



School District of Onalaska
Board of Education Regular Meeting
Monday, September 9, 2024 6:00 p.m.
District Office - 237 2nd Ave S, Onalaska, WI

Board of Education

Ann Garrity	President
Aaron McDonald	Vice President
Brian Haefs	Clerk
Shawn McAlister	Treasurer
Mark Cassellius	Director
Erik Archer	Director
Tracy Laufenberg	Director

Administration

Todd Antony	Superintendent
Janet Rosseter	Director of Finance and Business Services
Fayme Evenson	Director of Instructional Services
Laurie Enos	Director of Student Services
Sonya Ganther	Director of Human Resources
Jared Schaffner	Onalaska High School Principal
Charlie Ihle	Onalaska High School Associate Principal
Jason Thiry	Onalaska High School Associate Principal/Activities Director
Ben Burns	Onalaska Middle School Principal
Jana Yashinsky	Onalaska Middle School Associate Principal
Todd Saner	Eagle Bluff Elementary Principal
Abby Davis	Irving Pertzsch Elementary Principal
Lish Olson	Northern Hills Elementary Principal

Mission Statement	Working together to ensure high levels of learning for all
Vision Statement	A model school district in service of students, staff, and community

This meeting is a meeting of the Board of Education in public for the purpose of conducting the School District's business and is not to be considered a public community meeting. There is a time for public participation during the meeting as indicated in the agenda.

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1. **Call to Order:**
2. **Roll Call - Verification of Quorum:**
3. **Pledge of Allegiance:**
President Ann Garrity will lead the group in the reciting of the Pledge of Allegiance.
4. **Mission Statement:**
Shawn McAlister will read the School Board Mission Statement.
5. **Public Notice:**
The Board secretary will verify that public notice was given in accordance with the requirements for the State of Wisconsin's public meeting law. (Wis. Stats. 19.84(2))
6. **Agenda Revisions:**
No new items may be added to the agenda.
7. **Approval of Agenda:**
The Board of Education will approve the agenda as published, less any items which are removed by the Board or Administration.
8. **Public Input:**
Public Comment is governed by Board Bylaw 0167.3. Members of the public may request permission to speak on any item on the agenda for a maximum of three minutes. A form to speak to an agenda item is available in the Board room. The form must be filled out prior to the start of the meeting and submitted to administration.

Recognition Items:

9. **Staff Recognition:**
The following staff members will be recognized for recently receiving a Master's Degree:
 - Kristine Bahr, Northern Hills Elementary LMC Director
 - Taylor Johnson, Irving Pertzsch Elementary 5th grade teacher
 - Kristy Schellenger, Eagle Bluff Elementary 1st grade teacher
10. **Donations:**
 - \$1,000 from Robert George for the Irving Pertzsch Elementary ML program
 - \$795 from Altra Federal Credit Union for Onalaska High School student activities
 - School supplies from 3 Amigos Apartments

Action Items:

11. **Donation:**
 - \$5,000 from Burlington Store 'Adopt a Classroom' for classroom supplies for Irving Pertzsch Elementary.

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12. **Overnight Trip Request:**
Jared Schaffner is requesting permission for the students in the ONAbility program to attend the Wisconsin Self-Determination Conference in Wisconsin Dells on October 21-23, 2024.
13. **Textbook Adoption:**
Fayme Evenson will request Board approval of an Environmental Science textbook for Onalaska High School. ([Enclosure: 13.Textbook](#))
14. **2024-25 Preliminary Budget Adoption for Budget Hearing**
Janet Rosseter will present the preliminary 2024-25 Budget for approval for the October 14, 2024 budget hearing. ([Enclosure: 14.Presentation](#)) ([Enclosure: 14.Preliminary Budget](#))
15. **Personnel Report:**
Sonya Ganther will present the personnel report for Board approval. Items may be removed for separate consideration:
 - A. New Employee - Hourly Staff
 - B. Co-Curricular Contracts([Enclosure: 15.Personnel Report](#))
16. **Consent Agenda:**
The following items will be presented for approval. Items may be removed for separate consideration:
 - A. Budgetary Disbursements and Payroll in accordance with enclosure. ([Enclosure: 16.Disbursements/Payroll](#))
 - B. Minutes - August 26, 2024 ([Enclosure: 16.Minutes 08.26.24](#))
 - C. Field Trips - OHS Career Readiness class to various businesses in the area.

Informational/Discussion Items:

17. **Administrator Reports:**
Administrators will have the opportunity to update on staff and student activities related to academics and co-curricular activities.
18. **Middle and High School Building Projects Update:**
Administration will give an update on the middle and high school building projects. ([Enclosure: 18.Building Projects](#))
19. **District Strategic Plan 2024-25 Annual Goals - Pillar I:**
Administration will present the 2024-25 Annual Goals aligned to the District Strategic Plan for Pillar 1 - Student Engagement, Growth, and Achievement. ([Enclosure: 19.Annual Goals](#))
20. **Adjourn:**

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Upcoming Board Meeting Schedule:

September 23, 2024 - Board of Education Regular Meeting, 6:00 p.m.

October 14, 2024 - Board of Education Regular Meeting, 6:00 p.m.

Upon request to the District Office, submitted twenty-four (24) hours in advance, the District shall make reasonable accommodation including the provision of informational material in an alternative format for a person with disabilities to be able to attend this meeting. For additional information or to request this service, contact the District Office at 608-781-9700. Sent to:

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Board of Education

District Buildings: District Office, Onalaska High School, Onalaska Middle School, Eagle Bluff Elementary, Irving Pertzsch Elementary, Northern Hills Elementary

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