



Regular Meeting of the School Board

District Educational Services Center

Board Room

650 SW 7th Avenue, Grand Rapids, MN 55744

Monday, December 16, 2024

No Open Forum

6:30 p.m. Regular Meeting

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www.isd318.org

Agenda

1. Call to order
2. Pledge of Allegiance
3. Approval of agenda
4. **EVIDENCE-BASED APPROACHES**
5. **BELONGING**
6. **EQUITABLE EDUCATION**
 - a. Principal Report: West Rapids Elementary
7. **STEWARDSHIP OF RESOURCES**
 - a. Approve minutes of 11/12/24 regular school board meeting
 - b. Approve November 2024 claims
 - c. Approve Resolution to accept donations and gifts for July, August, September 2024
 - d. Approve Consent Agenda

All matters listed under the consent agenda are staffing-related or considered routine and do not require discussion. These items will be acted upon together in one motion. If discussion is desired on a particular item, it will be removed from the consent agenda and considered separately by the Board.

 - i. Noelle Albers, Administrative Assistant resignation
 - ii. Steve Alsaker, Bus Driver replacement hire
 - iii. Charles Burress, Custodian resignation
 - iv. Jody David, ESP replacement hire
 - v. Jennifer Dulong, Tennis Coach resignation
 - vi. Corrine Grossman, Food & Nutrition resignation
 - vii. Gary Koster, Custodian resignation
 - viii. Kristina Landrus, Administrative Assistant replacement hire
 - ix. Chad Lovdahl, Basketball Coach resignation
 - x. Marijo Mahoney, Golf Coach resignation
 - xi. Rachel Metelak, 7th Grade Girls Basketball Coach replacement hire
 - xii. Kylie Nyblom, Food & Nutrition replacement hire
 - xiii. Kylie Nyblom, Food & Nutrition resignation
 - xiv. Allyssa Pitzen, ESP resignation
 - xv. Daniel Riley, Custodian replacement hire
 - xvi. Denise Rodgers, Community Education resignation
 - xvii. Fawn Sampson, Achievement and Integration Coordinator replacement hire
 - xviii. Aaron Saude, ESP replacement hire
 - xix. Annalise Schmitz, Basketball Coach resignation
 - xx. Charmane Seelye, Special Education Teacher replacement hire
 - xxi. Sarah Wagner, ESP resignation
 - xxii. Myriah Woods, Administrative Assistant

- e. Approve final 2024 payable 2025 levy
- f. For Information Only: No change to Resolution establishing combined polling places for special School District elections not held on the date of a statewide election

8. PARTNERSHIPS

- a. GRIP “A Piece of My Mind” program
- b. Board Reports
- c. Superintendent Report

9. COMMUNICATION

- a. Meeting Announcements

DESC = District Educational Services Center

- i. Reif Board 12/17/24 12:00 p.m. Reif Theater Classroom
- ii. Bigfork School Advisory Committee 12/17/24 3:30 p.m. Bigfork School
- iii. Endowment Committee 12/18/24 4:30 p.m. Grand Rapids High School room G112
- iv. School Board Organizational Workshop 1/6/25 5:00 p.m. DESC Board Room
- v. School Board Open Forum 1/6/25 6:00 p.m. DESC Board Room
- vi. School Board Organizational Meeting 1/6/25 6:30 p.m. DESC Board Room

10. Other Business

11. Public Input: *All individual comments shall be less than 5 minutes. Any group of five or more persons must appoint one person to present the group’s views to the Board. Depending on the number of persons present, the school board chair reserves the right to set further time limits to allow participation within the allocated time. The Board shall not allow negative comments in public sessions about individual employees or students. Specific factual information or recitation of existing policy may be furnished in response to inquiries, but the Board shall not deliberate or decide regarding any issue that is not included on the agenda posted with the notice of the meeting. If there are more requests than time available priority will be given to persons that reside within the Grand Rapids Area Schools school district.*

12. Adjournment