



The mission of the Bedford School District is to develop a community of learners who are intellectually curious, resourceful, and respectful of self and others. Academic achievement through constantly improving standards is the district's highest priority.

BEDFORD SCHOOL BOARD MEETING

Monday, August 23, 2021

SAU Board Room

103 County Road, Bedford NH 03110

7:00 p.m.

AGENDA

7:00 p.m. 1. Call to Order/Roll Call

7:01 p.m. 2. Affirm Agenda Items

7:02 p.m. 3. Comments or Written Statements from the Public

While we encourage public participation at board meetings, please refrain from expressions of support or disagreement (applause, etc.) during the meeting. Residents who take 2-3 minutes to make formal comments bearing difficult feedback, unconventional, or unpopular ideas are welcome and should feel comfortable commenting. Outbursts of any kind can disrupt the decorum of the meeting and the purpose of public comments.

Thank you for your cooperation.

Citizen participation can occur in two ways:

- a. Written comments can be submitted directly to the School Board at bedfordschoolboard@sau25.net
- b. Comments can be made in person during the designated time for public comments.

The following procedures pertain to public participation at Board meetings:

- Written or oral statements can take up to 2 to 3 minutes per speaker.*

- *An individual desiring to speak shall give his/her name, address, and the group, if any, that is represented.*
- *The School Board will not hear personal complaints of school personnel nor against any person connected with the school system.*
- *Unless an answer to a question is provided in the Board's written policies or in established regulations, the Board will not respond to the request at the same meeting, nor will it take action on a proposed recommendation, but shall defer the item to a later meeting.*

7:15 p.m. 4. 90 Day Advisory Committee on Diversity, Equity Inclusion Advisory

Proposed Action: Superintendent Fournier and members of the Diversity Equity Advisory committee will share their recommendations with the Board.

Supporting Documents

- [DEI Recommendations](#)

7:45 p.m. 5. Public Comment and Minutes

Proposed Action: Superintendent Fournier will give an update regarding legal opinions on the Board questions related to public comment and minutes.

Supporting Documents

- [Policy BEDG- Minutes of School Board Meetings](#)
- [Policy BEDH-Public Participation at School Board Meetings](#)

8:00 p.m. 6. Transportation Contract

Proposed Action: Business Administrator Ambrosio will answer questions asked by the Board at the 08/09/21 School Board meeting related to the transportation contract.

Supporting Documents

- [FY22 Transportation Contract](#)

8:15 p.m. 7. DOE 25

Proposed Action: Business Administrator Ambrosio will share the DOE 25 end of year reports and answer any Board questions.

Supporting Documents

- [Bedford DOE-25 Final](#)

- 8:25 p.m. 8. **Minutes**
- [Draft Minutes of 08.09.21](#)
- 8:30 p.m. 9. **Consent Agenda**
- [08.24.21 Manifest](#)
 - [Nominations-new hires](#)
 - [Audit Engagement](#)
 - [Audit Governance Questions](#)
- 8:35 p.m. 10. **Short Subjects**

NONPUBLIC SESSION

- TBD 11. **Nonpublic Session Per RSA 91-A:3, II (a)**
- If necessary
- TBD 12. **Adjournment**