



Council on Elementary and Secondary Education

Tuesday, July 29, 2025

5:30 p.m.

RIDE - Room 501

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, July 28, 2025**, 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 Elizabeth.Cruz@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. June 24, 2025

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3. COMMISSIONER'S REPORT

- Federal Updates
- Summer Learning
- Meal Benefit Application
- Attendance Update

4. OPEN FORUM

5. DISCUSSION ITEMS

- a. Recommendations to the RI School for the Deaf Board of Trustees
- b. Regulations Governing Charter Schools
- c. Virtual Learning Plans – Request for Delegation of Authority

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[Enclosure 5b](#)

[Enclosure 5c](#)

6. ACTION ITEMS

- a. Recommendations to the RI School for the Deaf Board of Trustees
- b. Virtual Learning Plans – Request for Delegation of Authority

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[Enclosure 6b](#)

7. ADJOURNMENT