

**BOARD OF EDUCATION
RHODES SCHOOL DISTRICT 84.5
BUDGET PUBLIC HEARING
AND
LOCAL ASSESSMENTS PUBLIC HEARING
TO BE HELD SEPTEMBER 9, 2024 at 6:00 P.M.
IN THE BOARD MEETING ROOM**

- I. MEETING CALLED TO ORDER**
- II. ROLL CALL**
- III. STATEMENT OF PURPOSE FOR MEETING:**

A tentative budget for the 2024/25 school year has been on file and available for public inspection at the Rhodes School Office, 8931 W. Fullerton Avenue, River Grove, Illinois since August 6, 2024. Notice of the Budget Hearing was published in the *Elm Leaves* on August 1, 2024. Also, the school district will be utilizing the following standardized assessments during the school year: MAP and Aimsweb.

- IV. PUBLIC COMMENTS RELATIVE TO THE FY25 BUDGET**
- V. PUBLIC COMMENTS RELATIVE TO LOCAL ASSESSMENTS**
- VI. ADJOURNMENT**

**BOARD OF EDUCATION
RHODES SCHOOL DISTRICT 84.5
REGULAR BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETING
TO BE HELD IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING THE HEARINGS
IN THE BOARD MEETING ROOM**

NOTE: This is an agenda only. Action may not be taken on all items appearing on this agenda.

I. ROLL CALL

II. MEETING CALLED TO ORDER

III. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

1. Regular Meeting of August 5, 2024
2. Closed Meeting of August 5, 2024

IV. BOARD VACANCY

Action item

Approve the appointment of a candidate to fill a vacancy on the Board

V. FINANCE COMMITTEE

- A1. Acknowledge receipt of District Treasurer's Report for the month ending August 2024
- A2. Approval of and signing of vouchers
- A3. Approval of the 2024/25 School Year Budget
- A4. Preapproval or approval of board member-related school business expenses, if any

VI. SUPERINTENDENT REPORT

- S1. LASEC extended school year (ESY)
- S2. 1st semester student clubs
- S3. Second reading on board policy updates:
2:70 Vacancies on the Board of Education - Filling Vacancies

2:70-E Exhibit - Checklist for Filling Board Vacancies by Appointment
2:125 Board Member Compensation; Expenses
4:70 Resource Conservation
4:80 Accounting and Audits
5:130 Responsibilities Concerning Internal Information
5:290 Employment Termination and Suspensions
6:140 Education of Homeless Children
2:125-E1 Exhibit - Board Member Expense Reimbursement Form
2:125-E2 Exhibit - Board Member Estimated Expense Approval Form
2:160 Board Attorney
4:15 Identity Protection
5:180 Temporary Illness or Temporary Incapacity
5:200 Terms and Conditions of Employment and Dismissal
6:110 Programs for Students at Risk of Academic Failure and/or Dropping Out of School and Graduation Incentives Program
6:150 Home and Hospital Instruction
7:170 Vandalism

S4. First reading on board policy updates:

2:260 Uniform Grievance Procedure
2:265 Title IX Grievance Procedure
7:20 Harassment of Students Prohibited
7:185 Teen Dating Violence Prohibited
5:100 Staff Development Program

VII. RECOGNITION OF VISITORS WHO HAVE BUSINESS WITH THE BOARD

**At this time, the Board of Education welcomes your comments and suggestions. Per Board Policy 2:230, each speaker will be limited to five (5) minutes. A 30 minute time will exist with 15 minutes on any one subject topic. Although this meeting is held publicly, it is not a public meeting. Throughout the meeting, discussion will normally be limited to elected board members and school officials.*

VIII. COMMITTEE REPORTS

A. BUILDING AND TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE

B. BOARD/ADMIN/UNION COMMUNICATION COMMITTEE

C. EDUCATION/TECHNOLOGY/ENRICHMENT COMMITTEE

D. BILINGUAL/ELL COMMITTEE

E. STRATEGIC PLAN COMMITTEE, COMMUNICATION/COMMUNITY RELATIONS COMMITTEE, AND OTHER AD HOC COMMITTEES

F. FOUNDATION BOARD TRUSTEE

Action Agenda

- A1. Approve the recommended student clubs for first semester
- A2. Approve the updated board policies as presented
- A3. Approve the extra duty and stipend list
- A4. Approve the RMPA, PTA, Rhodes Foundation fundraisers for SY 2024/25
- A5. Approve an intergovernmental agreement with Niles Township District for specific special education programming

CORRESPONDENCE

IX. REQUEST FOR CLOSED SESSION

Approve a motion to go into closed session to discuss the appointment, employment, compensation, discipline, performance, or dismissal of specific employees, volunteers, or contractor personnel contractor personnel, imminent, probable, or filed litigation and matters related to individual students.

Action Agenda

- A1. Motions on closed session items: staff employment and resignations and/or retirements, etc.

X. ONGOING BUSINESS

XI. NEW BUSINESS

XII. UPCOMING EVENTS

10-7 Board of Education Meeting – 6:00 p.m.

XIII. ADJOURNMENT