

# FRONTIER REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

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Committee: FRONTIER SCHOOL COMMITTEE

Meeting Date: TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 01, 2026 at 6PM

Meeting Place: Frontier Regional School Library Media Center  
113 North Main St, South Deerfield, MA 01373

Meeting Format: Hybrid - The public is welcome to attend in person or to watch online. In the event of an issue with online access, the public meeting in person shall continue to proceed.

Google meet: <https://meet.google.com/rms-nhwa-fpe>

*Certain meetings normally held at the Municipal Offices are being held remotely, with adequate, alternative means of public access and, where required, public participation provided, in accordance with House Bill Number 62 of the 194th General Court, which extended the Governor's March 12, 2020 Order Suspending Certain Provisions of the Open Meeting Law, M.G.L. c.30A § 20, until June 30, 2027.*

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| School Committee: | Chair:                  | Melissa Novak        |
|                   | Vice Chair:             | Olivia Leone         |
|                   | Secretary:              | Jessica Corwin       |
|                   | Member:                 | Robert Halla         |
|                   | Member:                 | William Smith        |
|                   | Member:                 | Mary Ramon           |
|                   | Member:                 | Philip Kantor        |
|                   | Member:                 | Damien Fosnot        |
|                   | Member:                 | Allison Dean         |
|                   | Member:                 | Diane Curtis         |
|                   | Member:                 | Cecilia Van Driesche |
|                   | Superintendent:         | Darius Modestow      |
|                   | Business Administrator: | Shelley Poreda       |
|                   | Principal:              | George Lanides       |
|                   | News Reporters:         | Recorder and Gazette |

## Operational goals:

"The School Committee's primary responsibility is to establish those purposes, programs, and procedures that will best produce the educational achievement needed by our students. The Committee is charged with accomplishing this while also being responsible for wise management of resources available to the school district. The Committee must fulfill these responsibilities by functioning primarily as a legislative body to formulate and adopt policy, by selecting an executive officer to implement policy, and by evaluating the results. It must carry out its functions openly, while seeking the comments of the public, students, and staff in its decision making processes."

## AGENDA

1. Call to Order
2. Update by Superintendent on New Baseball / Field Hockey Scoreboard,
3. Public Comment
4. New Business:
  - a. Reconsideration of Previous School Committee (Vote)  
Motion to reconsider the School Committee's previous vote regarding the request to relocate the Sergeant Gregory Belanger memorial to the new baseball/field hockey scoreboard.
  - b. Sergeant Gregory Belanger Memorial (Vote)  
If the motion to reconsider is approved, the Committee will reconsider the request regarding the Sergeant Gregory Belanger memorial, including possible placement on the new baseball/field hockey scoreboard and other matters related to the memorial and its recognition.
  - c. Memorials Policy - Policy FFA (Vote)  
Consider referring Policy FFA, Memorials, to the Policy Subcommittee for review
5. Adjournment

\* The listing of matters are those reasonably anticipated by the Chair which may be discussed at the meeting. Not all items listed may in fact be discussed and other items not listed may also be brought up for discussion to the extent permitted by law.