

BERKSHIRE HILLS REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

School Committee

MEETING NOTICE - REVISED 2/10/2022, 2/14/22

Public Hearing-FY23 Budget/Regular Meeting/Executive Session

Department: School Committee
Day & Date: Thursday, February 17, 2022
Time: 6:00 pm – Public Hearing/Regular Meeting/Executive Session

Followed by Executive Session (In-Person/Google) for the Purpose of Negotiations
(Chapter 30A, Section 21(a), #2, #3)

Location: In-Person/Remote

In-Person: District Office Professional Development Room, 50 Main Street - 2nd Floor, Stockbridge, 01262
(limited to School Committee Members, Superintendent and District/School Administrators). To join Public
Hearing/Regular Meeting, please click the following link:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82615787646?pwd=amJEeklaNUZ0OkpPNTBFWUVaSzVuZz09>

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NOTE: Pursuant to Governor Baker's March 12, 2020 order suspending certain provisions of the Open Meeting Law, G.L. Ch. 30A §18, and the Governor's June 16, 2021 revised order extending remote participation, this meeting of the Berkshire Hills Regional School District School Committee will be conducted both in-person and remote. In-person attendance is limited to School Committee members, Superintendent and District/School Administrators. All others may access meeting remotely at the link above. Agenda items listed are those reasonably anticipated by the Chair and not all items listed may in fact be discussed. Items not listed may be brought up for discussion to the extent permitted by law. This meeting is being recorded by CTSB and School Committee Recorder and will be broadcast. Once transcribed and approved, minutes will be made public and posted to our website www.bhrrsd.org.

AGENDA (Public Hearing / Regular Meeting)

1. **Call to Order:**
2. **Pledge of Allegiance:**
3. **Minutes:** January 27, 2022
4. **Public Hearing – FY23 Budget:** In accordance with MGL ch.71, sec. 38n, the Berkshire Hills Regional School District School Committee will open the Public Hearing on its proposed FY23 Budget. At this time, all interested parties shall be given an opportunity to be heard for or against the whole or any part of the budget. Reference: Massachusetts Newspaper Publishers Association website: masspublicnotices.org
5. **Superintendent's Report:** Good News Item(s); Student Member Item(s); Continued Discussion: FY23 Budget (if needed); Potential Vote: FY23 Budget; Updates: COVID-19 Testing; State Shift from Mask Mandate and our Approach; 9th Grade Data Set
6. **Sub-Committee Reports:** Policy Sub Committee: **Second Reading: Policy ACAB-Sexual Harassment/Title IX Procedures; Policy AC-A – Non-Discrimination on the Basis of Gender Identity; Policy IMG–Animals in School; Policy IMG-A – Use of Therapy Dogs in School; Policy BEDH – School Committee Meetings: Public Participation;** Building and Grounds Sub Committee; Superintendent's Evaluation Sub Committee; Technology Sub Committee; Finance Sub Committee ; District Consolidation & Sharing Sub-Committee
7. **Personnel Report:** Retirement(s)
8. **Business Operation:**
9. **Education News:**
10. **Old Business:**
11. **New Business:**

EXECUTIVE SESSION AGENDA (In Person/Google Meet)

for the Purpose of Negotiations: (Chapter 30A, Section 21(a), #2, #3) The Berkshire Hills Regional School District School Committee will enter into Executive Session pursuant to M.G.L. C. 30A, Section 21(a) #2, #3 to discuss strategy with respect to negotiations/collective bargaining. Holding this discussion in open session may have a detrimental effect on negotiations. The School Committee will not re-convene following Executive Session.

1. **Negotiations:** BHEA Unit C / Cooperative Contract for Support Staff

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01/31/2022, REV. 2/10/22; REV. 2/14/22

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