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Berrien RESA to hold Labor Day Waiver Public Hearing February 25

- What:** Berrien Regional Education Service Agency (RESA) Public Hearing – Labor Day Waiver
- Who:** Public welcome
- Where:** Berrien RESA Administrative Conference Center
711 St. Joseph Avenue
Berrien Springs, MI 49103-1583
- When:** **Tuesday, February 25, 2020**
5 p.m.
- Brief:** On Tuesday, February 25 at 5 p.m., Berrien RESA will host a public hearing with the Michigan Department of Education (MDE) and other local school districts to discuss the County's recently requested Labor Day waiver.

The three-year waiver requests the exemption for all public school districts and academies in Berrien County to begin the school year before Labor Day. If approved, it will be up to each individual district if they wish to take advantage of this option.

The required hearing will be held at the Berrien RESA Administrative Conference Center located at 711 Saint Joseph Avenue in Berrien Springs. Area superintendents are expected to share a brief presentation followed by an opportunity for community members to provide comments and ask questions.

An official from MDE will participate via phone.

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