

Mt. Blue Regional School District - RSU 9



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Board of Directors Board Meeting Agenda

DATE: April 14, 2026
PLACE: The Forum - Mt. Blue Campus
TIME: 6:30pm
LIVESTREAM LINK: <https://boxcast.tv/channel/unvoa3ijkfnyp9oufole>

- I. **Call to Order** - Chair Gwen Doak

 - II. **Pledge of Allegiance**

 - III. **Adjustments to the Agenda**

 - IV. **Report of the Chairperson** - Chair Doak
 - A. [BCA - Board Member Code of Ethics](#)
 - 1. "M & N"
 - B. Resignation of Board Member
 - 1. One Farmington seat now vacant

 - V. **Communications**
 - A. [Sun Meals 2026 Eligibility Notification](#)
 - B. Staff Members of the Month - March 2026
 - 1. Professional
 - 2. Support/Other

 - VI. **Good News Stories from the Board or Administrators**

 - VII. **Public Comment**
 - A. Policy [BEDH: Public Participation At Board Meetings](#)
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- VIII.** [Superintendent's Report](#) - Superintendent Christian M. Elkington
- A. New Hires, Transfers, Resignations, and Retirements
 - B. Openings as of 3/24/2026
 - C. Community School Grant
 - D. Student Data Collection System Change
- IX. Administrator Reports**
- A. [Academy Hill & GD Cushing School](#) - Principal Keith Acedo
 - B. [Cape Cod Hill School](#) - Principal Carol Kiesman
- X. Presentations**
- A. None
- XI. Consent Agenda**
- A. New Hires/Resignations etc.
 - B. Board Minutes - [3/24/2026](#)
 - C. Committee Report Outs and Minutes
 1. Operations Committee - [4/7/2026](#)
 2. Personnel & Finance - [4/7/2026](#)
 3. Educational Policy - [4/7/2026](#)
 - Motion/Vote
- XII. New Business**
- A. [Professional Staff 2nd year nominations](#)
 1. Discussion/Questions?
 - Motion/Vote
 - B. [Policy Work](#) -
 1. None
- XIII. Deliberation and Approval of the FY 27 RSU 9 District Budget**
- A. Suggested budget changes or adjustments from the Board
 - B. Public Comments
 - C. Final deliberations/thoughts
 - *Motion to approve the 2026-2027 RSU 9 Budget as presented to move forward to the Annual Budget Meeting*
 1. [FY 27 Warrant Article Motions Draft](#)
- XIV. Executive Session**

- A. Executive Session pursuant to 1 M.R.S.A. §405(6)(D) - For the purpose of discussing Labor Contract Negotiations with the Professional Association
- Motion to go into Executive Session pursuant to 1 M.R.S.A. §405(6)(D) - For the purpose of discussing Labor Contract Negotiations with the Professional Association.

XV. Vote to Call and Approve Warrants - Chairperson Gwendolynn Doak

A. Motion

1. *I move that the Vote entitled, "Vote to Call and Approve the Warrants for the Budget Meeting and the Budget Validation Referendum and to Authorize the Notice of Amounts Adopted," be approved in form presented to this meeting and that a copy of said Vote be included with the minutes of this meeting.*
 - Vote

XVI. Signing of Warrants - Board

- A. Reference - [Policy EHA Electronic Signatures](#)

XVII. Adjourned

NEXT SCHEDULED BOARD MEETINGS

Tuesday, April 28, 2026 - 6:30pm - The Forum - Mt. Blue Campus

- Board Reports - WGMS, CBS, MBMS
- Tentative Presentation Schedule
 - TBD

Tuesday, May 12, 2026 - 6:30pm - The Forum - Mt. Blue Campus

- Board Reports - School Nutrition, McKinney Vento/FESS
- Tentative Presentation Schedule
 - TBD

Tuesday, May 26, 2026 - 7:00pm - Bjorn Auditorium - Mt. Blue Campus

- Annual Budget Meeting

NEXT SCHEDULED COMMITTEE MEETINGS -

Operations - May 5, 2026 - 5:00pm - The Holman House, District Office

Personnel & Finance - May 5, 2026, - 6:00pm - The Holman House, District Office

Educational Policy - May 5, - 7:00pm - 8:15pm - The Holman House, District Office

Budget Meetings & Other Important Budget Dates

Annual Budget Meeting - Tuesday, May 26, 2026 - 7:00pm - Bjorn Auditorium - Mt. Blue Campus

Budget Referendum - Tuesday, June 9, 2026 - Individual Polling Hours and Locations by Town