



**Washington County Board of Education and
Washington County Delegation to the Maryland General Assembly
Public Meeting • November 9, 2021
Time: 9:00 a.m.**

Location: Hagerstown Community College, Career Programs Building, Room 212

Agenda

I. Washington County Board of Education's 2022 Legislative Program

A. Core Values

- ❖ Adequate and Equitable Local and State Funding
- ❖ Local Control
- ❖ Mandates Should be Limited and Fully-Funded by the State

B. Legislative Priority

Encouraging and supporting any effort of the state to continue to provide assistance, be it financial or otherwise, to local boards of education to help mitigate the effects of the ongoing COVID-19 pandemic.

C. Legislative Watch List

- ❖ The Blueprint for Maryland's Future
- ❖ Free and Appropriate Education – Burden of Proof and Fee Shifting
- ❖ Contest Any Further Increases in the Transfer of Pension Costs
- ❖ Public School Labor Relations Board
- ❖ Safe and Secure Learning Environment
- ❖ Broadband Accessibility

II. Other Topics for Discussion