



## TUMWATER SCHOOL DISTRICT

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### **School Director's Agenda Work Session**

Thursday, February 8, 2024

Start Time: 6:00pm

Location: District Office

621 Linwood Ave. SW Tumwater, WA 98512

- 6:00pm**     **Call Work Session to Order** (*President Kaikkonen*)
- Recognition/Flag Salute
- 6:01pm**     **Agenda Discussion/Approval** (*President Kaikkonen/Superintendent Bogatin*)
- 6:02pm**     **Work Session**
- Diligent Community Introduction – Board Docs
  - Graduation Pathways
- 8:00pm**     **Adjourn Work Session**

***NEXT BOARD MEETING: Regular Board Meeting February 22, 2024.***

The Board may also schedule additional special or emergency meetings consistent with RCW 28A.343.380.

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# Diligent Community





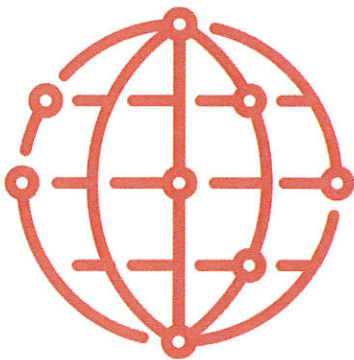
## Overview

Diligent Community™: a modern governance solution designed exclusively to meet the needs of school districts and local government.

Many school districts are relying on paper-bound processes or outdated technologies that no longer meet the needs of today's digital age. As a consequence, they are facing serious governance gaps, and struggling with poor meeting efficiency, issues with inclusion, transparency and security, and lack of access to real-time information. Diligent Community, alongside forward-thinking public leaders, addresses these pressing governance gaps.

Diligent Community enables K-12 leaders and administrators to achieve excellence in modern governance. It supports responsiveness to their constituencies through an integrated set of technologies, insights and processes. Building on Diligent's deep experience in offering digital governance solutions to corporate boards, Diligent Community provides school districts with the same streamlined approach to modern governance but tailored to the specific needs of school boards.

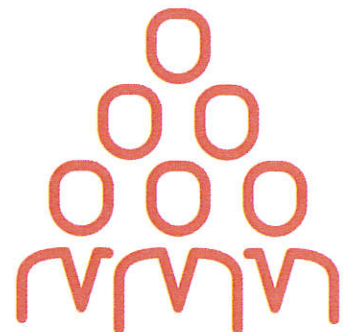
Diligent Community is a responsive design, "mobile-first" digital solution that enables school boards to drive workflows in a predictable and transparent manner, encouraging engagement and making the decision-making process more effective. For constituents, this means that not only are all current and past meeting documents available anytime from anywhere, but live, fully inclusive meeting participation is now possible.



EFFICIENT



MOBILE



INCLUSIVE

## Why choose Diligent Community



**Efficiency** – School districts, first and foremost, must prioritize serving their constituents, and only then can they turn their focus to improving governance. Community leaders are required to drive results with fewer resources and limited time. Diligent Community facilitates a fully secure, digital and streamlined process for meetings, including agenda management, document collation with status updates, and publication of final meeting materials and minutes. Diligent Community gives leaders the ability to manage the workflow of building and sharing meeting materials and agendas in a predictable and transparent manner. And, it's intuitive and easy to use.



**Mobility** – Now more than ever, our communities are connected through our devices. Mobile technologies can K-12 leaders engage their constituents outside the context of a laptop or home computer. That's why Diligent Community has been built to leverage a responsive, mobile-first design to ensure that any action taken on a desktop will be just as easy to complete on a smartphone or tablet. Not only does this allow flexibility for board members to review and annotate documents from their preferred device, but provides administrators the ability to add, edit and publish agenda items on the go.



**Inclusion** – Ease of engagement and inclusion are critical. Whether you're talking about geographically diverse districts, people with disabilities, single moms, housebound seniors or constituents who are traveling, these are everyday scenarios. School districts are getting challenged in court over lack of inclusion for all citizens. Diligent is committed to expanding engagement for all citizens through the use of technology. By using technology to reduce barriers and make it easier to engage, all members of our community can play a full and active role in the governance process and the entire community benefits. Diligent Community is built on a foundational commitment to be inclusive for all users.

## Summary of Key Capabilities

- Agenda and book creation
- Board member cross-device annotations
- One-click print for meeting material
- Enhanced accessibility features
- Improved mobile-first UI
- Fewer clicks and more productivity
- Powerful search capabilities
- Localized community-specific user interface
- Social media integrations



## Security

**Diligent's 360° safety measures include safeguards against internal, external and unknown threats.**

The core of the technology for Diligent Community is deployed through an open, flexible, enterprise-grade cloud computing platform housed in world-class hosting data centers that maintain various globally recognized security certifications. The data centers also provide physical and environmental controls to ensure access is controlled 24x7. Data is secured using industry-standard encryption methods.

## Support

**We take pride in delighting our clients.**

We pride ourselves on delivering best-in-class customer support to our clients. Our customer support team is available 24/7. The team is here as your resource, free of charge.

As part of our commitment to the success of your community, you'll receive support as part of our service:

- 24/7 Support
- Implementation onboarding
- Unlimited storage for agendas and board-related documents
- Online user guides, tips/tricks and videos
- Regular customer webinars

## About Diligent

Diligent is the pioneer in modern governance. Diligent empowers leaders to turn governance into community impact through unparalleled insight and highly secure, integrated SaaS applications that help public sector entities thrive and endure in today's complex landscape. Diligent's trusted, cloud-based applications streamline the day-to-day work of boards, councils and committees, support accountability and transparency, manage hundreds of policy documents and files, and deliver the insights and information leaders need to address stakeholder concerns and create impact.

With the largest global network of directors and executives, Diligent's suite of governance solutions are relied on by more than 16,000 organizations and 650,000 leaders in over 90 countries. With an eye toward inclusivity and accessibility, Diligent serves some of the largest public governing bodies and more than 50% of the Fortune 1000, 70% of the FTSE 100 and 65% of the ASX.



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## MEMORANDUM

**DATE:** February 2, 2024  
**TO:** Board of Directors  
**FROM:** Kevin Bogatin, Superintendent  
**RE:** Graduation Pathways

In 2019 the Washington Legislature expanded the ways students can develop course plans and graduate from high school with a meaningful plan for what happens next. “The pathway options...are intended to provide a student with multiple pathways to graduating with a meaningful high school diploma that are tailored to the goals of the student. A student may choose to pursue one or more of the pathway options...but any pathway option used by a student to demonstrate career and college readiness must be in alignment with the student's high school and beyond plan.” (HB1599)

**Overview of Washington State Graduation Pathways:** As outlined by the Washington State Board of Education, students must meet specified credit and assessment requirements to graduate from high school. All students begin this journey in 7th or 8th grade with the development of a High School and Beyond Plan. Students develop a personalized plan outlining their goals for after high school and the steps they will take to achieve those goals, beginning in 8th grade. In addition to traditional coursework, students have the opportunity to demonstrate readiness for graduation through multiple pathways, including:

- Career and Technical Education (CTE) Pathway. A student may meet this graduation pathway option by completing a sequence of CTE courses.
- ELA & Math Pathways. Students may choose to meet their graduation pathway requirement with a combination of at least one English Language Arts (ELA) and one math graduation pathway options:
  - College Admission (ACT, ACT with Writing, SAT), specific Advanced Placement (AP) tests.
  - Dual Credit Courses. A student who completes a dual credit course in ELA or mathematics in which the student can earn college credit may use passage of the class as a graduation pathway.
  - Smarter Balanced Assessment. Students can meet this graduation pathways by earning a minimum assessment score.
- The ASVAB (Armed Services Vocational Aptitude Battery) Graduation Pathway provides an option for students to demonstrate readiness for graduation by achieving a minimum score on the ASVAB assessment. The ASVAB is a comprehensive assessment that measures students' aptitudes in various areas, including math, science, reading, and technical skills. Students who meet the minimum score requirement on the ASVAB may use this pathway to fulfill graduation requirements in mathematics and science.

You can explore data for the Class of 2022 on the OSPI website at <https://ospi.k12.wa.us/data-reporting/data-displays/graduation-pathways-display>.

I have also attached the one-pager from OSPI outlining graduation pathways.

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# Graduation Pathways Quick Reference

## Class of 2024

### CTE Sequence Graduation Pathway

- ✓ Complete 2.0 or more CTE credits in the same CTE program area<sup>1</sup> that either include a dual credit course, or lead to an industry recognized credential
- ✓ Complete a Core Plus program (Manufacturing, Construction and Maritime available)

### ASVAB Graduation Pathway

- ✓ AFQT Section Score = 31 (check State Board of Education website by 9/1 annually)

### Complete Math and English Language Arts (ELA) Graduation Pathway

- Can use any combination of the ELA and math options listed in this section

- ✓ College Admissions Exams (ACT/SAT)

Exam	ELA	Math
ACT	N/A	16
ACT with Writing	14	16
SAT or SAT with Essay	410	430

- ✓ Dual credit courses (1.0 credit total each for math and/or ELA)
  - AP/IB/Cambridge: Earn a C+ or higher in state approved course (each term)
  - CTE Dual Credit (must earn at least high school credit)<sup>1</sup>
  - College in the High School or Running Start (local approval of course options)
- ✓ Dual credit exams (for applicable state-approved courses in math and/or ELA)
  - Advanced Placement = 3 or higher exam score
  - Cambridge International = E or higher exam score
  - International Baccalaureate = 4 or higher exam score
- ✓ State-level assessments (SBA and WA-AIM)
  - SBA: ELA = 2548; math = 2595
  - WA-AIM: ELA = 104; math = 103
- ✓ Transition courses (1.0 credit total for math and/or ELA course over one school year)
  - Bridge to College courses (approved by state)
  - Locally articulation agreements between districts and sponsoring colleges

For questions, email OSPI staff at [graduation.pathways@k12.wa.us](mailto:graduation.pathways@k12.wa.us) or [maria.muto@k12.wa.us](mailto:maria.muto@k12.wa.us)

<sup>1</sup> OSPI approval needed for CTE Graduation Pathways that include courses in more than one CTE Program

