

# Massachusetts Association of School Committees, Inc.

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March 22, 2021

TO: School Committee Members

SUBJECT: MASC ANNUAL BUSINESS MEETING

Will be held during the Joint Conference on SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 6, 2021

3:15pm.

**RESORT and CONFERENCE CENTER at HYANNIS\*** 

Voting Delegate Resolutions

Enclosed is the Official Delegate Form for registering your voting delegate for the MASC annual business meeting. This year's meeting will be in Hyannis during the joint conference. The form must be received in the MASC office by Wednesday, October 27, 2021.

MASC adopts its formal positions from decisions made by our membership. The resolution process is the primary vehicle for measuring feedback and developing legislative positions and action. Enclosed is the form, and instructions for submitting a resolution for consideration at the annual meeting. The deadline for submission of resolutions for review by the Resolutions Committee is June 1, 2021.

<sup>\*</sup> As of this mailing, MASC anticipates that the Delegate Assembly will be held at the Resort & Conference Center in Hyannis as part of the Annual Conference, but will also be live-streamed for those who wish to participate remotely. More details will be forthcoming.



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Ellen Holmes, President

Date: March 2021

To: MASC member school committees, c/o superintendent of schools

Re: Voting delegate to annual business meeting

Date: DURING JOINT CONFERENCE. SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 6

Location: RESORT AND CONFERENCE CENTER AT HYANNIS, HYANNIS (see footnote on prior page)

### **FIRST NOTICE**

In order for your school committee to have a vote at the annual business meeting of the Massachusetts Association of School Committees, it is necessary that an official delegate be designated in pursuance of Article IX, Sec. 6 of the By-Laws, as follows:

All members of the Association, and all members of school committees which are active members of the Association, may attend and speak at any meeting of the Association. Only active members shall be entitled to vote on the election of officers or on any other matter as to which members of the Association shall have the right to vote and each active member shall have one vote. No later than seven days prior to each meeting of the Association each active member shall, by written notice to the Executive Director, designate one of its members as its voting delegate and may by such notice designate one of its members as its alternate voting delegate. All ballots and other votes cast by an active member at any meeting of the Association shall be cast by and only by its voting delegate or if the delegate be absent, by its alternate voting delegate if one shall have been designated.

### PLEASE NOTE:

 An official delegate is only that delegate whose school committee has complied with annual dues regulations as spelled out in Article IV of the MASC By-Laws.

• Deadline for receipt of delegate forms by the Executive Director for the 2021 annual meeting is October 27, 2021.

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NOTE: In order to register for the annual business meeting, delegates must send in this form in addition to the conference registration form.