



...The parent advisory council shall establish by-laws regarding officers and operational procedures. Takeaway:

Every SEPAC establishes their own set of rules – all local and all different.

https://malegislature.gov/Laws/GeneralLaws/PartI/TitleXII/Chapter71B/Section3



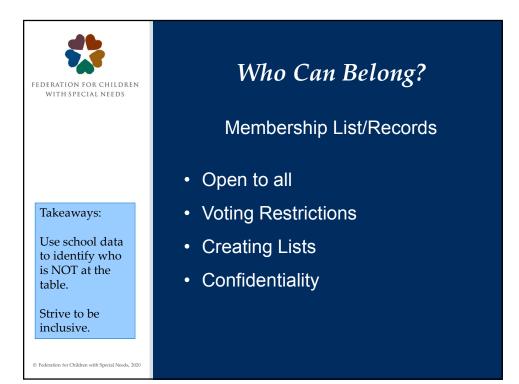
FEDERATION FOR CHILDREN	<i>Why do you exist?</i>
WITH SPECIAL NEEDS	Mission Statement
Takeaways: People understand a CLEAR mission. Set REALISTIC Goals.	<ul> <li>Concise Statement of</li> <li>What you do, defining</li> <li>Goals and Values</li> <li>For Whom</li> <li>And Why</li> </ul>

FEDERATION FOR CHILDREN WITH SPECIAL NEEDS	<i>How will you operate?</i> By-Laws
Takeaways: Follow the rules. Keep them	<ul> <li>Written rules</li> <li>Framework for operation</li> <li>Define powers and duties</li> <li>Must be formally adopted</li> </ul>
© Federation for Children with Special Needs, 2020	<ul> <li>Provide Stability</li> </ul>

FEDERATION FOR CHILDREN WITH SPECIAL NEEDS	Who does What?
	Roles of Officers/Committee
	Clear definitions
	Leadership Team
Takeaway: Recruit people to do small tasks at first – get them involved.	Committees
	Support Group Leaders
© Federation for Children with Special Needs, 2020	Create jobs!

	How to Get the Word Out?
FEDERATION FOR CHILDREN WITH SPECIAL NEEDS	Communication Tools
	SEPAC Brochure
	Meeting Flyers
	Website
Takeaways: SEPACs need to	<ul> <li>Social Media – Facebook, Twitter</li> </ul>
build their own contacts list.	District Tools
	Mainstream Media
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FEDERATION FOR CHILDREN WITH SPECIAL NEEDS	<i>How to Make the SEPAC Visible?</i>
	Meeting Logistics
	•Establish regular meetings/calendar
Takeaways: Have a plan. Use people's time wisely.	<ul> <li>Follow Open Meeting Law - agendas</li> <li>Open invitation to all</li> <li>Meet Public Record requirements</li> <li>Welcome diverse families</li> </ul>



FEDERATION FOR CHILDREN WITH SPECIAL NEEDS	Why Make Connections? Partnerships
	<ul> <li>Building Relationships</li> </ul>
Takeaway: There is strength in numbers.	Collaboration
Different	Opportunities
voices/Different Perspectives.	Sharing Resources
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## sepac bylaws

#### SEPAC Bylaws - Brockton Public Schools w.bpsma.org > learning-teaching > sepac > sepac-

bylaws SEPAC Bylaws. The Name of this self-governed organization shall be the Brockton Special Education Parent Advisory Council, also known as SEPAC. The purpose of the Special Education Parent Advisory Council is to provide information and support to parents of children with disabilities.

### Student Services / SEPAC Bylaws - Falmouth Public Schools

Nov 21, 2018 - Falmouth K12 mays - Patient Fund Schools Nov 21, 2018 - Falmouth Special Education Parent Advisory Council (SEPAC) Bylaws. Article I: Name of Organization. The name of this self-governed ...

#### [PDF]

### SEPAC Bylaws - Hanover Public Schools sttps://www.hanoverschools.org > district > sepac > files > sepac-sepac > files > sepac-

BYLAWS. Article I. Hanover Special Education Parent Advisory Council ... The Hanover SEPAC is formed pursuant to the provisions of Section 3 of Chapter 71B ...

#### By-Laws | Concord Public/Concord-Carlisle Regional

Parents/guardians of children receiving Special Education services may opt into the SEPAC's direct mailing list by contacting the SEPAC at concordsepac@gmail

#### [PDF] By-laws for Marlborough Special Education Parent Advisory https://www.mps-edu.org > lib > Centricity > Domain > SEPAC

Bylaws By-laws for Marlborough Special Education Parent Advisory. Council (M-SEPAC). Article I: Name and Type of Organization. The name of this organization shall ...

Mission Statement and By Laws - LSRHS SEPAC https://www.lssepac.org > new-page Catherine Picciotto, Co-Chair. The Lincoln-Sudbury Special Education Parent Advisory Council (LS SEPAC) is ...

Medfield SEPAC - Bylaws - Google Sites https://sites.google.com > mail.medfield.k12.ma.us > sepac >

bylaws MEDFIELD SEPAC By-Laws. Please click to view the Medfield Special Education Parent Advisory Council (SEPAC) Bylaws, as adopted on May 15, 2018.

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