## Ashford Board of Education Ashford, Connecticut Meeting Agenda

## May 18, 2023 - 7:00 pm

In Person: District Office Conference Room 16 and Electronic Meeting via Zoom (see instructions below)

- 1. Call to Order
- 2. Pledge of Allegiance
- 3. BOE Field Trip (Destination TBD)
- 4. Opportunity for Public Comment
- 5. Consent Agenda
  - a. Approval of Minutes: 04/20/2023, 05/04/2023
  - b. Approval of April 2023 Financial Report
  - c. Approval of Third Quarter Grants Report
- 6. Old Business
  - a. Facility and Capital Updates
  - b. Bicknell Scholarship Update
- 7. New Business
  - a. Appointment of Certified Staff (Valerie Podolski Music; Erin Kirdzik Special Education)
  - **b.** First Reading of Policies May 2023 Update Provided by Counsel
- 8. Opportunity for Public Comment
- 9. Next Meeting Date/Agenda Items
- 10. Superintendent Evaluation (Executive Session Anticipated)
- 11. Adjournment

## Ashford Board of Education Goals

CURRICULUM: Support an exceptional pre-school program and ensure a kindergarten to 8th grade curriculum that engages and challenges students to use methods of inquiry to solve problems, think critically, and to express themselves creatively and effectively.

FINANCE: Develop and monitor 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: Provide enriching opportunities for community engagement, meaningful collaboration, and partnership with all stakeholders.

FACILITIES: Serve as a leader for Ashford in enhancing energy efficiency and sustainability, developing a maintenance and restoration plan that extends the school's useful life, and in demonstrating environmental responsibility.

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Topic: Ashford Board of Ed's Zoom Meeting

Time: May 18, 2023 07:00 PM Eastern Time (US and Canada)

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