

BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING APPROVED MINUTES

MVHS CAFETERIA

MONDAY, JUNE 1, 2026 RETIREE RECOGNITION DINNER **5:00PM**

MONDAY, JUNE 1, 2026 SCHOOL BOARD **6:30PM**

Link for Live Viewing at: <https://meet.google.com/yok-odcy-hpq>

School Board Members Present: Chad Culleton, Allison Long, Peter DeFilipp, Darcy Klein(virtual), Ed Bulger, Veronica “Bonnie” Knox, Dan Hodge, Erin Hinkley, Jennifer LeDuc, Doug Stone

School Board Members Absent: Jonathan Ferreira, Kristen Chapman, Vacant- Hanover Rep.

Staff & Community Present: Deb Alden, Brian Carrier, Margaret Therriault, Matthew Gilbert, Bethany Meehan-Poulin, Laura Johnston, Brian Hooper, Danielle Williams, Larry Thornton, Tom Danylik, Carrie Luce, Meadow Casson, Students, Staff, Community Members

I. CALL TO ORDER AND PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

1. Welcome- T. Danylik, Principal MVHS

II. ADJUSTMENTS TO THE AGENDA

If yes:

Motion: P. DeFilipp Second: A. Long

Unanimous

III. CONSIDERATION OF THE MINUTES

Approve the minutes of the May 11th, Meeting of the Western Foothills Regional School Unit No. 10 School Board Meeting Minutes as Written.

Motion: P. DeFilipp Second: D. Stone

Unanimous

PUBLIC COMMENTS/QUESTIONS

(This is the time for the public to comment in-person at School Board Meetings)

Larry Thornton, Meadow Casson

V. COMMUNICATION/CORRESPONDENCE

Student Board Representatives Reports - MVHS- Chloe Brown

Student Board Representatives Reports - BJSHS- Vacant

Superintendent Alden- Sabbatical report- Heidi Campbell

Upcoming Meetings:

June 3rd Withdrawal Committee Meeting at **CO** at **4:30**

June 9th Budget Validation Referendum- **VOTING in your Towns!**

June 11th MVHS Graduation at **MVHS** at **6:00**

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June 12th BJSHS Graduation at **BJSHS** at **6:00**

June 15th School Board Meeting at **MVHS** at **6:30**

June 16th Last Day of 2025-2026 SY!

June 17th Policy Committee Meeting at **BJSHS LIBRARY** at **5:00**

June 17th Personnel Committee Meeting at **BJSHS LIBRARY** at **6:00**

VI. COMMITTEE REPORTS

1. Personnel Committee-3/18, 6/17(r/s from 5/20, due to lack of quorum)
 2. Policy Committee-4/29, 6/17(r/s from 5/20, due to lack of quorum)
 3. Finance Committee-4/29
 4. BG&T Committee-4/29
 5. Negotiations Committee update-6/15 contract/bargaining agreement to ratify
 6. Region 9- 6/3
 7. Region 11- N/M
 8. Curriculum Committee-9/16(r/s from 5/20, due to lack of quorum)
 9. Superintendent's Report-
- **Septic design and Portable completion at BJSHS** - We received one RFQ for our Septic Design from Maine Land so we decided to go with them and are waiting for a quote and we didn't receive any for the Portable completion project so now we are looking for someone to do it.
 - **Bucket Loader** - We now have it in our possession.

***** June 15th Board Meeting** - I feel I need to express the importance of the "last of the fiscal year" Board Meetings. First, we will ratify the June 9th votes. We hope to have two Administrators to bring to the Board for hiring. If all goes well we will have the Ed Tech Contract to ratify. Additionally, we may have a Withdrawal Agreement to share. Finally, **IF** the Budget is not passed on June 9th we will have to make plans for the next Budget process and additional School Board meetings.

VII. SUPERINTENDENT'S CORRESPONDENCE

Administrative/Department Reports: None

Resignations/Retirements:

The Superintendent has accepted the resignation of Isabella Leahy, Grade 7 Science Teacher at MVHS, effective at the end of the 2025-2026 SY.

The Superintendent has accepted a notice of **retirement** from David Lamarque, Head Custodian at MVCS, effective 6/30/26.

The Superintendent has accepted the resignation of Leanne Virgin, as Co-Advisor to the Class of 2029 at MVHS.

Transfers:

The Superintendent has approved the transfer of Kaitlyn Lemay, from Special Education Teacher(ELS), to General Education, Grade 5 Teacher at MVCS, beginning the 2026-2027 SY.

The Superintendent has approved the transfer of Elizabeth Coombe, from Special Education, Ed Tech III (RR) at HSES, to PreK Ed Tech III at HSES, beginning the 2026-2027 SY.

Appointments:

The Superintendent has appointed Leanne Virgin, as the Class Advisor for the class of 2030.

New Hires (don't need Board approval):

The Superintendent has hired Kasey Flagg, as the Administrative Assistant/Secretary to the Principal at MVHS, beginning 7/1/26.

Employee Probationary Period Completions:

Breanna Holmquist- TI, ET III at MVCS- 5/12/26

~~Michael Berry- Special Ed., ET III at MVCS- 6/1/26~~

Policy Regulations and Job Descriptions (don't need Board approval):

None

VIII. OLD BUSINESS

None

IX. NEW BUSINESS

1. Act to Approve the Superintendent's Recommendation of Farrah Poirier, as an Art Teacher at HSES, beginning the 2026-2027 SY.
Motion: P. DeFilipp Second: D. Stone
Unanimous
2. Act to Approve the Superintendent's Recommendation of Marie Lane, as an ELL (English Language Learner)Teacher, for the District, beginning the 2026-2027 SY.
Motion: P. DeFilipp Second: C. Culleton
Unanimous
3. Act to Approve the RSU 10 Health and Safety Emergency Management Plan
TABLED from April 27, 2026 Meeting.
Motion: P. DeFilipp Second: D. Stone
Unanimous

4. Act to Approve the Job Description for Assistant Director for Early Childhood Special Education.
Motion: P. DeFilipp Second: V. Knox Opposed: E. Hinkley
Passed
5. Act on Second Reading of Revised JICJ- Student Use of Cell Phones and Other Electronic Devices.
Motion: P. DeFilipp Second: C. Culleton Opposed: D. Klein
Passed
6. Act on Second Reading of Revised JLCD- Administration of Medication to Students.
Motion: P. DeFilipp Second: D. Stone Opposed: E. Hinkley
Passed

X. BOARD MEMBER COMMENTS

V. Knox, C. Culleton

XI. EXECUTIVE SESSION

1. Act to Enter into Executive Session for the Purpose of Hiring a Part Time Assistant Director of Special Services for RSU 10(ECSE) Pursuant to 1 MRS § 405(6)(A).
Motion: C. Culleton Second: D. Stone Opposed: E. Hinkley
Passed

E. Hinkley left the meeting.

EXIT EXECUTIVE SESSION

Motion: V. Knox Second: D. Stone at 7:24p.m.
Unanimous

RESULTS FROM EXECUTIVE SESSION:

Act on the Hiring of **Danielle Williams**, as a Part Time Assistant Director of Special Services for RSU 10 District for RSU 10 (ECSE) with an Annual Base Salary of \$45,250, Pursuant to 1 MRS § 405(6)(A).

Motion: C. Culleton Second: V. Knox Abstained: A. Long
Passed

No Board members who are in attendance of a Board meeting virtually can attend the executive session remotely, per BEC-R Executive Session Law(II): Restrictions During Executive Session.

XII. ADJOURNMENT

Motion: D. Hodge Second: D. Stone at 7:27p.m.
Unanimous