



White Bear Lake Area Schools
School Board Meeting Highlights
June 8, 2026
Regular Meeting

At the June 8, 2026 Regular Meeting of the School Board, the following items were presented and discussed:

1. **Student Recognition**. The School Board celebrated the achievements of Boys' and Girls' Track and Field team members, Girls' and Boys' Golf team members, Girls' Flag Football team, "Escape the Vape" State Video Contest winners and Make48 National Invention Contest participants.

See the [June 8, 2026 Student Recognition Video](#).

2. **Alternative Learning Program Name Recommendation**. Assistant Superintendent for Finance and Operations Tim Wald and Alternative Learning Program Associate Principal Jenni Sjosten presented the recommendation for the ALP name.

See the [Alternative Learning Program Name Recommendation presentation](#).

3. **First Reading of School Board Policies**. The School Board heard the First Reading of School Board Policies:
 - a. 210, Conflict of Interest - School Board Members
 - b. 515, Protection and Privacy of Student Records
 - c. 605, Alternative Educational Services

At the June 8, 2026 Regular Meeting of the School Board, the following items were acted upon:

1. **Action on Tentative Agreement - 2025-28 Fiscal Year Bear Adventure Club Staff**. The School Board approved the proposed 2025-2028 Bear Adventure Club Staff tentative agreement.
2. **Action on Tentative Agreement - 2025-27 Fiscal Years Paraeducator School Service Employees SEIU Local 284**. The School Board approved the proposed 2025-2027 Paraeducator School Service Employees SEIU Local 284 tentative agreement by passing the following resolution.

3. **Action on Property and Liability Insurance for 2026-27.** The School Board approved the property and casualty insurance package with the Minnesota Insurance Scholastic Trust (MIST) in the amount of \$856,712 effective July 1, 2026 through June 30, 2027.

See the [Property and Liability Insurance for 2026-27 presentation](#).

4. **Action on Workers Compensation Agreement for 2026-27.** The School Board accepted the quote of \$667,948 SFM Mutual Insurance for workers compensation insurance effective July 1, 2026 through June 30, 2027.

See the [Workers Compensation Agreement for 2026-27 presentation](#).

5. **Action on Fiscal Year 2026-27 Preliminary Budget.** The School Board approved the fiscal year 2026-27 preliminary budget as presented.

See the [Fiscal Year 2026-27 Preliminary Budget presentation](#).

6. **Action on Resolution Establishing Dates for Filing Affidavits of Candidacy.** The School Board approved the resolution establishing dates for filing Affidavits of Candidacy for the 2026 School Board election.

7. **Action on School District Population Adjustment.** The School Board approved the change of White Bear Lake Area Schools' total population from 66,764 to 67,148 as indicated by the Minnesota State Demographer.

8. **Action on School Board Policies.** The School Board approved the following policies, as recommended by the Policy Committee and Cabinet:

- a. 203.2, Order of the Regular School Board Meeting
- b. 208, Development, Adoption, and Implementation of Policies
- c. 503, Student Attendance
- d. 649, Early Admission Into Kindergarten
- e. 902, Use of School District Facilities and Equipment

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