



## MASSACHUSETTS ASSOCIATION OF REGIONAL SCHOOLS

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### **MARS Meeting at MASS Executive Institute July 2017 (Immediately following the MARS/MAVA Mtg.)**

#### **AGENDA**

1. Welcome
2. Declining student enrollment and the impact on regional schools
3. MARS Consultants
  - a. Regional Agreement updates
  - b. Long Term Planning
  - c. Forming/Expanding a Regional School District
  - d. Financial Analysis
4. MARS Professional Development and Training topics/times
5. MARS Calendar updated
6. Suggested topics for MARS General Meetings 2018-2019
  - a. Communicating using social media
  - b. Setting up, managing and reporting on revolving accounts and special funds accounts, such as:
    - Student Activity fund
    - Athletic funds
    - Cafeteria funds
    - OPEB
    - E & D
    - Regional Transportation
    - New transportation fund
    - New SPED revolving account
    - Stabilization
    - School Choice
    - Circuit Breaker
  - c. Other topics
7. Adjourn