

**ANNUAL ORGANIZATIONAL MEETING AGENDA
REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 7
BOARD OF EDUCATION**

Wednesday, December 13, 2017
6:00 P.M.

The Newbury Library-Media Center
Northwestern Regional High School\Middle School

Goals for Regional School District No. 7 Board of Education 2017-2018:

- ❖ **Student Achievement:**
To support the administration's efforts in providing appropriate staff and comprehensive educational programs that promote high expectations and result in strong achievement results for all learners while meeting or exceeding the Connecticut State Department of Education's requirements.
- ❖ **Collaboration:**
To maintain a productive, cooperative working relationship with elected town officials in order to promote a school district that meets the needs of all learners in a healthy, safe learning environment.
- ❖ **Communication:**
To communicate the school district's mission to the public so that the communities are well informed and consider feedback from the public so that Board of Education's actions reflect the diverse perspectives within our communities.
- ❖ **Board Function:**
Continually assess Board of Education organization and operations to ensure that the Board is fulfilling its duty to maintain a high functioning school that best serves the interests of the community and its responsibility to do so with an informed understanding of the fiscal position of the member towns.

According to Policy #9120, unless changed by two-thirds majority of those present, the order of business for the annual organizational meeting is as follows:

- A. The Superintendent or designated agent shall serve as moderator for the election of new Board of Education officers. The new officers will take office immediately upon completion of all elections.
- B. The Superintendent provides assurance that new members have taken oath of office.
- C. Election of officers from its membership by public ballot with weighted vote. The Superintendent shall conduct the meeting for the election of the chair. At the conclusion of the election for chair, the newly elected chair will then conduct the elections for the remaining offices.
 - 1. Elections to be held in the following order: Chair, Vice Chair and Secretary/Treasurer
 - 2. Elections shall be paper ballot if so voted by the board
 - 3. Balloting shall continue until a clear majority of those present is received.
- D. Bonding of Treasurer in an amount to be determined.
- E. Appointment to Standing Committees and delegate assignments shall be made at this meeting or within 45 days thereafter.
 - 1. Education Connection Liaison
- F. Determination as to whether dates of regular meetings shall be changed.
- G. Adjournment