



Board of Education Meeting Agenda LaSalle-Peru Township High School District 120

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541 Chartres Street
LaSalle, IL 61301
Wednesday, July 22, 2026, 6:00 p.m.

REGULAR BOARD MEETING AGENDA

1. CALL TO ORDER
2. ROLL CALL
3. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE
4. APPROVAL OF MINUTES
 - 4.1 Regular Meeting Minutes, June 24, 2026
5. RECOGNITIONS AND COMMENTS FROM VISITORS
 - 5.1 Public Comment
6. FINANCE
 - 6.1 Approval of Bills and Payroll
 - a. LaSalle-Peru Township High School Bills
 - b. L-P Area Career Center Bills
 - c. Payroll Report
 - 6.2 Financial Records
 - a. L-P Financial Report-Revenue
 - b. L-P Financial Report-Expenditures
 - c. L-P ACH Report
 - d. Activity Fund Report
 - e. Treasurer's Report
 - f. Bank Reconciliation
 - g. Cash and Investments Report
 - h. Hometown Cash Management Report
7. PRESIDENT'S REPORT
8. BOARD COMMITTEE REPORT
 - 8.1 Building and Grounds Committee
 - 8.2 Finance Committee
9. ADMINISTRATIVE REPORTS
 - 9.1 Superintendent
10. NEW BUSINESS
 - 10.1 Approval of the following Eureka Savings Bank Ag Center Change Orders:
 - a. Vissering Construction:
 - i. CO #24: Gas Meter Concrete Pad. Total \$2,000
 - ii. CO #25: Restroom Exhaust Fan. Total \$1,168
 - iii. CO #26: Gas Solenoid Emergency Shut Off. Total \$6,388.
 - iv. CO #27: Sprinkler Pipe Adjustment. Total \$1,162

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- v. CO #28: Revised Flooring. Total \$17,858
 - vi. CO #29: Fire Sprinkler Adjustments for Greenhouse. Total \$1,506
- 10.2 Possible approval and filing of the City of LaSalle application for a special use permit, and its attachments, related to the veterinary science building property
- 10.3 Authorization of spending for FY27
- 10.4 Authorization to develop FY27 budget
- 10.5 Approval of letter of engagement with Newkirk & Associates, Inc for FY26 auditing services
- 10.6 Approval of the following resignations:
 - a. Mrs. Kara Turczyn, Assistant Softball Coach, effective June 17, 2026
 - b. Ms. Kaitlin Gisbon, Volunteer Assistant Softball coach, effective June 23, 2026
 - c. Mr. Joe Goskusky, Assistant Football Coach, effective July 7, 2026
 - d. Mr. Brent Thomas, Assistant Boys' Swim Coach, effective the conclusion of the 2025-2026 school year
 - e. Mrs. Tina Pienta, Administrative Assistant to Dean's Office, contingent upon her reassignment to the Accounts Payable and Purchasing position in the District Office
 - f. Mr. Kevin Cavanaugh, Head Boys' Tennis Coach, effective July 14, 2026
 - g. Mr. Erik Keefer, Volunteer Assistant Football Coach, effective July 17, 2026
- 10.7 Approval of the following appointments:
 - a. Mr. John Morscheiser, Assistant Football Coach, effective for the 2026-2027 school year (replaces Mr. Patrick Carney/Mr. Joe Goskusky Split)
 - b. Mr. Mike Kasprak, Assistant Football Coach, effective for the 2026-2027 school year (replaces Mr. Matt Lambert)
 - c. Mrs. Cassie Suggett, Food Service Production Staff/Cashier, effective August 10, 2026 (replaces Mrs. Jackie Fitzgerald)
 - d. Mrs. Tina Pienta, Accounts Payable and Purchasing, effective August 3, 2026 (replaces Mrs. Diane Bergagna)
 - e. Mr. Kevin Krasinski, General Maintenance, effective upon the filling of all open Custodial and Maintenance positions (replaces Mr. Mike Carter)
 - f. Mr. John Somolski, 3rd Floor Custodian (2), effective upon the filling of all open Custodial and Maintenance positions (replaces Mr. Kevin Krasinski)
 - g. Ms. Kaitlin Gibson, Assistant Softball Coach, effective for the 2026-2027 school year (replaces Mrs. Kara Turczyn)
 - h. Mr. Gary Leadley, 1st Floor Custodian (2), effective July 23, 2026 (replaces Mr. John Somolski)
 - i. Mr. Christian Gonzalez, Volunteer Assistant Boys' Soccer Coach, effective for the 2026-2027
- 10.8 Approval to rehire the following staff for the 2026-2027 school year:
 - a. Mrs. Katherine Baker, STEP Job Coach
 - b. Mrs. Kristen Derix, Title I Reading Para-Professional
- 10.09 Approval of the following retirement with regret:
 - a. Mrs. Katherine Baker, STEP Job Coach, effective August 18, 2028

11. EXECUTIVE/CLOSED SESSION

- a) The appointment, employment, compensation, discipline, performance, or dismissal of specific employees, b) Discussion of minutes of meetings lawfully closed under the Open Minutes Act, whether for purposes of approval by the body of the minutes or semi-annual review of minutes, c) Security procedures, school building safety and security, and the use of personnel and equipment to respond to an actual, a threatened, or a reasonably potential danger to the safety of employees, students, staff, the public, or public property and d) Imminent/Pending Litigation, with open session and possible action items to follow.

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12. NEW BUSINESS
 - 12.1 Approval to review and retain the following executive/closed session minutes:
 - a. Regular Meeting Minutes, June 24, 2026
 - 12.2 Approval to destruct verbatim audio records from Executive Session held prior to January 1, 2025, per the Illinois Open Meetings Act, 5 ILCS 120
 - a. Regular Meeting Minutes, December 18, 2024
 - 12.3 Possible appointments
 - 12.4 Possible approval of continued participation in in an appraiser cost sharing arrangement with other taxing district, consistent with similar prior situations, as it relates to the 2025 tax objection filed by Covia with the Illinois Property Tax Appeal Board.
13. ADJOURNMENT

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