



White Bear Lake Area Schools School Board Meeting Highlights September 9, 2019 Regular Meeting

At the September 9, 2019 Regular Meeting of the White Bear Lake Area School Board, student representatives for 2019-20 were introduced: senior Madison Carroll and junior Jennifer Adams.

At the September 9, 2019 Regular Meeting of the White Bear Lake Area School Board, the following items were presented and discussed:

1. **Opening School Report.** Members of the Leadership Team highlighted work done this summer and through the final days before school began to help students, staff and families get off to a good start. District programs and services were highlighted at the meeting.

See the presentation [here](#).

2. **Update from White Bear Lake Area Educational Foundation.** Andrea Loppnow, President of the White Bear Lake Area Educational Foundation, and Dawn Hank, Executive Director, provided an update on the work of the Educational Foundation.
3. **Superintendent's Report.** Dr. Kazmierczak provided information on current issues and events pertaining to the White Bear Lake Area Schools, including an update on Bond 2019 Referendum that featured an informational video and schedule of upcoming Public Meetings.

See a video that describes the “What” of the Bond Referendum [here](#).

See a schedule of Bond Referendum Public Meetings [here](#).

See the Bond Referendum website [here](#).

4. **2019-20 Strategic Priorities.** An overview of the priorities discussed at the August 26 Work-Study Meeting were provided at the September 9 regular meeting. The priorities for the 2019-2020 school year are: Convergence of Building Site Plans and District Plan (Student-centered instruction, Social and emotional learning, Equity), New Strategy #9 - We will imagine new concepts in learning and teaching at White Bear Lake Area High School, Bond 2019 Referendum.

See the presentation slide [here](#).

5. **Opening Enrollment Report.** Tim Wald, Assistant Superintendent for Finance and Operations, presented opening school enrollment as of the end of the first week of school.

See the presentation [here](#).

6. **Discussion on Review and Comment Statement for Building, Expansions, on Remodeling of an Educational Facility.** Dr. Kazmierczak and Tim Wald, Assistant Superintendent for Finance and Operations, presented the positive review and comment from the Commissioner of the Minnesota Department of Education. The review and comment document addresses the following topics: Geographic area and population served, a list of existing school facilities, a list of specific deficiencies of the facility, a description of the project, a specific ation of the source of project financing, documentation obligating the school district and contractors to comply with applicable codes and MDE requirements.

See the presentation [here](#).

7. **Summary of Evaluation of Superintendent.** School Board members provided a summary of the evaluation of Superintendent Wayne A. Kazmierczak that took place in a closed session on August 26, 2019, as required by law.
8. **First Reading of School Policies.** The School Board reviewed policy addendums and heard first readings of the following policies, as recommended by the Policy Committee and Cabinet:
 - a. 414, Mandated Reporting of Child Neglect or Physical or Sexual Abuse (Annual Review)
 - b. 415, Mandate Reporting of Maltreatment of Vulnerable Adults (Annual Review)
 - c. 522, Student Sex Nondiscrimination (Annual Review)
 - d. 619, Staff Development for Standards

At the September 9, 2019 Regular Meeting of the White Bear Lake Area School Board, the following items were acted upon:

1. **Action on Tentative Agreement - 2019-2021 Agreement with the White Bear Lake Teacher's Association.** The School Board approved the proposed 2019-2021 Master Agreement with the White Bear Lake Teachers' Association.

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