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June 16, 2026

ORDERED:

That the Minutes of the following meetings be accepted as presented:

- June 2, 2026, Regular Meeting
- June 5, 2026, Special Meeting

A true copy:

Attest:



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Executive Secretary to the Cambridge School Committee

c: Superintendent

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June 16, 2026

ORDERED:

That the Superintendent's Recommendation #26-127, Approval of the Amendment of the Contract with the Law Firm of Morgan, Brown & Joy, LLP: That the School Committee approve an amendment of the contract with the law firm of Morgan, Brown & Joy, LLP in an amount not to exceed \$21,000.00 (Twenty One Thousand Dollars) to provide legal services for labor and employment matters in accordance with M.G.L. c. 71, §§37E & 37F.

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June 16, 2026

ORDERED:

That Superintendent's Recommendation #26-128, be adopted as follows: that the School Committee award contracts to the institutions on the attached list in amounts not to exceed the shown rates, having been approved by the Operational Services Division of the laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, funds to be provided from the general fund and/or grant fund budget.

	#	Amount
Day Program Tuition Contracts:		
Residential Program Contracts:		
45 Day Program Contracts:	1	\$42,083.59
Total	1	\$42,083.59

Description: SY25-26 Placement of students in private schools for implementation of educational plans in accordance with Chapter 766.

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June 16, 2026

ORDERED:

That Superintendent's Recommendation #26-129, be adopted as follows: that the School Committee award contracts to the institutions on the attached list in amounts not to exceed the shown rates, having been approved by the Operational Services Division of the laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, funds to be provided from the general fund and/or grant fund budget.

	#	Amount
Day Program Tuition Contracts:	104	\$12,806,333.45
Residential Program Contracts:	16	\$4,902,047.61
45 Day Program Contracts:		
Total	120	\$17,708,381.06

Description: SY26-27 Placement of students in private schools for implementation of educational plans in accordance with Chapter 766.

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ORDERED:

That the Superintendent's Recommendation #26-130 be adopted as follows: that the School Committee approve a contract with the following vendor, funds to be provided in accordance with the budget reference listed below. Procurement procedures for this purchase have complied with Chapter 30B of the laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Curriculum Associates, LLC, 153 Rangeway Road, N. Billerica, MA for the period of September 1, 2026 to August 31, 2027 in the amount of \$42,900.00.

DESCRIPTION: This contract is for a unified K-12 software system that spans administrative management, progress monitoring in the four language domains, and professional development for the district.

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ORDERED:

That the Superintendent's Recommendation #26-131 be adopted as follows: that the School Committee approve a contract with the following vendor, funds to be provided in accordance with the budget reference listed below. Procurement procedures for this purchase have complied with Chapter 30B of the laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

AramSCO, Inc., 1480 Grandview Ave, Paulsboro, NJ for the period of July 1, 2026 to June 30, 2027 in the amount of \$200,000.00.

DESCRIPTION: This contract is for custodial supplies including cleaning supplies and bathroom paper supplies for all schools and buildings.

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ORDERED:

That the Superintendent's Recommendation #26-132 be adopted as follows: that the School Committee approve a contract with the following vendor, funds to be provided in accordance with the budget reference listed below. Procurement procedures for this purchase have complied with Chapter 30B of the laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Next Gen Supply Group, 11 Norfolk Street, Mansfield, MA for the period of July 1, 2026 to June 30, 2027 in the amount of \$450,000.00.

DESCRIPTION: This contract is for custodial supplies including cleaning supplies and bathroom paper supplies for all schools and buildings.

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That the Superintendent's Recommendation #26-133 be adopted as follows: that the School Committee approve a contract with the following vendor, funds to be provided in accordance with the budget reference listed below. Procurement procedures for this purchase have complied with Chapter 30B of the laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Pasek, 9 West Third Street, South Boston, MA for the period of July 1, 2026 to June 30, 2027 in the amount of \$60,000.00.

DESCRIPTION: This contract is for locks, keys, and hardware for all schools and buildings.

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That the Superintendent's Recommendation #26-134 be adopted as follows: that the School Committee approve a contract with the following vendor, funds to be provided in accordance with the budget reference listed below. Procurement procedures for this purchase have complied with Chapter 30B of the laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

NorthEast Electrical, 560 Oak Street, Brockton, MA for the period of July 1, 2026 to June 30, 2027 in the amount of \$100,000.00.

DESCRIPTION: This contract is for electrical supplies for all schools and buildings.

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ORDERED:

That the Superintendent's Recommendation #26-135 be adopted as follows: that the School Committee approve a contract with the following vendor, funds to be provided in accordance with the budget reference listed below. Procurement procedures for this purchase have complied with Chapter 30B of the laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Filter Sales & Services, 15 Adams Street, Burlington, MA for the period of July 1, 2026 to June 30, 2027 in the amount of \$100,000.00.

DESCRIPTION: This contract is for HVAC supplies for all schools and buildings. The Facilities Department executes contracts with multiple vendors for HVAC supplies to ensure access to adequate inventory of required supplies.

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That the Superintendent's Recommendation #26-136 be adopted as follows: that the School Committee approve a contract with the following vendor, funds to be provided in accordance with the budget reference listed below. Procurement procedures for this purchase have complied with Chapter 30B of the laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

F.W. Webb, 160 Middlesex Turnpike, Bedford, MA for the period of July 1, 2026 to June 30, 2027 in the amount of \$150,000.00.

DESCRIPTION: This contract is for HVAC supplies for all schools and buildings. The Facilities Department executes contracts with multiple vendors for HVAC supplies to ensure access to adequate inventory of required supplies.

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That the Superintendent's Recommendation #26-137 be adopted as follows: that the School Committee approve a contract with the following vendor, funds to be provided in accordance with the budget reference listed below. Procurement procedures for this purchase have complied with Chapter 30B of the laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Home Depot, 11 Dan Road, Canton, MA for the period of July 1, 2026 to June 30, 2027 in the amount of \$300,000.00.

DESCRIPTION: This contract is for carpentry and maintenance supplies for all schools and buildings.

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ORDERED:

That the Superintendent's Recommendation #26-138 be adopted as follows: that the School Committee approve a contract with the following vendor, funds to be provided in accordance with the budget reference listed below. Procurement procedures for this purchase have complied with Chapter 30B of the laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

New England School Services, 98 Hicks Avenue, Medford, MA for the period of
July 1, 2026 to June 30, 2027 in the amount of \$100,000.00.

DESCRIPTION: This contract is for carpentry supplies for district wide use.

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ORDERED:

That the Superintendent's Recommendation #26-139 be adopted as follows: that the School Committee approve a contract with the following vendor, funds to be provided in accordance with the budget reference listed below. Procurement procedures for this purchase have complied with Chapter 30B of the laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Metropolitan Pipe, 30 Inner Belt Road, Somerville, MA for the period of July 1, 2026 to June 30, 2027 in the amount of \$100,000.00.

DESCRIPTION: This contract is for plumbing supplies for all schools and buildings.

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June 16, 2026

ORDERED:

That the Superintendent's Recommendation #26-140 be adopted as follows: that the School Committee approve a contract with the following vendor, funds to be provided in accordance with the budget reference listed below. Procurement procedures for this purchase have complied with Chapter 30B of the laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Republic Services, 848 Adams Street, Abington, MA for the period of July 1, 2026 to June 30, 2027 in the amount of \$90,000.00.

DESCRIPTION: This contract is for dumpster and cardboard disposal services.

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ORDERED:

That the Superintendent's Recommendation #26-141 be adopted as follows: that the School Committee approve a contract with the following vendor, funds to be provided in accordance with the budget reference listed below. Procurement procedures for this purchase have complied with Chapter 30B of the laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

BCM Controls Corporation, 30 Commerce Way, Woburn, MA for the period of July 1, 2026 to June 30, 2027 in the amount of \$200,000.00.

DESCRIPTION: This contract is for security cameras, entry access maintenance, installations, and repairs.

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June 16, 2026

ORDERED:

That the Superintendent's Recommendation #26-142 be adopted as follows: that the School Committee approve a contract with the following vendor, funds to be provided in accordance with the budget reference listed below. Procurement procedures for this purchase have complied with Chapter 30B of the laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Keycode Media, 10 Commerce Park North, Suite 6, Bedford, NH for the period of July 1, 2026 to June 30, 2027 in the amount of \$35,180.00.

DESCRIPTION: This contract is for the purchase, install, and set up hardware to upgrade critical components of the Attles room used for broadcasting school committee and other CPS meetings to the public.

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ORDERED:

That the Superintendent's Recommendation #26-143 be adopted as follows: that the School Committee approve a contract with the following vendor, funds to be provided in accordance with the budget reference listed below. Procurement procedures for this purchase have complied with Chapter 30B of the laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Barbizon Lighting Company, 31 Draper St, Woburn, MA for the period of July 1, 2026 to June 30, 2027 in the amount of \$50,000.00.

DESCRIPTION: This contract is for Audio Visual Equipment Maintenance and Services across the CPS district.

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ORDERED:

That the Superintendent's Recommendation #26-144 be adopted as follows: that the School Committee approve a contract with the following vendor, funds to be provided in accordance with the budget reference listed below. Procurement procedures for this purchase have complied with Chapter 30B of the laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

ExpertHiring, 991 Route 22 West, Suite 200, Bridgewater NJ for the period of
July 1, 2026 to August 31, 2027 in the amount of \$50,000.00.

DESCRIPTION: This contract is for nurses and health aides required for students medical needs per their IEP/504.

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ORDERED:

That the Superintendent's Recommendation #26-145 be adopted as follows: that the School Committee approve a contract with the following vendor, funds to be provided in accordance with the budget reference listed below. Procurement procedures for this purchase have complied with Chapter 30B of the laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Imagine Learning, 8860 E. Chaparral Road, Scottsdale, AZ for the period of July 1, 2026 to June 30, 2027 in the amount of \$190,000.00.

DESCRIPTION: This contract is for a district wide tier 1 math curriculum and instruction materials for grades K-5. This teaching and learning platform also provides print and digital access.

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ORDERED:

That the Superintendent's Recommendation #26-146 be adopted as follows: that the School Committee approve a contract with the following vendor, funds to be provided in accordance with the budget reference listed below. Procurement procedures for this purchase have complied with Chapter 30B of the laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

President & Fellow of Harvard College, 86 Brattle Street, Cambridge MA for the period of July 1, 2026 to August 31, 2027 in the amount of \$62,250.00.

DESCRIPTION: This contract is for family engagement professional learning for district and school leadership staff.

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ORDERED:

That the Superintendent's Recommendation #26-147 be adopted as follows: that the School Committee approve a contract with the following vendor, funds to be provided in accordance with the budget reference listed below. Procurement procedures for this purchase have complied with Chapter 30B of the laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Facing History and Ourselves, 89 South Street, Suite 401, Boston MA for the period of July 1, 2026 to June 30, 2027 in the amount of \$53,000.00.

DESCRIPTION: This contract is for professional learning and curriculum support.

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June 2, 2026

ORDERED:

That the Superintendent's Recommendation #26-148, approval of Gifts to the Cambridge Public Schools, be adopted as follows: that the School Committee accept and approve the following donations as described:

DONATION - \$878.36 from HELPSY to the Cambridgeport School in return for items collected in their clothing/book donation box. Funds will be used for the general support of the school.

DONATION - \$500 from the Marjot Foundation to the CRLS Science Department in honor of a CRLS student receiving a highly-competitive Marjot Foundation grant award for an environmental research project.

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--IN SCHOOL COMMITTEE--

June 16, 2026

ORDERED:

That the report of the Buildings and Grounds Subcommittee, May 28, 2026, be accepted as presented.

A true copy:

Attest:



Katherine Christo
Executive Secretary to the Cambridge School Committee

c: Superintendent

Motion #26-149

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--IN SCHOOL COMMITTEE--

June 16, 2026

ORDERED:

That the report of the Special Education & Student Supports Subcommittee, June 8, 2026, be accepted as presented.

A true copy:

Attest:



Katherine Christo
Executive Secretary to the Cambridge School Committee

c: Superintendent

Motion #26-150

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ORDERED:

That the following remain on Unfinished Business/Calendar:

WHEREAS: In accordance with the City of Cambridge's Welcoming Communities Ordinance, it is not within the purview nor mandate of the City of Cambridge nor of Cambridge Public Schools to enforce federal immigration law or seek the detention, transfer or deportation of Cambridge residents for civil immigration purposes, nor should CPS resources be expended toward that end; and

WHEREAS: While the City of Cambridge's Welcoming Communities Ordinance sets this policy, this is an issue about which there is considerable anxiety among Cambridge Public Schools stakeholders; now therefore be it

RESOLVED: That CPS will equally enforce the law and serve the public without consideration of immigration status, citizenship, national origin, race, or ethnicity; and

RESOLVED: That in accordance with city policy, CPS employees and officials may not inquire about the immigration status of any student, family member, community member, or any member of the public with whom they interact, except as required by 8 U.S.C. § 1373 or for the limited purpose of demonstrating the eligibility of a job applicant to work in the United States. No employee of the Cambridge Public Schools shall require a student or parent to provide information regarding their immigration or citizenship status to establish the student's residency in the district for enrollment purposes. If such information becomes known to an employee of the Cambridge Public Schools, such information shall not be kept or distributed, except as required by federal or state law or regulations, and shall have no bearing on the student's ability to register for school or the school's treatment of that student. Information collected regarding place of birth for the purpose of providing appropriate services to any student shall be used only for that purpose and not distributed further, except as required by federal or state law or regulation; and be it further

RESOLVED: That citizenship, immigration status, national origin, race, and ethnicity shall have no bearing on an individual's treatment by CPS employees or officials; and be it further

RESOLVED: That except in response to a judicial warrant or other court order, ICE agents shall not be allowed access to individuals in CPS facilities including district-provided transportation; and be it further

RESOLVED: That no officer or employee of the Cambridge Public Schools shall perform the functions of an immigration officer, whether pursuant to 8 U.S.C. § 1357(g) or any other law, regulation, or policy, whether formal or informal, except as required by federal or state law or regulations.

Motion #26-125

cc:

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Member de Paula Santos
Vice Chair Dube
Member Harding
Member Hudson
Mayor Siddiqui
Chair Weinstein
Superintendent