



## THE MAINE EDUCATIONAL CENTER FOR THE DEAF AND HARD OF HEARING

GOVERNOR BAXTER SCHOOL FOR THE DEAF  
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### Board of Directors Meeting September 4, 2025 Agenda

- 5:30pm I. **Call to Order and Roll Call of Board Members** – Tommy Minch, *Chair*
- 5:33pm II. **Adjustments to the Agenda**
- 5:35pm III. **Motion to Approve the August 7, 2025 Board Minutes**
- 5:37pm IV. **Public Comments**
- 5:42pm V. **Executive Director's Report** Steve Connolly, *Executive Director*
- 6:05pm VI. **Facilities & Budget Report** Dean Flanagin, *Director of Operations*
- 6:30pm VII. **Committee Recommendations for New Members**

### New Business

- 6:38pm VIII. **ASL Instructional Strategist Introduction** - *Emily Blachly, ASL Instructional Strategist*
- 6:53pm IX. **Motion to Approve the 2025-26 Employee Handbook**
- 7:00pm X. **Review and Approval of Crisis Response Plan**
- 7:10pm XI. **Recommendation to Attend MSBA Conference**
- 7:25pm XII. **Motion to Discuss Board Assessment and Goal-setting**
- 7:40pm XIII. **Announcements**
- 7:45pm XIV. **Adjournment**