

**TOWN OF LEE
PUBLIC MEETING NOTICE**

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Lee School Committee- Audit and Evaluation Subcommittee
Board/Commission/Committee/Subcommittee

**AGENDA
BERKSHIRE COUNTY EDUCATION TASK FORCE (BCETF)
Work Session
Nessacus Middle School in Dalton
Thursday, January 4, 2018
6:30pm-8:30pm**

Dear Berkshire County School Committee Members, (with cc to superintendents)

On behalf of the Berkshire County Education Task Force (BCETF), I would like to invite you to a school committee work session on Thursday, January 4th from 6:30 pm-8:30 pm at Nessacus Middle School in Dalton.

We'd like to engage you in a structured conversation about the opportunities and obstacles that lie ahead for school committees to expand collaboration - from expanding shared service to trying out new forms of supervisory unions to expanding or forming new regional districts.

The Task Force wants to be helpful to districts interested in exploring options. To do so, we need to know what you see as the supports and resources you most need to expand district sharing and collaboration in the Berkshires: technical support? facilitation? model language? regulatory changes? a network for sharing ideas? something else?

We envision the January 4th session as an opportunity for committee members from different districts and towns - along with their superintendents - to learn a bit more about potential next steps that others are considering, and for members of the Task Force to learn how we might best support those efforts.

This is an exciting time for Berkshire County education - one filled with possibility. We hope you and your superintendent can join us on the 4th to explore some of those possibilities together.

To assist the Task Force to plan a session that will make the best use of your time, please RSVP.

**** Important note:** We encourage all school committees to post this meeting, in the event of a quorum of your committee attending.

Thank you.

John

Posted: Town Hall
Lee Elementary School
Lee Middle and High School

By EMAIL: December 14, 2017 _____

