

Ashford Board of Education  
Ashford, Connecticut

Meeting Agenda  
December 16, 2021 - 7:00 pm

*In Person: District Office Conference Room, Masks required  
and Electronic Meeting via Zoom (see instructions below)*

1. Call to Order
  - *Pledge of Allegiance*
2. BOE Chair Remarks (J. Urban)
3. Awards and Recognition (Superintendent)
4. Communications (Secretary)
  - *Emails to BOE*
5. Opportunity for Public Comment
6. Approval of Minutes: 11/18/2021; 12/02/2021
7. Consent Agenda Items:
  - a. *Staff Appointment – Marianne Eddy, Business Office, Sara Wilson, Paraeducator*
7. Old Business
  - a. *2<sup>nd</sup> Reading, Approval of Board of Education Policies as Provided by Counsel (1000 – 6000)*
  - b. *2<sup>nd</sup> Reading, Approval of Board of Education Bylaws as Provided by Counsel (9000)*
  - c. *November 2021 Financial Statement*
8. New Business
  - a. *Covid Updates*
  - b. *CABE Training updates (J. Urban)*
  - c. *Security/Communication/Safety updates (K-12 alerts, Bus Monitors, After-hours “Hotline”)*
  - d. *Number and Denomination of 2021-2022 Bicknell Scholarships (Jan. 2022)*
  - e. *Approval of “EdSpecs” for new Ashford School roof*
  - f. *First Reading of Capital Improvement plan/items*
9. Next Meeting Date/Agenda Items
  - a. *CABE BOE training (Jan. 6<sup>th</sup>)*
10. Opportunity for Public Comment
11. Adjournment

Ashford Board of Education Goals

Curriculum – Ensure a Kindergarten to 8th grade curriculum that challenges students to use methods of inquiry to solve problems, think critically, and to express themselves creatively and effectively.

Financial - Develop a budget that ensures the best possible education while being fiscally responsible to taxpayers.

Culture - Foster an environment of physical and emotional health and wellness for all. Support a community that recognizes professional expertise and provides diverse opportunities that enhance teaching and learning.

Community Relations and Facilities - Provide opportunities for enhanced community engagement and serve as a leader for Ashford in enhancing energy efficiency, developing a maintenance and restoration plan that extends the school's useful life and demonstrates environmental responsibility.

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*Encl: Minutes (2); Bcknell Trust Statement;*

Ashford Board of Ed is inviting you to a scheduled Zoom meeting.

Topic: BOE Meeting by Zoom

Time: Dec 16, 2021 07:00 PM Eastern Time (US and Canada)

Join Zoom Meeting

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