



**School District of Onalaska**  
**Board of Education Regular Meeting**  
**Monday, September 23, 2024 6:00 p.m.**  
**District Office - 237 2nd Ave S, Onalaska, WI**

**Board of Education**

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| Ann Garrity      | President      |
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| Erik Archer      | Director       |
| Tracy Laufenberg | Director       |

**Administration**

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| 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                          |

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| <b>Mission Statement</b> | Working together to ensure high levels of learning for all           |
| <b>Vision Statement</b>  | 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. **Donations:**
  - \$250 and school supplies and feminine hygiene products from Sue Soltau and Tom Hansen.
  - \$70 from the Eagle Bluff Elementary 1st grade team in memory of Mary Saner for the Onalaska Schools' Food Pantry.
10. **Board Recognition:**  
Administration will recognize the Board for the 2024 Wisconsin School Board Week which is October 6-12, 2024.

**Informational/Discussion Items:**

11. **District Updates:**  
Dan Dahlquist and Janet Rosseter will give an update on summer facilities and grounds projects and summer technology projects for Board information. ([Enclosure: 11.Summer Projects](#))
12. **Administrator Reports:**  
Administrators will have the opportunity to update on staff and student activities related to academics and co-curricular activities.

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13. **Middle and High School Building Projects Update:**  
Administration will give an update on the middle and high school building projects.  
([Enclosure: 13.Building Projects](#))
14. **District Strategic Plan 2024-25 Annual Goals - Pillars II, III, IV:**  
Administration will present the 2024-25 Annual Goals aligned to the District Strategic Plan for Pillars II, III, and IV for Board information. ([Enclosure: 14.Annual Goals](#))
- Action Items:**
15. **High School Furniture Bid Approval:**  
Janet Rosseter, along with Mike Tumilowicz of I.D.ology, will present high school furniture bid results for Board approval. ([Enclosure: 15.Furniture](#))
16. **WIAA Co-ops:**  
Jason Thiry will request Board approval of the following co-curricular co-ops:
- Girls Swimming and Diving with Holmen, Aquinas, and GET (Holmen is lead) for the 2025-26 and 2026-27 school years.
  - Boys Swimming and Diving with Holmen, Aquinas, Luther and GET (Holmen is lead) for the 2025-26 and 2026-27 school years.
17. **Personnel Report:**  
Sonya Ganther will present the personnel report for Board approval. Items may be removed for separate consideration:
- A. New Employee - Mid Level Manager/IT Staff
  - B. New Employee - Hourly Staff
  - C. Position Creation
  - D. Title I Employment for Parochial Services
  - E. Co-Curricular Resignations
  - F. Co-Curricular Contract Modification
  - G. Co-Curricular Contracts
  - H. Resignation Notification - Hourly Staff
- ([Enclosure: 17.Personnel Report](#))
18. **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: 18.Disbursements](#))
  - B. Financials - August 2024. ([Enclosure: 18.Financials](#))
  - C. Minutes - September 9, 2024. ([Enclosure: 18.Minutes 09.09.24](#))
  - D. Fundraiser request - OHS Southeast Asian Club, eggroll sales, approx. 15 students. Goal is \$1,500 to cover club expenses for an end of the year trip.
19. **Adjourn:**

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**Upcoming Board Meeting Schedule:**

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

October 28, 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:*

*Media*

*Board of Education*

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

*The agenda as noted above was sent to the official newspaper (La Crosse Tribune) more than twenty-four hours prior to the meeting date. Due to this fact, the Agenda published in the newspaper(s) listed above may have been altered after delivery to the above listed newspaper(s). The most up to date Agenda information is also available on the District Website: [www.onalaskaschools.com](http://www.onalaskaschools.com).*

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