

**INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 625
Saint Paul, Minnesota**

**SPECIAL MEETING OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION
Via Telephonic and Video Conference**

**May 11, 2021
5:30 p.m.**

MINUTES

I. CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order at 5:30 p.m. by Vice Chair Vue.

II. ROLL CALL

Board of Education: J. Foster, J. Brodrick, J Vue, C. Allen, J. Kopp, Y. Carrillo
Z. Ellis arrived at 5:33 p.m.

Administration: Superintendent Gothard, C. Baker, C. Long, M. Schrul, D. Watkins, K.
McCarty, J. Vollmer, K. Burns, K. Thao, S. Dahlke

III. APPROVAL OF THE ORDER OF THE MAIN AGENDA

MOTION: It was moved by Director Vue, and seconded by Director Foster, to approve the order of the agenda.

The motion was approved by roll call vote:

Director Foster	Yes
Director Brodrick	Yes
Director Vue	Yes
Director Allen	Yes
Director Kopp	Yes
Director Carrillo	Yes
Director Ellis	Yes

IV. MOTION TO CLOSE MEETING

MOTION: It was moved by Director Vue and seconded by Director Foster that the Board of Education close the special meeting and continue the meeting as a closed meeting to discuss the matter of strategy for labor negotiations for all bargaining units, including ASAP, Educational Assistants, Machinists, Nutrition Services Personnel, Principals, School and Community Service Professionals, Teachers, MMSA, PEA, SPSO, AFSCME, Bus Drivers, CCEA, Custodians, Tri-Council, Bricklayers, Carpenters, Cement Masons, Electricians, Glaziers, Painters, Pipe fitters, Plasterers, Plumbers, Roofers, Sheet Metal Workers, and Tri-Council Temps., as is provided for by Minnesota Statutes Section 13D.03.

The motion was approved by roll call vote:

Director Foster	Yes
Director Brodrick	Yes
Director Vue	Yes
Director Allen	Yes
Director Kopp	Yes
Director Carrillo	Yes
Director Ellis	Yes

V. NEW BUSINESS

The Board of Education and staff discussed the matter of strategy for labor negotiations for all bargaining units, including ASAP, Educational Assistants, Machinists, Nutrition Services Personnel, Principals, School and Community Service Professionals, Teachers, MMSA, PEA, SPSO, AFSCME, Bus Drivers, CCEA, Custodians, Tri-Council, Bricklayers, Carpenters, Cement Masons, Electricians, Glaziers, Painters, Pipe fitters, Plasterers, Plumbers, Roofers, Sheet Metal Workers, and Tri-Council Temps., as is provided for by Minnesota Statutes Section 13D.03.

VI. MOTION TO OPEN MEETING

MOTION: It was moved by Director Vue to conduct the remainder of this meeting as an open meeting. The motion was seconded by Director Foster.

The motion was approved by roll call vote:

Director Foster	Yes
Director Brodrick	Yes
Director Vue	Yes
Director Allen	Yes
Director Kopp	Yes
Director Carrillo	Yes
Director Ellis	Yes

VIII. ADJOURNMENT

MOTION: It was moved by Director Vue, and seconded by Director Ellis, to adjourn the meeting.

The motion was approved by roll call vote:

Director Foster	Yes
Director Brodrick	Yes
Director Vue	Yes
Director Allen	Yes
Director Kopp	Yes
Director Carrillo	Yes
Director Ellis	Yes

The meeting adjourned at 7:29 p.m.

For clarity and to facilitate research, these minutes reflect the order of the original Agenda and not necessarily the time during the meeting the items were discussed.

Prepared and submitted by:

Sarah Dahlke

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