

## Amesbury Public Schools Office of the Superintendent of Schools

October 28, 2020: Joint Statement of the Amesbury School Committee and Superintendent Jared Fulgoni

After a period of open and honest dialogue about recent changes in educational and operational philosophies, the School Committee and the Superintendent have amiably and professionally agreed to end their employment relationship. There are other legitimate goals and objectives the Committee and the community wish to pursue. Superintendent Fulgoni respects the duty of elected officials to determine the policies governing the educational program and district operations, and agrees that the Committee is entitled to select district leadership which shares its objectives and philosophy.

The District and the Amesbury School Committee thank Superintendent Fulgoni for his efforts on behalf of the children of Amesbury. There has been much accomplished on Superintendent Fulgoni's "watch", such as gains in achievement at all schools, middle school exiting its DESE imposed accountability status, full day kindergarten implemented, school choice "in" doubling each year while decreasing the choice "outs", and the start of construction on a new school, to name a few. We know that he will continue to support, assist and champion the Amesbury Public Schools as we all hope the schools and the children find good health and great success.