



ANN ARBOR PUBLIC SCHOOLS Board of Education UPDATE APRIL 2023

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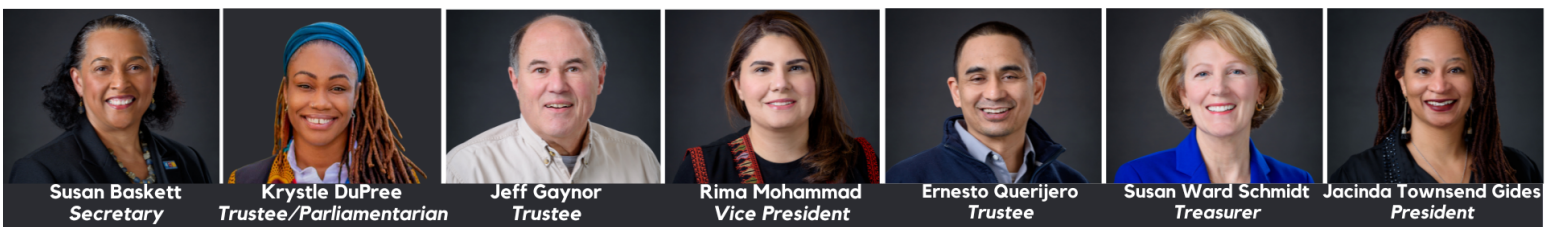
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Board of Education Trustees



April 12, 2023 - REGULAR MEETING

Earhart Road Building, 3700 Earhart Road, Ann Arbor

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PUBLIC COMMENTARY

1. Chris Waggoner
2. Josh McCaman
3. Henry Herskovitz
4. Lefiest Galimore
5. Nicole Kohnen

INFORMATION ITEMS

- Dr. Swift shared a message in observance of [Arab American Heritage Month in AAPS](#).
- Dr. Swift provided a [Superintendent Update](#).
- Dr. Swift presented a preview of [Summer 2023: Academic and Enrichment Programming](#).
- Ms. Minnick presented the [Monthly Budget Monitoring Report for February 2023](#).

BRIEFING ITEMS

- The Capital Program team presented bid award recommendations:
 - [AN-2123: 2023 Air Conditioning & Lighting – Ann Arbor Open Electrical Only](#)
 - [AN-2124: 2023 Air Conditioning & Lighting – Transportation Electrical Only](#)
 - [AN-2125: Furniture Replacement – Transportation Building](#)
 - [AN-2126: Summer 2023 Paving Projects – Bach & Haisley Elementary Schools](#)
 - [AN-2127: Paving & Exterior Wall Rehabilitation – Huron High School](#)
 - [AN-2128: Exterior Stair Rehabilitation – Huron High School](#)
 - [AN-2129: Solar Installation – Scarlett & Tappan Middle Schools](#)
 - [AN-2130: Structural Steel: Pioneer Schreiber Auditorium](#)
 - [AN-2131: Contract Recommendation – Capital Program Construction Management](#)

ACTION ITEMS

- Approved a Closed Session on April 26, 2023, for the purpose of attorney/client privilege and informal superintendent evaluation.
- Approved a [resolution in support of Governor Whitmer's FY24 Budget Proposal](#).

April 19, 2023 - REGULAR MEETING

Earhart Road Building, 3700 Earhart Road, Ann Arbor

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SPECIAL COMMENTARY

The [Freeman Youth Council](#) shared a presentation

The [Pioneer Solar Club](#) shared a presentation

PUBLIC COMMENTARY

1. Jesse Kauffman
2. Catherine Bettcher

INFORMATION ITEM

Dr. Swift presented a [Superintendent Update](#).

Mr. Lauzzana presented the annual [Environmental Sustainability Update](#).

BRIEFING ITEMS

- Dr. Kellstrom presented a recommendation for [Project Lead the Way Robotic Equipment Refreshment](#).
- Ms. Minnick presented a recommendation for [Intermediate Convertible Bus Purchase](#).
- Trustee Querijero presented a recommendation for an [Equity & Inclusion Committee](#) to be added as a standing committee of the board.

ACTION ITEMS

- Approved Capital Program Team bid award recommendations:
 - [AN-2123: 2023 Air Conditioning & Lighting – Ann Arbor Open Electrical Only](#), contract to A.F. Smith Electric of Ypsilanti, MI, in the amount of \$883,435 plus a 15% contingency of \$132,515 for a total award of \$1,015,950 to be paid from Capital Program funds.
 - [AN-2124: 2023 Air Conditioning and Lighting Electrical contract for the Transportation Building](#), contract to A.F. Smith Electric of Ypsilanti, MI, in the amount of \$860,000 plus a 15% contingency of \$129,000 for a total award of \$989,000 to be paid from Capital Program funds.
 - [AN-2125: Furniture Replacement – Transportation Building](#) in the amount of \$126,807.29 plus a 10% contingency of \$12,680.73 for a total award of \$139,488.02 to be paid from Capital Program funds, with contracts to:

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- 1) Allsteel of Muscatine, IA, in the amount of \$43,727.65 – Omnia #R191802
 - 2) The HON Company of Muscatine, IA, in the amount of \$3,979.31 – Omnia #R191804
 - 3) OFS Furniture of Huntingburg, IN, in the amount of \$11,213.15 – Omnia #R191813
 - 4) Safco of New Hope, MN, in the amount of \$1,520.00 – Omnia #R191814
 - 5) Beaufurn of Advance, NC, in the amount of \$28,404.00 – TIPS No 200301
 - 6) Peter Pepper Products of Compton, CA, in the amount of \$2,925.45 – TIPS No 22030
 - 7) Anova of St. Louis, MO, in the amount of \$2,905.00 – TIPS No 210305
 - 8) Interior Environments, Inc. of Novi, MI, in the amount of \$31,132.73
- [AN-2126: Summer Paving Projects – Bach and Haisley Elementary Schools](#) in the amount of \$336,277 plus a 15% contingency of \$50,442 for a total award of \$386,719 to be paid from Capital Program funds with a contract to Best Asphalt, Inc. of Romulus, MI, in the amount of \$336,277.
 - [AN-2127: Paving & Exterior Wall Rehabilitation – Huron High School](#) in the amount of \$1,509,616 plus a 15% contingency of \$226,442 for a total award of \$1,736,058 to be paid from Capital Program funds with contracts to:
 - 1) Nagle Paving Company of Novi, MI in the amount of \$1,054,776.
 - 2) DSP Constructors of Novi, MI, in the amount of \$334,569.
 - 3) Margolis Companies of Superior Charter Township, MI, in the amount of \$81,185.
 - 4) Future Fence Company of Novi, MI, in the amount of \$39,086.
 - [AN-2128: Exterior Stair Rehabilitation – Huron High School](#) in the amount of \$739,948 plus a 15% contingency of \$110,992 for a total award of \$850,940 to be paid from Capital Program funds with contracts to:
 - 1) Ram Construction Services, Inc of Livonia, MI, in the amount of \$535,578
 - 2) Detroit Architectural Metal of Redford Charter Township, MI, in the amount of \$60,570
 - 3) Morkin and Sowards Inc. of Wayne, MI, in the amount of \$101,300
 - 4) GM Painting Inc. of Novi, MI, in the amount of \$42,500
 - [AN-2129: Solar Installation – Scarlett & Tappan Middle Schools](#) in the amount of \$822,500 plus a 15% contingency of \$123,375 for a total award of \$945,875 to be paid from Capital Program funds with a contract to Homeland Builders, dba Homeland Solar of Ann Arbor, MI in the amount of \$822,500.
 - [AN-2130: Structural Steel: Pioneer Schreiber Auditorium](#) in the amount of \$76,999 plus a 15% contingency of \$11,550 for a total award of \$88,549 to be paid from the Capital Program funds with a contract to Great Lakes Welding and Fabrication, LLC of Ray, MI, in the amount of \$76,999.
 - [AN-2131: Capital Program Construction Management](#) contract to Brix Corporation of Livonia, MI, for construction management services according to their fee proposal as applied to the actual construction costs from Capital Program funds.

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April 26, 2023 - REGULAR MEETING
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PUBLIC COMMENTARY

1. Lefiest Galimore
2. Jordan Else
3. Eric Bursch

INFORMATION ITEM

Dr. Swift presented a [Superintendent Update](#).

BRIEFING ITEMS

- Dr. Kellstrom presented a recommendation for [Project Lead the Way Robotic Equipment Refreshment](#).
- Ms. Minnick presented a recommendation for [Intermediate Convertible Bus Purchase](#).
- Trustee Querijero presented a recommendation for an [Equity & Inclusion Committee](#) to be added as a standing committee of the board.

ACTION ITEMS

- [Approved AN-2132: Project Lead the Way \(PLTW\) Robotic Equipment Refreshment purchases](#) of: 323 VEX IQ System Bundles for Elementary Schools, 130 VEX EXP Gateway Custom Upgrade Kit for Middle Schools, and 34 VEX V5 POE/CIM Custom Upgrade Kits for High Schools from Vex Robotics, Inc., from Greenville, TX, in the amount of \$235,622.15, with all purchases funded through the Bond Program Fund.
- [Approved AN-2133: Intermediate Convertible Bus Purchase](#), consisting of five (5) International Special Needs 47-passenger buses from Midwest Transit of Marshall, MI, for expected delivery in late 2023 in the total amount of \$749,300. Funding will be provided from Bond Program funds.
- Approved the [Equity and Inclusion Committee](#) to be added as a standing committee of the board.
- Approved the [tentative agreements](#) between the District, the Ann Arbor Education Association – Office Professionals (AAEA-OP), the Ann Arbor Education Association – Paraeducators (AAEA-P), the Association of School and Community Service and Administrators (ASCSA), American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employees – Technical Support Personnel (AFSCME-TSP), and Non-Bargained Groups Classes (01,03,09), as recommended by the Superintendent, and authorizes administration to implement the agreements as ratified.