

Mt. Blue Regional School District Board of Directors
AGENDA

NOTICE: Pursuant to RSU 9's Health and Safety guidelines, ***face masks are required*** to attend an in-person event inside a school building.

DATE: November 23, 2021

PLACE: The Forum, Mt. Blue Campus

TIME: 6:30pm

ZOOM LINK:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86217844601?pwd=dDlkSDJkcDdEQjNCRzJkVjQ0M1FtUT09>

- I. Call to Order
- II. Pledge of Allegiance
- III. Report of the Chairperson - Carol Coles
 - A. [BCA Board Member Code of Ethics](#)
 1. Focus items Preamble & Section Q
 - B. Thank You's to share
- IV. Communications
- V. Adjustments to the Agenda
- VI. Good news stories from the Board or Administrators
- VII. Public Comment
- VIII. [Superintendent's Report](#) - Christian Elkington
 - A. New Hires, Transfers, Resignations, and Retirements
 - B. Strategic Planning Update
 1. [Progress & Next Steps](#)
 2. [Community Events Schedule](#)
 3. Assistance on picking up completed surveys
 - C. Staff Recognition
 1. [Staff Members of the Month](#)
 2. Lunch/Snack Recognition
 - D. Special Education - Ed Tech Staffing Update
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- E. MSBA COVID Update
 - 1. [Memo from the Maine School Boards Association](#)
 - F. RSU 9 Kennebec Valley Band and Chorus Music Festival Participants
- IX. Administrator Reports
None
- X. Presentations
None
- XI. Consent Agenda
- A. Minutes from [November 9, 2021](#)
 - B. Committee Report Outs and Minutes
 - 1. Operations Committee - None
 - 2. Personnel & Finance - None
 - 3. Educational Policy - None
 - *Motion to approve the consent agenda.*
- XII. New Business
- A. COVID Reopening Plan Check-In - Elkington/Columbia
 - 1. Questions on [Covid Data Update](#)
 - 2. [Vaccine Clinic Update](#)
 - 3. [Testing Update](#)
 - 4. [Pooled Testing Update](#)
 - a) Review of the process
 - b) Present #s Testing
 - 5. State Changes
 - 6. Superintendent Recommendation with present universal masking expectations
 - 7. Discussion/Questions
 - *Motion to change present expectations.*
 - B. Winter Athletics Season Grades 6-12 Participation - Elkington/Columbia
 - 1. [State Organization Recommendations](#) - 11-17-2021
 - 2. Academic & Attendance concerns
 - a) Keeping students involved with in-person learning by reducing the need for quarantining
 - b) Keeping contests/games from being postponed or cancelled

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- c) Keeping our focus on returning to normalcy as much as possible by allowing some family members and students (MBHS only) to be at home contests.
 3. [Winter Season Expectations Updated](#) - 11-18-21 Draft
 4. Parent Meeting Comments
 5. Discussion
- *Motion to approve Winter Athletics Season Guidelines*
- C. Approval of New Hire, Transfer, Resignation, and Retirement
- *Motion to approve the new hire, transfer, resignation, and retirement as presented in the Superintendent's Report.*
- D. Second and Final Reading of Board Policies
1. [IHD: Adult Education](#)
 2. [IHAI: Live Work \(CTE Only\)](#)
 3. [FB: Facilities Planning](#)
 4. [GBGB: Workplace Bullying](#)
 5. [IJOC: School Volunteers](#)
- *Motion to approve the second and final readings of the following Board Policies for adoption: IHD: Adult Education; IHAI: Live Work (CTE Only); FB: Facilities Planning; GBGB: Workplace Bullying; and, IJOC: School Volunteers.*

XIII. Adjourn

NEXT SCHEDULED MEETINGS

December 14, 2021 - 6:30pm - The Forum, Mt. Blue Campus
December 21, 2021 - 6:30pm - The Forum, Mt. Blue Campus

UPCOMING COMMITTEE MEETINGS

Operations - December 7, 2021 - 5:00pm - The Forum, Mt. Blue Campus
Personnel & Finance - December 7, 2021 - 6:00pm - The Forum, Mt. Blue Campus
Educational Policy - December 7, 2021 - 7:00pm - The Forum, Mt. Blue Campus

Operations - January 4, 2022 - 5:00pm - The Forum, Mt. Blue Campus
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