



**Rhode Island Board of Education
Quarterly Meeting**

Wednesday, March 2, 2016

5:30 p.m.

**Community College of Rhode Island – Room 4090
400 East Avenue, Warwick**

AGENDA

1. ACCEPTANCE OF THE AGENDA

2. APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES

- a. Minutes of the October 28, 2015 Meeting

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3. OPEN FORUM

4. REPORT OF THE CHAIRS

- Chair of the Board of Education

Updates and issues affecting local and national education

- Chair of the Council on Elementary and Secondary Education

Updates and issues affecting local and national education

- Chair of the Council on Postsecondary Education

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5. REPORT OF THE COMMISSIONERS

- Commissioner of Elementary and Secondary Education

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- Commissioner of Postsecondary Education

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6. DISCUSSION ITEMS

- a. Governor's Education Budget Proposal – Overview

- b. Diploma System – Update

- c. Summer Melt

- d. School and Family Empowerment – Update

7. ACTION ITEMS

- a. Approval of the Concurrent Enrollment Course List

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8. NEXT MEETING

The next Quarterly Meeting of the Rhode Island Board of Education is on May 18, 2016, 5:30 p.m., at CCRI, Knight Campus, Warwick.