



**FLUSHING BOARD OF EDUCATION
MINUTES
REGULAR BOARD MEETING
Flushing Middle School
August 12, 2025**

Members Present

Ausiello, Bate, Dolgan, LeCureux, Sheldon, Winkiel

Members Absent

Strnad (*Arrived at 5:40 p.m.*)

Other Participants

Shanafelt, Melynchek, Barrett, Read, Keesling

Patrons and Guests

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Call to Order

President Sheldon called the regular board meeting to order at 5:30 p.m. and led the pledge of allegiance.

Minutes

• ***Approval of Minutes from July 15, 2025 – Regular Meeting***

A motion was made by LeCureux, supported by Dolgan, to approve the minutes from the July 15, 2025 Regular Meeting as circulated.

The motion carried with all members present voting yes.

Hearing the Public

None.

Financial Report

Director of Finance Read presented the financial report as submitted in the board packet.

Treasurer's Report and Payment of Bills

A motion was made by LeCureux, supported by Ausiello, to approve the payment of bills as funds become available.

August 12, 2025	Account Payable	\$1,311,731.50
	ACH Withdrawals/Wires	\$ 294,061.83
	Estimated Payroll (08/22/2025)	\$1,345,000.00
	Estimated Payroll (09/15/2025)	<u>\$1,595,000.00</u>
	TOTAL	\$4,545,793.33

The motion carried with all members present voting yes.

New Business

• ***Approval to Hire Certified Staff***

A motion was made by Dolgan, supported by Bate, to approve the hiring of the following certified staff members for the 2025-2026 school year, as submitted in the board packet: Arianna Boese - Art Teacher at Springview Elementary, Tina Cracium - Speech and Language Pathologist at Elms Elementary, and Michelle Householder - 3rd Grade Teacher at Springview Elementary.

The motion carried with all members present voting yes.

(Board Secretary Strnad arrived at 5:40 p.m.)

- ***Approval of Board Delegates to MASB Fall Conference***

A motion was made by Ausiello, supported by Dolgan, to designate board members Winkiel, Strnad, and Sheldon to represent the district as voting delegates to the 2025 MASB Delegate Assembly on Thursday, October 23, 2025.

The motion carried with all members voting yes.

- ***Approval of Tentative Agreement with Custodians, Food Service, Maintenance, Transportation - MEA***

A motion was made by Ausiello, supported by Strnad, to approve the tentative agreement between Flushing Community Schools and the Custodians, Food Service, Maintenance, and Transportation - MEA, effective July 1, 2025 - June 30, 2026, as submitted in the board packet.

The motion carried with all members voting yes.

- ***Approval of Tentative Agreement with Paraprofessionals – MEA***

A motion was made by Ausiello, supported by Winkiel, to approve the tentative agreement between Flushing Community Schools and the Paraprofessionals - MEA, effective July 1, 2025 - June 30, 2026, as submitted in the board packet.

The motion carried with all members voting yes.

- ***Approval of Tentative Agreement with Secretaries – FOP/MEA***

A motion was made by Winkiel, supported by LeCureux, to approve the tentative agreement between Flushing Community Schools and the Secretaries - FOP/MEA, effective July 1, 2025 - June 30, 2026, as submitted in the board packet.

The motion carried with all members voting yes.

- ***Approval of Schools of Choice Resolutions:***

1. ***Opting Into the State Schools of Choice Program (Section 105): Early Childhood Center, Grade Kindergarten***

A motion was made by Ausiello, supported by Winkiel, to approve the following Schools of Choice Resolution as submitted in the board packet:

Board member Ausiello moves that the Board of Education of the Flushing School District, exercising the option permitted by Section 105 of the State School Aid Act of 1979 as amended by Public Act 62 of 2011, will, for the purposes of Section 105, accept applications of nonresident students from outside our district who reside within a constituent district within the Genesee Intermediate School District for enrollment in our district for the 2025-26 school year and will operate a Schools of Choice Program in compliance with the statutory requirements of Section 105.

Applications will be accepted for enrollment in the following grades, schools, programs for the 2025-2026 school year:

Early Childhood Center: Grade Kindergarten.

A roll call vote was taken: Bate – yes; Dolgan – yes; LeCureux – yes; Sheldon – yes; Strnad – yes; Winkiel – yes; Ausiello – yes. The motion carried 7-0.

- ***Approval of Schools of Choice Resolutions:***

2. ***Opting Into the Section 105c Schools of Choice Program: Early Childhood Center, Grade Kindergarten***

A motion was made by Ausiello, supported by Winkiel, to approve the following Schools of Choice Resolution as submitted in the board packet:

Board member Ausiello moves that the Board of Education of the Flushing School District, exercising the option permitted by Section 105c of the State School Aid Act of 1979 as amended by Public Act 62 of 2011, will, for the purposes of Section 105c, accept applications of nonresident students who reside within intermediate school districts contiguous to the Genesee Intermediate School District, for enrollment in our district for the 2025-26 school year and will operate a Schools of Choice Program in compliance with the statutory requirements of Section 105c.

Applications will be accepted for enrollment in the following grades, schools, programs for the 2025-2026 school year:

Early Childhood Center: Grade Kindergarten.

A roll call vote was taken: Dolgan – yes; LeCureux – yes; Sheldon – yes; Strnad – yes; Winkiel – yes; Ausiello – yes; Bate - yes. The motion carried 7-0.

- ***Approval of Updated Parent/Student Handbooks:***

1. Flushing High School
2. Flushing Middle School

A motion was made by Ausiello, supported by Dolgan, to approve the updated Parent/Student Handbooks for Flushing High School and Flushing Middle School, as submitted in the board packet.

The motion carried with all members voting yes.

- ***Approval of Updated FCS Student/Athlete Handbook***

A motion was made by Ausiello, supported by Strnad, to approve the updated FCS Student/Athlete Handbook, as submitted in the board packet.

The motion carried with all members voting yes.

- ***Approval to Purchase Custodial Equipment***

A motion was made by LeCureux, supported by Dolgan, to approve the purchase of an AI-Powered Robotic Floor Scrubber, the SCRUBBER 50, for use at Flushing High School, to be purchased from CleAnBotics, for a total purchase price (including the workstation, plumbing, autonomous robot implementation, and 5-year warranty) of \$48,715.20, as submitted in the board packet.

The motion carried with all members voting yes.

- ***Approval of Request for Executive Session Pursuant to P.A. 267, Section 8 (h):***

Consider Material Exempt from Discussion or Disclosure by State or Federal Statute (Attorney-Client Privilege)

A motion was made by Dolgan, supported by Winkiel, to approve the request for the board to go into Executive Session pursuant to P.A. 267, Section 8 (h): Consider material exempt from discussion or disclosure by state or federal statute (attorney-client privilege).

A roll call vote was taken: Winkiel – yes; Ausiello – yes; Bate – yes; Dolgan – yes; LeCureux – yes; Sheldon – yes; Strnad – yes. The motion carried 7-0.

Reports and Discussion

- ***State of Schools Update***

Superintendent Shanafelt gave an update on the state of the schools.

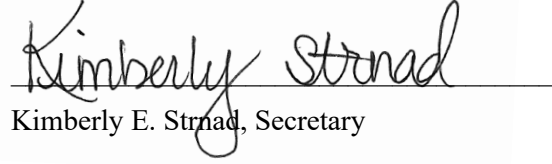
Adjournment for Executive Session: Consider Material Exempt from Discussion or Disclosure by State or Federal Statute (Attorney-Client Privilege)

The meeting adjourned into Executive Session at 6:46 p.m.

Reconvene for Final Adjournment

The meeting reconvened at 8:26 p.m. for purpose of final adjournment as motioned by Winkiel and supported by Ausiello.

Submitted by:

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Kimberly Strnad", is written over a horizontal line. The signature is cursive and fluid.

Kimberly E. Strnad, Secretary