



Council on Elementary and Secondary Education
RIDE
255 Westminster Street, Providence
Tuesday, May 23, 2023
5:30 p.m.

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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, May 22, 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. February 21, 2023, meeting

[Enclosure 2a](#)

3. COMMISSIONER'S REPORT:

- School Wellness
- Statewide Job Fair
- Extended Learning
- Accountability & ESSER
- AAPI Heritage Month

4. OPEN FORUM

5. DISCUSSION ITEMS:

- a. Pre-K Special Education – PPSD Update [Enclosure 5a](#)
- b. Learn365RI [Enclosure 5b](#)
- c. Central Falls School Board [Enclosure 5c](#)
- d. Right to Read Regulations [Enclosure 5d](#)
- e. Updated Certification Tests [Enclosure 5e](#)
- f. LEA Accountability & Improvements [Enclosure 5f](#)
- g. School Building Approvals [Enclosure 5g](#)
Necessity of School Construction
Pay-as-you-go Equity Adjustment
Inside Out Grants

6. ACTION ITEMS:

- a. Approval of Executive Director for the RI School for the Deaf [Enclosure 6a](#)
- b. Approval of the Central Falls School Board [Enclosure 6b](#)
- c. Approval of Right to Read Regulations [Enclosure 6c](#)
- d. Approval of Updated Certification Tests [Enclosure 6d](#)
- e. Approval of Necessity of School Construction [Enclosure 6e](#)
- f. Approval of Pay-as-you-go Equity Adjustment [Enclosure 6f](#)
- g. Approval of Inside Out Grants [Enclosure 6g](#)

7. ADJOURNMENT

8. UPCOMING MEETINGS

The next meeting of the Council on Elementary and Secondary Education is on Tuesday, June 20, 2023, 5:30 p.m., at RIDE