



Council on Elementary and Secondary Education
RIDE
255 Westminster Street, Providence
Tuesday, August 22, 2023
5:30 p.m.

Members of the Public may also join via Zoom Webinar

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Providing public comment: The Council strongly encourages individuals interested in providing public comment to e-mail written comments to christine.kechejian@ride.ri.gov . These written statements will be shared with the Council in advance of the meeting. **Any written comments submitted after 4:00 p.m. the day of the meeting, will be shared with Council members after the meeting.**

If individuals prefer to provide verbal comment instead of a written statement, please e-mail christine.kechejian@ride.ri.gov **by 5:30 p.m. on Monday August 21, 2023**, to sign-up to comment during the Open Forum. Please note that during the Open Forum, only those individuals who have signed-up in advance of the meeting will be allowed to comment. The Open Forum will be limited to no more than 20 minutes; individuals are asked to limit their remarks to two (2) minutes or less.

In the event of technical difficulties during the meeting, please email Krystofer.Redden@ride.ri.gov

A recording of the meeting will be posted on the Board of Education's Webpage after the meeting.

1. ACCEPTANCE OF THE AGENDA

2. APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES

- a. July 18, 2023, meeting

[Enclosure 2a](#)

3. COMMISSIONER'S REPORT:

- Back to School
- Learn365RI Grants
- Team Nutrition Federal Grant
- Menu for Success Update
- Teacher Preparation Program Update

4. OPEN FORUM

5. DISCUSSION ITEMS:

- a. Summer Learning & Back to School – PPSD Update [Enclosure 5a](#)
- b. 2022-2023 CSI Visits [Enclosure 5b](#)
- c. Capital Budget [Enclosure 5c](#)

6. ACTION ITEMS:

- a. Capital Budget [Enclosure 6a](#)

7. EXECUTIVE SESSION (Any action related to items discussed in Executive Session will be taken when the Council reconvenes in open session)

The Council may seek to enter into Executive Session pursuant to R.I. Gen. Laws 42-46-4 for the following:

- Evaluation of Providence Public School Turnaround Superintendent pursuant to R.I. Gen Laws 42-46-5(a)(1)
- Briefing regarding class action special education Pre-K complaint filed against PPSD and RIDE pursuant to R.I. Gen. Laws 42-46-5(a)(2)

8. ADJOURNMENT

9. UPCOMING MEETINGS

The next meeting of the Council on Elementary and Secondary Education is on Tuesday, September 19, 2023, 5:30 p.m., at RIDE