

BOARD OF REGENTS FOR ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION

MEETING TO BE HELD AT:

The Rhode Island Department of Elementary and Secondary Education
Shepard Building - Fifth Floor - Room 501
255 Westminister Street – Providence, RI 02903
Thursday, June 28, 2007

AGENDA

1. Public Remarks
2. Chairman's Remarks
3. Approval of Minutes of the Rhode Island Board of Regents Meeting of May 24, 2007

APPROVAL ITEMS

4. Approval of Reauthorization of Charter Schools
[Enclosure 4]
RECOMMENDATION: THAT, the Rhode Island Board of Regents for Elementary and Secondary Education Approves the Reauthorization of the Blackstone Academy Charter (with amendments), the Compass School Charter (with amendments), and the New England Laborers'/Cranston Construction Careers Academy Charter School, as presented.
5. Approval of Grade Level Expectations (GLEs) and Grade Span Expectations (GSEs)
[Enclosure 5]
RECOMMENDATION: THAT, the Rhode Island Board of Regents for Elementary and Secondary Education Approves the Grade Level Expectations and Grade Span Expectations, as attached.
6. Endorsement of Central Falls/URI Agreement
RECOMMENDATION: THAT, the Rhode Island Board of Regents for Elementary and Secondary Education Endorses the Agreement Between the Central Falls School District and the University of Rhode Island.
7. Approval of NASBE President-Elect, Secretary-Treasurer, and Area Director
[Enclosure 7]
RECOMMENDATION: THAT, the Rhode Island Board of Regents for Elementary and Secondary Education Endorses the Candidates for NASBE President-Elect, Secretary-Treasurer, and Area Director.

DISCUSSION ITEMS

8. Review of Rhode Island Diploma System
9. Budget Report
10. Legislative Report
11. Regents' Committee Reports
Administrator & Teacher Quality
Finance & Personnel
PS&I
CASP
State and Charter Schools

12. Commissioner's Report
13. Executive Agenda
 - a. Personnel Issues

Agenda for Future Meetings

The next meeting of the Board of Regents is scheduled for July 26, 2007 at 4:00 p.m. in the Shepard Building, Conference Room 501. Additional information about the agenda is available in the Office of the Commissioner of Education, Shepard Building, 255 Westminster Street, Providence, RI 02903. Shepard Building has been deemed accessible to those with disabilities by the State Building Commissioner. Individuals requesting interpreter services for the hearing impaired or needing other accommodations, please call or RI Relay 1-800-745-5555 at least 72 hours in advance of the meeting.