St. Louis Park Public Schools

Finance Advisory Committee

September 25, 2024; 3:30 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.
Location: Central Community Center ; training room

Purpose: To advise administration and the school board on economic and school finance issues and to build community trust in district finances.

DRAFT Protocols: In order to facilitate our work together, we agree to:

- ✓ engage in courageous conversations about race;
- ✓ be respectful (i.e. don't talk over others; support ideas/claims with relevant data, remember that behind the numbers and values, lies real-life meaning that can have a profound impact on students and staff);
- ✓ listen for understanding without judgment, contribute individual perspectives, and assume good intent;
- ✓ be fully present (speak your truth and help others to understand, share your perspective on topics even if you feel that it isn't as relevant or the popular opinion, ask questions if you have them, does not necessarily mean talking);
- ✓ seek common understanding;
- ✓ begin and end on time unless we agree to revise;
- ✓ cameras should be on during zoom meetings and microphones off unless speaking; and have fun!

Time	Topic	Facilitator Notes
3:30 p.m.	Welcome & Introductions	Name, Connection to District, how does my identity impact how I show up here?; what do I hope to learn and contribute this year?
4:00 p.m.	Review / Learn	Overview of plan/expectations ● Review FY2024 FAC Report ● Understand Budget Timeline ● Discuss expenditure analysis process
4:45 p.m.	Reflection	How would you answer the question about your identity and hopes for the year?
5:00 p.m.	Adjourn	

Upcoming meetings (Central Community Center from 3:30 - 5:00)

- September 25, 2024
- October 23, 2024
- November 27, 2024
- December 18, 2024
- January 22, 2025
- February 19, 2025
- School Board Presentation - February 25, 2025
- March 11, 2025