Bass River Elementary School
MEETING AGENDA
November 23, 2026
Bass River Township Municipal Building
(In Person)
4:30 Executive Session 6:30 PM Public Session

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1. **CALL TO ORDER AND PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

2. **ROLL CALL**

3. **EXECUTIVE SESSION**
   - ***RESOLVED,*** that the Board of Education will meet in closed session to discuss matters as listed below. Items(s) discussed will be disclosed to the public providing it does not violate New Jersey statutes and regulations regarding disclosure of Information affecting this matter.
     - Personnel Matters

4. **RECOGNITION**
   "This is to advise those present at this meeting of the Board of Education of the Bass River School District, in the County of Burlington, that adequate notice of this meeting was provided in accordance with the Open Public Meeting Act. The notice has been posted on the Board of Education Website. The notice was also mailed to the Press of Atlantic City and filed with the Municipal Clerk of Bass River Township."

5. **MOTION TO APPROVE AGENDA**

   Motion to approve agenda as presented.

6. **APPROVAL OF MINUTES**
   - September 21, 2026 Regular Minutes
   - September 21, 2026 Exec Minutes

7. **OLD BUSINESS - None**

8. **NEW BUSINESS - None**

9. **RESIDENT'S FORUM - AGENDA ITEMS ONLY**

   The Board of Education recognizes the value of public comment on educational issues and the importance of allowing members of the public to comment. Each statement made by a participant is limited to three minutes as cited in Policy No. 0167. The public may comment on any item on the agenda at this time. General public comment will occur later in the meeting.

10. **FINANCE**
    Motion to approve Finance Items A-E

    A. **RESOLVED** that the Board of Education approve all bills and claims for October and November 2026 in the amount of $16,972.62 which are presented for approval. Also, authorize the Business Administrator to pay any bills due and owing before the next Board of Education meeting, and make any transfers of funds necessary so that no budgetary line item is over expended for the 2026-2027 school year. Any additional bills paid, and transfers made will be presented at the next Board of Education meeting. (Bill List October.pdf,Bill List November.pdf)

B. **RESOLVED** that the Board of Education approve all Line Item Transfers and Adjustments as per attachments for year end October and November, 2026 MonthlyTransferReport-2026 november.pdf

C. **RESOLVED** that the Board of Education approve the September and October Board Secretary's Monthly Certification: Pursuant to N.J.A.C. 6A:23A-16.10 (c) 3, that as October 2026, no major budgetary line item account has obligations and payments (contractual orders) which in total exceed the amount appropriated by the Bass River Township Board of Education pursuant to N.J.S.A. 18A:22-8.1 and N.J.S.A. 18A:22-8.2, and no budgetary line item has been over-expended in violation of N.J.A.C. 6A:23A-16.10 (a)1. In accordance with N.J.A.C. 6A:23A-16.10 (c)2, it is certified that there are no changes in anticipated revenue amounts and sources for the months of September and October 2026. (Board Secretary Report October.pdf,Board Secretary Report November.pdf)

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D. **RESOLVED** that the Board of Education approve the Board of Education's Monthly Certification: Pursuant to N.J.A.C. 6A:23A-16.10 (c)4, the Bass River Township Board of Education certifies that as of June 2026, and after review of the secretary's monthly financial report appropriations section as presented, and upon consultation with appropriate district officials, that to the best of the Board's knowledge no major account or fund has been over-expended in violation of N.J.A.C. 6A:23A-16.10(a)1, and that sufficient funds are available to meet the district's financial obligations for the remainder of the fiscal year.

E. **RESOLVED** that the Board of Education acknowledges receipt of the Treasurer's report and the Board Secretary's report which are in agreement for the periods ending September and October 2026. (,)

F. **RESOLVED t**o accept and approve the Business Administrator's submission of DRTRS,(retroactive to November 16, 2026) as delineated.DRTRS 11_26.pdf

11. PUBLIC COMMENT
The floor is now open to members of the public. The Board of Education recognizes the value of public comment on educational issues and the importance of allowing members of the public to express with each statement made by a participant limited to three minutes as cited in Policy No. 0167.

12. BOARD FORUM

13. ADJOURNMENT

BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED BY THE BASS RIVER BOARD OF EDUCATION to adjourn at _____ pm

14. MEETING SCHEDULE

Meeting - January 4, 2027 annual re-org and new business.

The Bass River Board of Education meeting will be held at the Bass River Municipal Building located at:

3 North Maple Ave, New Gretna.