

Voluntown Board of Education

Agenda

November 14, 2019 at 7:00 p.m.
Board of Education Special Meeting in the BOE Meeting Room

Annual Re-Organization Meeting – Election of Officers

NOTE: *Pam Theroux, the Voluntown Town Clerk, will be present before the meeting begins to swear in the newly elected Board Members. All new and re-elected Members will need to arrive at 6:45 p.m. to be sworn in.*

- I. Call to Order/Roll Call
- II. Pledge of Allegiance
- III. Citizens/Comments
- IV. Guests
- V. Consent Agenda

- Approve Minutes - October, 2019
- Approval of Bills - October, 2019
- Function/Object - October, 2019
- Food Services Accounts - October, 2019
- Receipt of the Committee Summary Report – October, 2019
- Correspondence

- VI. Administrative Reports
 - 1. Principal
 - 2. Director of Student Services
 - 3. Superintendent
- VII. Committee Reports
- VIII. Old Business
 - 1. Budget Preparation Timeline and Process for 2020-21: Curriculum Initiatives and Priorities
 - 2. Policy #6152 – Grouping *(Third reading)*
 - 3. Policy #6159 – Individualized Education Program/Special Education Program *(Third reading)*
 - 4. Faculty and Staff Update 2019-20
 - 5. Medicaid Reimbursements
 - 6. Special Education: Review of High School Programs
 - 7. RevTrak: School Lunch Payment Program
- IX. New Business
 - 1. Snow Removal
 - 2. Committee Preferences of Board of Education Members
 - 3. Board of Education Meeting Schedule for 2020
 - 4. Authorized Signers of the ED-099 Agreement for Child Nutrition Program
 - 5. Authorize Superintendent to Submit the Title 1 and Title II Grants
 - 6. Authorize Superintendent to Submit Title IV Part A Grant
 - 7. 2020-2021 Calendar *(First draft)*
 - 8. Personnel *(Paraprofessional retirement and Extra Curricular Appointees)*
 - 9. Student Teachers *(Megan Dobrolet and Bailey Smith)*
 - 10. Bus Use Request *(Voluntown Baptist Church)*
 - 11. Policy # 5142 - Safety *(First reading)*
 - 12. Policy # 6114.8 - Pandemic/Epidemic Emergencies *(First reading)*
- X. Suggestions for Next Meeting – December 12, 2019
- XI. Executive Session *(Upcoming Non-Certified Contract Negotiations)*
- XII. Adjournment

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Voluntown Board of Education Mission Statement

The Voluntown Board of Education commits to providing our students the basic skills essential to competent functioning in our society, including their ability to read, write, listen, speak, manipulate basic math concepts, and acquire a general knowledge of science. It is, therefore, our mission to help our students mature into independent, reasoning, and responsible individuals, who can adapt constructively in an ever-changing, multi-cultural, & technological world. (April 2004)

Public Comment Disclaimer

The Board welcomes public participation and asks that speakers please limit their comments to five minutes. Speakers may offer objective comments of school operations and programs that concern them. To protect the impartiality of the board, we will not permit any expression of personal complaints or defamatory comments about Board of Education personnel and students, nor against any person connected with the Voluntown Public Schools. Such issues should be brought to the school administration. The board will not respond to comments made during public comment, except to clarify issues. When appropriate, district administration will follow-up at a later point in time.