



(DRAFT) SCHOOL BOARD BUSINESS / STUDY SESSION OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION

Monday, October 26, 2026 – 6:00 PM

District Services Center

4540 Tower Street SE

Prior Lake, MN 55372

AGENDA

Board members may participate by interactive technology as permitted by Minnesota Statute 13D.02.

1. **WELCOME TO THE BUSINESS PORTION OF THIS MEETING**

Board Chair Bullyan

2. **CALL TO ORDER**

Board Chair Bullyan

3. **PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

Board Chair Bullyan

4. **ROLL CALL**

Board Chair Bullyan

5. **ADJOURN MEETING AND TRANSITION TO CLOSED SESSION**

The meeting will be closed in accordance with the Open Meeting Law (Minn. Stat. 13D.03) for the purpose of conferring with legal counsel regarding an ongoing litigation.

Board Chair Bullyan

6. **OPEN CLOSED MEETING AND TRANSITION TO BUSINESS MEETING**

Board Chair Bullyan

7. **PUBLIC FORUM**

In accordance with Board Policy 206, a 15-minute period is designated on the Board meeting agenda for public comment through an open forum. Sign-up sheets will be available at the meeting room entrance at least 10 minutes before the meeting begins.

8. **BOARD GOALS (Action)**

Board action requested.

Board Chair Bullyan

9. **ADJOURN BUSINESS MEETING AND TRANSITION TO A STUDY SESSION**

Board Chair Bullyan

10. **2027-2028 CALENDAR OPTIONS**

Executive Director of Administrative Services Cothorn

11. **BOARD POLICY**

Board Policy Committee

A. Board Policy Review / First Reading of Policies - No Changes

The following policies are presented for a first reading with no proposed changes to the current policy language. Final reading and approval to be requested at the November 9, 2026, business meeting.

Executive Director of Administrative Services Cothorn/Board Policy Committee

1. Policy 401 - Equal Employment Opportunity

2. Policy 403 - Discipline, Suspension, and Dismissal of School District Employees

3. Policy 408 - Subpoena of a School District Employee

4. Policy 413 - Harassment and Violence (Employee)

5. Policy 427 - Compensation Following Part-Year Employment

6. Policy 528 - Student Parental, Family and Marital Status Nondiscrimination

B. Board Policy Review / First Reading of Policies - Minor Changes

The following policies include minor revisions based on updates to MSBA, statutes, or recommendations from District Administration. These policies are presented for a first reading tonight, with final reading and approval scheduled for the November 9, 2026, business meeting.

Executive Director of Administrative Services Cothorn/Board Policy Committee

1. Policy 402 - Disability Nondiscrimination Policy
2. Policy 404 - Employment of all Staff
3. Policy 404.1 - Employment Background Checks
4. Policy 405 - Veteran's Preference
5. Policy 409.1/524 - Electronic Technologies Acceptable Use Policy (Student & Staff)
6. Policy 414 - Mandated Reporting of Child Neglect or Physical or Sexual Abuse
7. Policy 417 - Chemical Use and Abuse (Staff)
8. Policy 418 - Drug-Free Workplace/Drug-Free School (418 & 902.2)
9. Policy 419 - Tobacco-Free Environment, Possession And Use Of Tobacco, Tobacco-Related Devices And Electronic Delivery Devices (419/902.1)
10. Policy 426 - Substitute Teachers
11. Policy 525 - Website and Intranet Policy
12. Policy 535 - Inclusion of Service Animals in Schools

12. ADJOURN

Board Chair Bullyan