Point of Order

- Bring to Moderator's attention that rules not being followed
- Appeal Moderator's ruling
- Not for questions or motions

Changes from Printed Rules

- Motion to end debate may be made from the floor any time no other person has the floor. Everyone already in line may speak.
 - In order only after sufficient debate
- Sponsors of amendments may speak for 5 minutes and only by request
- 2 minutes for all other members of the public

Appeal Moderator's Ruling

- Any interpretation of rules may be appealed unless required by state law
- Challenge to direct application of rules requires changing the rules, not appeal
- Immediately after ruling made
- “Point of Order” or “I wish to challenge the ruling”
- Majority vote to overrule, 2/3 vote to change rules

Adopt Rules

Shall the School District vote to adopt
the rules for this meeting
as proposed by the Moderator?

Warrant Summary

Article	Content
1	Editorial and Non-Substantive changes to Articles of Agreement
2	Substantive changes to Articles of Agreement

Editorial/Non-substantive Changes

Article 01. To see if the school district will vote to amend the Articles of Agreement of the Hollis-Brookline Cooperative School District as follows:

- Change “junior high school” to “middle school”
- Re-index years for terms of School Board members, preserving the current rotation
- Re-index year for reapportionment of School Board members from 2005 to 2023.

No Appropriations and No Tax Impact

PROPOSED CHANGES TO THE HOLLIS BROOK COOP ARTICLES OF AGREEMENT

Editorial/Non-substantive changes

Article 1:

The school districts of Brookline and Hollis shall combine to form a cooperative ~~junior-middle~~ and senior high school district which shall be named the Hollis/Brookline Cooperative School District, pursuant to RSA 195.

*Correct description of **Middle School***

Editorial/Non-substantive changes

Article 2:

The School Board of the Hollis/Brookline Cooperative School District shall consist of seven members. Effective with the election of ~~2003-2021~~, the Board will be organized in the following manner:

Town	Members	Term	Year Ending
Brookline	1 member	3 years	2004-2022
	1 member	3 years	2005-2023
	1 member	3 years	2006-2024
Hollis	2 members	3 years	2004-2022
	1 member	3 years	2005-2023
	1 member	3 years	2006-2024

Editorial/Non-substantive changes

Article 2 *continued*:

Members of the Cooperative School Board shall be elected by the voters of the pre-existing districts they represent and must be residents of those pre-existing districts. All members elected shall be elected to three year terms unless that member is filling out the unexpired term of a member who has left the board, in which case the term shall be the unexpired term.

Reapportionment of the school board may be proposed at any time in accordance with RSA's 195:22 and 671:9, but in any case the apportionment as specified above would be subject to review for possible amendment at least in March, **2005-2023** and every three (3) years thereafter under the provisions of Article 11 of this agreement and RSA 195:18, III(i).

Re-index years preserving current rotation

Substantive Changes

Article 02. To see if the school district will vote to amend the Articles of Agreement of the Hollis-Brookline Cooperative School District as follows:

- Delete Articles 4, 8, and 13, no change to Article numbers
- Add the phrase “as required by RSA” to Article 10 covering transportation requirements

No Appropriations and No Tax Impact

Substantive changes

Article 4:

~~The Hollis/Brookline Cooperative School District shall lease the Hollis High School “White Building” and the Hollis Junior High School from the Hollis School District upon such terms and conditions as the Cooperative School Board negotiates and determines to be in the best interests of the Cooperative School District. The Hollis/Brookline Cooperative School District shall acquire, at no further cost, the existing land, building and contents comprising that portion of the Hollis AREA High School initially constructed in 1962, including subsequent additions.~~

Article 8:

~~All trust funds held or enjoyed by any pre-existing district shall be held and applied as the terms of the trust indicate, in accordance with RSA 195:11.~~

Remove obsolete and unneeded articles

Substantive changes

Article 10:

The Hollis/Brookline Cooperative School District shall provide transportation for students, as required by RSA, under terms decided by the Hollis/Brookline Cooperative Board.

Acknowledge that RSA includes transportation requirements

~~**Article 13:**~~

~~It will be the responsibility of the Cooperative School Board to plan a minimum of two joint meetings per year with the Hollis and Brookline School Boards for the purpose of discussing issues of mutual interest.~~

Remove article because these meetings are not held. SAU Gov'n Board meetings and board chairs meetings fulfill the intended purpose