Staples-Motley School District

School Board Minutes

Meeting #8 - Monday, December 1, 2025 @ 6:00pm - District Office

1. **Meeting was called to order by Chair Freeman at 6:00pm**
    a. Roll call was taken, members Wright, Frisk, Reeck, Trout, Reese and Freeman were present, comprising a quorum. Also present were Superintendent Tappe, recording clerk Larson, Business Manager Hill, Principal Ferdon, Staples World Editor Anderson and members of the public. The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.
    b. **Motion** by Reese second by Reeck, to adopt the agenda. **MC**
2. **Chair Freeman recognized those in attendance**
3. **Truth in Taxation Levy Presentation - Business Manager Hill**
    a. Truth in Taxation Levy and Budget Public Discussion
    b. **Motion** by Reeck, second by Frisk, to Approve and Certify the 2025 payable 2026 levy in the amount of $5,960,653.28. **MC**
4. **Other**
    a. **Motion** by Frisk, second by Trout, to approve the resignation of Carlie Rowe, Middle School Social Worker, pending the hire of a suitable licensed replacement, with permission to post. **MC**
    b. **Motion** by Freeman, second by Reeck, to ratify the 2025-2027 Certified Staff Master Contract. **MC**
5. **Motion** by Trout, second by Reese, to adjourn the meeting at 6:36pm. **MC**

Upcoming Meetings & Events:
December 10, 2025 - Policy Committee Meeting; District Office @ 7:45am *(Reese, Trout)*
December 22, 2025 - School Board Meeting; District Office @ 6pm
December 24, 2025 - January 2, 2026 - Christmas Break - No School
January 5, 2026 - School Board Meeting/Organizational Meeting; District Office @ 6pm