



ANN ARBOR PUBLIC SCHOOLS Board of Education UPDATE JUNE 2024

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2024 Board of Education Trustees



JUNE 12, 2024 - REGULAR MEETING

SKYLINE HIGH SCHOOL, 2552 N. MAPLE RD., ANN ARBOR

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PUBLIC COMMENTARY

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| 1 Jaclyn Kinser | 26 Thomas Paholak | 52 Gregory Fata |
| 2 Adam Meservey | 27 Michelle Burmann | 53 Allison Echlin |
| 3 Kami Michels | 28 Jason Cen | 54 Noa Knoerl-Morrill |
| 4 Ellie Yamakawa | 29 Rebekah Neumann | 55 Terri Fata |
| 5 Rebecca Hogan | 30 Baitao Wu | 56 Kristen Moore |
| 6 Jennifer Ayala | 31 Jonathan Li | 57 Kristianna Fata-Chan |
| 7 Sarah Andrew-Vaughan | 32 Julia Fowler | 58 Andy Fata-Chan |
| 8 Joys Kapali | 33 Jacki Moilanen | 59 Alexandria Fata |
| 9 Lauren Moon | 34 Lauren Wisniewski | 60 Matthew Lasky |
| 10 Samantha Monroe | 35 Sonia Chawla | 61 Ingrid Racine |
| 11 Spencer Hsieh | 36 Shaima Basuni | 62 Julie Holewinski |
| 12 Della Brown | 37 David Harder | 63 Avery Lasky |
| 13 Alexis Huyck | 38 Kristen Fraser | 64 Marilyn Deptula |
| 14 Michelle Zajac | 39 Sara-Beth Badalamente | 65 Penny Layne |
| 15 Lauren Earl | 40 Elizabeth Fiutem | 66 Sarah Shea |
| 16 Jeff DeMoss | 41 Eric Li | 67 Sarah Kiger |
| 17 Chelsea Karls | 42 Catherine Archibald | 68 Ming Kwok |
| 18 Melanie Beauchamp | 43 Mary Roderique | 69 Emily Walshin |
| 19 Alan Yaung | 44 Danny Lau | 70 Steve Amick |
| 20 Joshua Wong | 45 Evelyn Madih | 71 Justin Baharally |
| 21 Daniel Zhu | 46 Victor Lee | 72 Debbie Lasky |
| 22 Cangwa Lin | 47 Lydia Mitchell | 73 Vanessa Ahronheim |
| 23 Brandi Taam | 48 Rachel Young | 74 Karma Nordstrom |
| 24 Hayley Paholak | 49 Pamela Fine | 75 Amy Szuba |
| 25 Hannah Cameron | 50 Kevin Jeffery | 76 Rachel McCall |
| | 51 Paola Camarena | |

INFORMATION ITEMS

1. Interim Superintendent Jazz Parks gave a [Superintendent Update report](#). Ms. Langford provided clarifications about the Comprehensive Budget Plan
2. Ms. Francoeur presented the [Monthly Budget Monitoring report for May 2024](#).
3. The board discussed the Plante Moran Report.

BRIEFING ITEMS

1. Mr. Demetriou presented the [2023-24 General Fund Amendment](#)
2. Mr. Demetriou presented the [Proposed 2024-25 General Fund Budget and Tax Rates](#).

PUBLIC HEARING OF THE 2024-25 AAPS GENERAL FUND PROPOSED BUDGET

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| 1 Becca Hogan | 4 Gabe Rettaliata |
| 2 Sonia Chawla | 5 Aaron Wiens |
| 3 Jacki Moilanen | 6 Holice Kil |

BRIEFING ITEMS

[Annex AN-2167 – Pediatric Therapy Associates Contract](#) for Special Education Services was recommended.
[Annex AN-2169 – AAPS 2024-2025 Food and Nutrition Services](#) contract was recommended.
[Annex AN-2171 – Middle School Academic Tutoring – Additional Provider](#) was recommended.
[MHSAA 2024-25 Annual Renewal Membership Resolution](#) was recommended for approval.

ACTION ITEMS

[Approved the FY 24/25 Millage Resolution.](#)

JUNE 26, 2024 - REGULAR MEETING

SKYLINE HIGH SCHOOL, 2552 N. MAPLE RD., ANN ARBOR

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PUBLIC COMMENTARY

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| 1. Norma Martinez | 6. Maurella Murphy-Morrow |
| 2. Rebecca Hogan | 7. Missy Plegue |
| 3. Sarah Ahrens | 8. Devon Weiss |
| 4. Evelyn Daugherty | 9. Kristen Fraser |
| 5. Kristi Shaffer | 10. Ari Raucher |

SECOND PUBLIC HEARING ON THE PROPOSED 2024-25 GENERAL FUND BUDGET

1. Sonia Chawla
2. Jennifer Oldham
3. Lydia Mitchell

INFORMATION ITEMS

1. Interim Superintendent Jazz Parks introduced the [Annual Scholarship Awards](#), presented by Ms. Bacolor and Ms. Shore.
2. The [2023 Annual Graduation rate report](#) was presented by Ms. Linden and Dr. Berger
3. Plante Moran representative Jennifer Chambers shared and Michelle McHale presented a report about the [AAPS budget and audit process and a forensic analysis of the 2023-24 Budget Variance](#)

ACTION ITEMS

1. Approved [Annex AN-2168: Elementary English Language Arts Curriculum Pilot Materials](#) purchase of Great Minds, Wit and Wisdom curriculum materials at an approximate cost of \$161,279.63., and the purchase of Open Up Resources, Bookworms curriculum materials at an approximate cost of

\$265,235.00. The approximate total cost of \$426,514.63 is fully funded with State 35j grant dollars to support Elementary core English Language Arts curriculum.

2. Approved the [AAPS 2024-25 Course Guide](#)
3. Approved [Annex AN-2169: AAPS 2024-25 Food and Nutrition Services](#); one-year contract with four optional one-year renewals for Food and Nutrition Services to Compass Group (Chartwells K12) of Chicago, Illinois, in the Year One amount of \$6,707,014.47 to be paid from the Food Service Fund.
4. Approved [Annex AN-2171: Middle School Academic Tutoring - Additional Provider](#); a contract to Varsity Tutors as an additional tutoring service provider, providing 1:1 virtual mathematics tutoring services for up to 500 middle school students beginning summer 2024. Total tutoring services of approximately \$600,000 will be fully funded with the State 23g grant.
5. Approved [MHSAA 2024-2025 Annual Renewal Membership Resolution](#)
6. Approved [Annex AN-2167 - Pediatric Therapy Contract Recommendation for Special Education Services](#) for physical therapy, occupational therapy, and speech therapy service provision for the 2024-2025 school year services in the total amount of \$488,616.00. Funding will be provided from the General Fund and reimbursed from special education funding sources, specifically, the Washtenaw County Special Education Millage (Public Act 18), State of Michigan reimbursement.
7. Adopted the [AAPS 2023-2024 General Fund Budget Amendment](#).
8. Adopted the [AAPS 2024-2025 General Fund and Tax Rates](#).
9. Approved the [Board Meeting Calendar July 2024-January 2025](#)
10. Reauthorized [Sunsetting Policy Series 2000-Administration](#) to September 30, 2024.
11. Approved a Closed Session for the purpose of attorney/client privilege at 6:00 PM and Special Meeting at 7:00 PM on June 28, 2024 at the Earhart Administration Building for the superintendent's contract review/approval.

JUNE 28, 2024 - SPECIAL MEETING

EARHART ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, 3700 EARHART RD., ANN ARBOR

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ACTION ITEMS

Approved the contract for [Jazz Parks as Superintendent](#) of the Ann Arbor Public Schools.