

This meeting will be held at Lakeview High School and Via Teleconference

REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT No. 20
BOARD OF EDUCATION
Special Meeting Agenda

Curriculum Committee

5:00 p.m., Thursday, September 17, 2026

Meeting Link: meet.google.com/hju-kvdw-zid

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Committee Members

Tiffany Parkhouse, Chair
Sharon Mahieu

Diane Barnes
Josh Szwed

1. Call to Order
2. Approval of Curriculum Committee Special Meeting Minutes of April 2, 2026
3. Grade 6 Digital Literacy Course - Plumb Hill Middle School
4. Curriculum Development Presentation
5. Adjournment

5. Superintendent Update

Dr. Villar opened by expressing his gratitude to the principals and staff across the district for a smooth start to the school year. He also shared updates regarding the Professional Development and Evaluation Committee (PDEC), the recent Schooling & Technology Committee meeting, and district leadership's participation in a statewide emergency planning tabletop drill. He concluded with updates on the parking lot, ASTE, and ongoing investments in our schools.

5.1 Personnel Report

Dr. Villar gave the September Personnel Report.

6. Special Education Program Presentation - J. Haggard

Julie Haggard gave a presentation on the Special Education Program at Region 20. She also addressed several questions from Board of Education members regarding the program.

7. Public Comment

Individuals offering public comment should please state their first and last name and the town where they reside. Remarks should be limited to no more than three minutes. A maximum time limit of 30 minutes will be allocated for public comment at any one meeting. Individuals representing a common interest or topic may be asked to have one individual speak for the group. Public comments must be relevant to the meeting's agenda. Speakers shall direct all comments to the Board, not to individual BOE members or administrators. Profane or vulgar language, partisan political statements, and comments related to the conduct or performance of staff are not permitted. Public comment is received without Board comment or response, the Board is to keep comments "under advisement." However, BOE members may seek clarification or additional information from speakers through the Chairman.

Kristin Newton, Warren, spoke about implementing a Gifted & Talent Program at Region 20.

Lois Silver, Morris, spoke about the lack of Special Education support services for students post high school and exiting the transition program.

8. Adjournment There being no further business to come before the Board, Billie Jean Sideris made a motion to adjourn. Sharon Mahieu seconded the motion. There was no discussion. The meeting adjourned at 8:09 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,
Christine Escobar
Secretary, pro-tem