



**White Bear Lake Area Schools
School Board Meeting Highlights
September 26, 2022
Work Session Meeting**

At the September 26, 2022 Work Session of the School Board, the following items were presented and discussed:

1. **Construction Update**. Teachers, principals and representatives from Wold Architects and Engineers and Kraus Anderson Construction presented a construction update after a busy summer of construction at multiple sites, including Birch Lake Elementary, Lakeaires Elementary, North Star Elementary, and both WBLAHS North and South Campuses.

See the presentation [here](#).
2. **Summer Learning Programming Update**. Tim Maurer, Director of Community Services and Recreation and Lisa Ouren, Director of Student Support Services were joined by Darcy Rodriguez, Early Childhood Coordinator, Kristen Johnson, Asst. Director of Student Support Services, and Nicole Oswald, Out of School Time Programs Coordinator, who provided an update on summer learning programming. The team discussed updates made to our Next Step K, Camp Summer, and Summer U.

See the presentation [here](#).
3. **Freedom Schools Update**. Tim Maurer, Director of Community Services and Recreation provided an update on Freedom Schools that was compiled with Tim Daniels, Student Success Coordinator at Willow Lane Elementary. The team gave an overview of providing our first Summer Freedom Schools program, discussed the student experience from this past summer, and shared plans for Summer 2023.

See the presentation [here](#).

At the September 26, 2022 Work Session of the School Board, the following items were acted upon:

1. **Certification for 2022 Payable 2023 Preliminary Property Tax Levy**. The School Board approved the maximum for the 2022 Payable 2023 Proposed Preliminary Property Tax Levy.
2. **Action on Bid for Unified High School Ceiling Tensile Fabric Structure**. The School Board accepted the overall bid for the Unified High School Union Ceiling Tensile Fabric Structure as presented, to WL Hall in the amount of \$318,586.

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