



Finance Advisory Committee

October 27, 2021; 3:30 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Location: St. Louis Park High School ((B135))

Purpose: To advise administration and the school board on economic and school finance issues and to build community trust in district finances.

DRAFT Protocols: In order to facilitate our work together, we agree to:

- ✓ engage in courageous conversations about race;
- ✓ be respectful (i.e. don't talk over others; support ideas/claims with relevant data, remember that behind the numbers and values, lies real-life meaning that can have a profound impact on students and staff);
- ✓ listen for understanding without judgement, contribute individual perspectives, and assume good intent;
- ✓ be fully present (speak your truth and help others to understand, share your perspective on topics even if you feel that it isn't as relevant or the popular opinion, ask questions if you have them, does not necessarily mean talking);
- ✓ seek common understanding;
- ✓ begin and end on time unless we agree to revise;
- ✓ cameras should be on during zoom meetings and microphones off unless speaking; and
- ✓ have fun!

Time	Topic	Facilitator Notes
3:30 p.m.	Welcome & Introductions	Strategic Plan Courageous Conversations Compass Tell us: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● your name ● how you identify racially ● your connection to St. Louis Park Public Schools ● what drew you to this committee
4:00 p.m.	Purpose, Protocols, Agenda	Read the purpose statement & protocols <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● What is one way the school district could build trust in school finances? ● Choose a protocol that resonates with you & why?
4:15 p.m.	Website Links	Finance Advisory Committee Budget Book Audit Reports
4:30 p.m.	Finance 101	
5:00 p.m.	Adjourn	