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BEDFORD SCHOOL BOARD MEETING

Monday, May 12, 2025

SAU Office board room

103 County Road, Bedford NH 03110

7:00 p.m.

AGENDA

1. Call to Order/Pledge of Allegiance/Roll Call

7:00 p.m.

2. Affirm Agenda Items

3. Participation at School Board Meetings

Citizen participation can occur in two ways:

1. Written comments can be submitted directly to the School Board at bedfordschoolboard@sau25.net. If you would like your written comment to be included in meeting minutes please specify this and include your full name and address.
2. Comments can be made in person during the designated time for public comments.

The following procedures pertain to Public Participation at Board meetings as per policy BEDH:

- Individual speakers will be allotted up to 3 minutes per person. Speakers may not relinquish allotted time to another 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 comments of complaints of school personnel nor against any person connected with the school system.
- Please refer to Policy [BEDH Public Participation at Board Meetings](#) for more details.

4. Solar Panel Proposal

BHS Senior, Annabelle Jurus will present her senior project and proposal for the installation of solar panels.

Supporting Documents:

- [Solar Panel Presentation](#)

5. Alternate Credit Option Proposal

Proposed Action:

Assistant Superintendent Laliberte and BHS Dean of Students, Lisa Jacques, will present a proposal to the Board outlining an initiative that would allow high school students to earn credits through alternative options.

Supporting Documents:

- [Alternative Credit Presentation](#)

6. Special Services Parent Advisory Council

Proposed Action:

Superintendent Fournier will inform the Board about the newly established Parent Advisory Council, created by the Special Services Department. He will also ask if any Board member would be willing to serve as the Board's liaison to the committee, facilitating communication and collaboration between the Council and the Board.

Supporting Documents:

- [PAC Informational Flyer](#)
- [PAC Questionnaire](#)
- [25/26 Board Committee Assignments](#)

7. Policy Updates

Superintendent Fournier presented the Board with policy updates. Using Draftable.com's side-by-side comparison tool, changes were color-coded as follows: red indicated deletions, blue represented replacements, and green signified relocated content.

First Read:

Policy AD: Philosophy of the School District

- [Current Version \(PDF\)](#)
- [Side by Side Comparison](#)
- [Clean Revised Version](#)

Policy BA: School Board Operational Goals
(To be withdrawn)

- [Current Version](#)
- [Side by Side Comparison](#)
- [Clean Policy BA](#)

Policy BBA: School Board Powers and Duties

- [Current Version](#)
- [Side by Side Comparison](#)
- [Clean BBA \(Recommended by NHSBA\)](#)
 - [Procedure BBA-R \(Recommended by NHSBA\)](#)

Policy BBB-TA: School Board Elections - Oath of Office

- [Clean BBB-TA \(Recommended by NHSBA\)](#)
- [BBB-F \(Certificate of Oath of Office\)](#)

Policy BBBH: Recognition of Organization and Operation of the SAU School Board
(To be withdrawn)

- [Current Version](#)
- [Side by Side Comparison](#)
- [Clean Policy BBBH](#)

Policy BCA: School Board Member Ethics

- [Current Version](#)
- [Side by Side Comparison](#)
- [Clean Policy BCA \(Recommended by NHSBA\)](#)

Policy BEC: Non-Public Sessions

- [Current Version](#)
- [Side by Side Comparison](#)
- [Clean Policy BEC \(Recommended by NHSBA\)](#)

Policy BEDC: Quorum

- [Current Version](#)
- [Side by Side Comparison](#)
- [Clean Policy BEDC \(Recommended by NHSBA\)](#)

Policy BGA: Policy Development System

- [Current Version](#)
- [Side by Side Comparison](#)
- [Clean Policy BGA \(Recommended by NHSBA\)](#)

Policy BHE: School Board Use of Email and Other Electronic Communications

- [Clean BHE \(NHSBA Recommended\)](#)

Policy JICN: Prohibition of Deep Fake Images and Other Media

- [Clean Policy JICN \(Recommended by NHSBA\)](#)

Second Read:

Policy EBCH: Chemical Safety and Chemical Hygiene Plan

- [Clean Policy EBCH \(Recommended by NHSBA\)](#)
- [Procedure EBCH-E\(1\): Chemical Safety and Chemical Hygiene Plan](#)
- [BHS Chemical Safety Plan](#)

Policy IGE: Parental Objections to Specific Course Material

- [Current Version](#)

- [Side by Side Comparison](#)
- [Clean Policy IGE \(Recommended by NHSBA\)](#)

Policy JLCJA: Emergency Plan for Sports Related Injuries and Additional Protocols for Athletics Participation

- [Current Version](#)
- [Side by Side Comparison](#)
- [Clean Policy JLCJA \(Recommended by NHSBA\)](#)

Policy JLF: Reporting Child Abuse or Neglect

- [Current Version](#)
- [Side by Side Comparison](#)
- [Clean JLF \(Recommended by NHSBA\)](#)
- [JLF-F\(1\) Child Abuse and/or Neglect Reporting Form](#)
 - ❖ [Procedure JLF-R](#): Procedures Regarding Identification and Referral of Child Abuse and Neglect (to be withdrawn)

Policy JLP: Parental Notification of and Involvement in Student Welfare

- [Clean JLP \(Recommended by NHSBA\)](#)

8. Minutes

- [Draft Minutes of 04.14.25 BSB Meeting](#)

9. Materials Included

- [May Enrollment Report](#)
- Suspension Reports
 - [ISS](#)
 - [OSS](#)
- [Bullying Report](#)
- [Saturday School](#)

10. Consent Agenda

- [Manifest of 05.13.2025](#)
- [Professional Staff Nomination](#)

11. Short Subjects and Good News Notes

12. Nonpublic Session Per RSA 91-A:3 (If Necessary)

13. Adjournment

TBD