MACCRAY ISD 2180
Clara City, MN 56222
MACCRAY Board Room
Monday, Nov. 9, 2026
Special Meeting at 5:00pm
Monday, Nov. 9, 2026
Regular Meeting at 6:00 pm
TENTATIVE AGENDA

Policy 206 – Individual speakers will have three minutes to speak to the board and may do so only during the public comment portion of the meeting. Comments involving data privacy, personal attacks on others, or that may be considered libelous or slanderous, or are initiated after the public comment period, are unacceptable. The board will take no action at the same meeting on an item raised by the public at that meeting to allow for further investigation.

Special Meeting to negotiate Superintendent Contract at 5:00pm.

1.0 Call to Order
2.0 Pledge of Allegiance
3.0 Approval of the Agenda/Additions/Deletions
4.0 Public Comment
5.0 Consent Agenda – Action Required
- 5.1 Adoption of Minutes
- 5.2 Approve payment of bills and financial reports.
- 5.3 Approve Employment Agreement with Paraprofessional - L. Dieken
- 5.4 Policy 510 - School Activities - Redline - 11.9.2026
- 5.5 Policy 511 -Student Fundraising - Redline - 11.9.2026
- 5.6 Policy 512 - School-Sponsored Student Publications and Activities - Redline 11.9.2026
- 5.7 Policy 513 - Student Promotion, Retention, and Program Design - Redline 11.9.2026
- 5.8 Policy 517 - Student Recruiting - Redline 11.9.2026
- 5.9 Policy 518 - DNR-DNI Orders - Redline 11.9.2026
- 5.10 Policy 519 - Interviews of Students by Outside Agencies - Redline 11.9.2026
- 5.11 Policy 520 - Student Surveys - Redline 11.9.2026
- 5.12 Policy 521 - Student Disability Nondiscrimination - Redline 11.9.2026
- 5.13 Approve Assistant Dance Coach - Keyanna Peterson
- 5.14 Approve resignation of JHBBB coach - T. Anderson.
- 5.15 Approve JHBBB - Mike Collins.
- 5.16 Accept Paraprofessional Resignation - M. Kubesh

6.0 Communication Report
- 6.1 Administrative Reports
  - 6.1.1 Audit Report - Ashley Meagher
  - 6.1.2 Derik Johnson - Activities
  - 6.1.3 Todd Bertram - Elem.
  - 6.1.4 Judd Wheatley - MS-HS
  - 6.1.5 Adam Holm - District
- 6.2 Committee Reports

6.3 Board Discussion -

7.0 Business items – Action Required

7.1 Accept FY 2026 Audited Financial Statements and Audit.

7.2 Resolution Canvassing School Board Election Results

7.3 Resolution to Issue Certificates of Election

7.4 Approve transfer from General Fund to Community Education to zero out negative balance. (about $27,000)

8.0 Upcoming Meetings

8.1 Truth-in-Taxation Meeting, Monday, December 14, MACCRAY Board Room, 6pm.

8.2 Regular Board Meeting, Monday, December 14, MACCRAY Board Room, after TNT.

8.3 Regular Board Meeting, Monday, January 11, MACCRAY Board Room, 6pm.

9.0 Adjournment

Minutes of the Board of Education
Independent School District #2180
Regular Meeting #4
Monday, Oct. 12, 2026, 6:00 PM
MACCRAY Board Room

Members Present: Julie Alsum, Debi Brandt, Mark Kasella, John Hagemeyer, Carmel Thein, (missing Ben Donner). Others: Adam Holm, Superintendent; Todd Bertram, Elem. Principal; Kim Sandry, Business Manager/HR Director; Greg Peterson, Tech Director; Derik Johnson, AD; Kati Hess, CER Director. Guest speaker: Julie Wohlman – Food Service Director.

Chair Julie Alsum called the meeting to order at 6:00 pm. Pledge of Allegiance.

Motion by Thein, second by Kasella, to approve the agenda as presented.
Motion carried by unanimous vote.

Public Comment: none

Approval of Consent Agenda:
Motion by Hagemeyer, second by Thein, to approve the consent agenda as presented.
Motion carried by unanimous vote.

- Adoption of Minutes
- Approve payment of bills and financial reports.
- Adopt Policy 404 - Employee Background Checks - RedlineUpdated9-15
- Adopt Policy 423 - Employee-Student Relationships - Redline 10.12.2026
- Adopt Policy 501 - School Weapons - Redline 10.12.2026
- Adopt Policy 502 - Search of Student Lockers, Desks, Personal Possessions, and Student's Person - Redline 10.12.2026
- Adopt Policy 503 - Student Attendance - Redline 10.12.2026
- Adopt Policy 504 - Student Dress and Appearance - Redline 10.12.2026
- Adopt Policy 505 -Distribution of Non-school-Sponsored Materials on School Premises by Students and Employees - Redline 10.12.2026
- Adopt Policy 507 - Corporal Punishment and Prone Restraint - Redline 10.12.2026
- Adopt Policy 508 - Extended School Year for Certain Students with IEP - Redline 10.12.2026
- Adopt Policy 509 - Enrollment of Nonresident Students - Redline 10.12.2026
- Approve Coaches and Advisors

Boys Basketball

Lucas Post	Head Varsity
Trent Carlson	JV
Weston Gjerde	C
Tyler Anderson	JH (8th)
Isaac Post	JH (7th)

Girls Basketball

Shaun Condon	Head Varsity
Bryce Olson	JV
Dana Johnson	C
Isaac Post	JH (8th)
Kaitlynn Keinholz	JH (7th)

Dance	Katlyn Aviles	Head Varsity
Wrestling	RJ Hogrefe	MACCRAY's Coach
Athletic Trainer	TBD	
Prom	Drew Dahlke	

Knowledge Bowl	Seth Falk
Math League	Bryce Olson
BPA	Rhonda Pieper
Winter Weight Room	Seth Falk
One Act Play	Jennifer Wassenaar
Spelling Bee	Laura Bristle

Communications Reports:
Julie Wohlman – Food Nutrition Director
Derik Johnson - Activities
Todd Bertram: Elementary Update
Adam Holm: District update.
Board Discussion: Sale of Football Field, Permanent School Fund, Extra Meeting

Business Items:
Motion by Kasella, second by Brandt, to support the Resolution of Governing Board Supporting Form A Application to MSHSL. Roll Call Vote: For: Brandt, Kasella, Hagemeyer, Alsum, Thein. Against: none. Resolution passed and adopted.

Motion by Brandt, second by Hagemeyer, to accept the donation of scrap metal to our welding program from West Central Steel. Roll Call Vote: For: Brandt, Kasella, Hagemeyer, Alsum, Thein. Against: none. Resolution passed and adopted.

Meetings and Workshops:
Regular Board Meeting, Monday, November 9, MACCRAY Board Room, 6pm.
Truth in Taxation, Monday, December 14, MACCRAY Board Room, 6pm
Regular Board Meeting, Monday, December 14, MACCRAY Board Room, following TNT.

Adjournment of Meeting
Motion by Thein, second by Hagemeyer, for adjournment. Motion carried by unanimous vote. Meeting adjourned at 7:09 pm.

Respectfully submitted,
Carmel Thein, Clerk
Kim Sandry, Business Manager

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Payment Reg by Bank and Check

Bank	Batch	Pmt No	Check No	Pay Type	Grp	Code	Rcd	Vendor	Tax Class	Print	Recon	Void	Pay/Void Date	Amount
BND2		65709	5639	Check	1	5720		American Waterworks		Yes	No	No	10/05/2026	8,419.81
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												Bank Total:		$10,524.76
Pay		65802		Wire	1	00867		PERA		No	No	No	10/16/2026	16,026.56
Pay		65803		Wire	1	00868		MN Teachers Retirement Assoc.		No	No	No	10/16/2026	37,081.45
Pay		65804		Wire	1	2181		Aviben		No	No	No	10/16/2026	10,802.63
Pay		65805		Wire	1	2385		MN Department of Revenue		No	No	No	10/16/2026	10,422.84
Pay		65806		Wire	1	2875		Internal Revenue Service		No	No	No	10/16/2026	67,427.05
Pay		65807		Wire	1	2985		Aviben FLEX		No	No	No	10/16/2026	2,663.08
Pay		65808		Wire	1	2086		Minnesota UI Fund		No	No	No	10/19/2026	86,627.49
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Pay		65683	63587	Check	1	3962		Indianhead Foodservice Distributor		Yes	No	No	10/01/2026	6,060.82
Pay		65686	63588	Check	1	5464		Kent, Ashley		Yes	No	No	10/01/2026	150.00
Pay		65685	63589	Check	1	4813		Pennie-Roy, Heather		Yes	No	No	10/01/2026	150.00
Pay		65684	63590	Check	1	4245		Wheatley, Judd		Yes	No	No	10/01/2026	175.56
Pay		65687	63591	Check	1	00048		Clara City Telephone Company		Yes	No	No	10/01/2026	417.69
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Pay		65691	63594	Check	1	2512		Decker Equipment		Yes	No	No	10/01/2026	1,380.23
Pay		65694	63595	Check	1	4468		Freudenberg, Jered		Yes	No	No	10/02/2026	150.00
Pay		65695	63596	Check	1	5518		Gabbart, Leonard		Yes	No	No	10/02/2026	150.00
Pay		65696	63597	Check	1	5737		Grinager, Kyle		Yes	No	No	10/02/2026	150.00
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Pay		65714	63603	Check	1	3595		Dripps, Jackie		Yes	No	No	10/05/2026	150.00
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Pay		65712	63606	Check	1	00164		Montevideo Public Schools ISD #129		Yes	No	No	10/05/2026	125.00
Pay		65717	63607	Check	1	5146		Phonak - Sonova USA, Inc		Yes	No	No	10/05/2026	1,719.31
Pay		65718	63608	Check	1	5367		Roos, Jordon		Yes	No	No	10/05/2026	150.00
Pay		65713	63609	Check	1	00308		SW & WC Service Cooperative		Yes	No	No	10/05/2026	17,161.32
Pay		65716	63610	Check	1	4179		Twotrees Technologies		Yes	No	No	10/05/2026	384.89

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Pay		65723	63613	Check	1	5153		Stony Creek Dairy		Yes	No	No	10/05/2026	2,321.55
Pay		65733	63614	Check	1	5462		Bertram, Todd		Yes	No	No	10/06/2026	44.08
Pay		65732	63615	Check	1	5171		Follett Content Solutions, LLC		Yes	No	No	10/06/2026	505.54
Pay		65730	63616	Check	1	2877		Nippon Sanso Matheson Inc		Yes	No	No	10/06/2026	483.30
Pay		65731	63617	Check	1	4553		Nordic Solar HoldCo Phase 2, LLC		Yes	No	No	10/06/2026	9,021.90
Pay		65729	63618	Check	1	00763		Pan-O-Gold Baking Company		Yes	No	No	10/06/2026	108.00
Pay		65728	63619	Check	1	00701		Southside Lumber		Yes	No	No	10/06/2026	88.43
Pay		65734	63620	Check	1	2985		Aviben FLEX		Yes	No	No	10/06/2026	189.00
Pay		65735	63621	Check	1	5741		Property Potential Services		Yes	No	No	10/06/2026	10,750.00
Pay		65739	63622	Check	1	3684		Amaze'n Farmyard		Yes	No	No	10/07/2026	520.00
Pay		65736	63623	Check	1	01432		Chappell Central, Inc.		Yes	No	No	10/07/2026	1,683.25
Pay		65741	63624	Check	1	5587		Eckroth Music		Yes	No	No	10/07/2026	115.30
Pay		65740	63625	Check	1	3962		Indianhead Foodservice Distributor		Yes	No	No	10/07/2026	5,199.90
Pay		65737	63626	Check	1	3311		J.W. Pepper & Son, Inc.		Yes	No	No	10/07/2026	342.00
Pay		65738	63627	Check	1	3554		TRIO Supply Co		Yes	No	No	10/07/2026	487.39
Pay		65744	63628	Check	1	2939		Johnson, Ben		Yes	No	No	10/08/2026	28.88
Pay		65746	63629	Check	1	00044		City of Clara City		Yes	No	No	10/08/2026	2,929.47
Pay		65747	63630	Check	1	3295		Department of Human Service		Yes	No	No	10/08/2026	83.00
Pay		65748	63631	Check	1	3053		BOLD Public Schools		Yes	No	No	10/08/2026	120.00
Pay		65749	63632	Check	1	3054		Beekman, Scott		Yes	No	No	10/09/2026	150.00
Pay		65750	63633	Check	1	3411		DeBoer, Kevin		Yes	No	No	10/09/2026	150.00
Pay		65751	63634	Check	1	3454		Infinite Campus Inc.		Yes	No	No	10/09/2026	750.00
Pay		65756	63635	Check	1	5743		Johnson, Derik		Yes	No	No	10/09/2026	173.28
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Pay		65752	63639	Check	1	3643		Wherry, Brent		Yes	No	No	10/09/2026	150.00
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Pay		65758	63642	Check	1	00844		West Central Sanitation, Inc.		Yes	No	No	10/09/2026	1,591.68
Pay		65763	63643	Check	1	2195		Central MN Christian School		Yes	No	No	10/12/2026	90.00
Pay		65761	63644	Check	1	00105		Hillyard, Inc.		Yes	No	No	10/12/2026	62.50
Pay		65764	63645	Check	1	3311		J.W. Pepper & Son, Inc.		Yes	No	No	10/12/2026	659.24
Pay		65762	63646	Check	1	2126		Menards - Willmar		Yes	No	No	10/12/2026	319.93
Pay		65765	63647	Check	1	4242		Turbo Turf, LLC		Yes	No	No	10/12/2026	100.00
Pay		65767	63648	Check	1	2450		Brothers Fire & Security		Yes	No	No	10/13/2026	2,106.00

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Pay		65766	63652	Check	1	00763		Pan-O-Gold Baking Company		Yes	No	No	10/13/2026	137.28
Pay		65772	63653	Check	1	4813		Pennie-Roy, Heather		Yes	No	No	10/13/2026	150.00
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Pay		65770	63655	Check	1	3398		Tanner, Tim		Yes	No	No	10/13/2026	140.00
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Pay		65778	63657	Check	1	4998		Avera Granite Falls		Yes	No	No	10/13/2026	610.00
Pay		65776	63658	Check	1	00046		Clara City Herald		Yes	No	No	10/13/2026	497.15
Pay		65777	63659	Check	1	1936		Palmer Bus Service, Inc		Yes	No	No	10/13/2026	139,473.29
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Pay		65780	63661	Check	1	3032		MN Bureau of Criminal Apprehension		Yes	No	No	10/13/2026	15.00
Pay		65782	63662	Check	1	3551		American Welding & Gas		Yes	No	No	10/14/2026	58.55
Pay		65783	63663	Check	1	3610		Felt, Michael		Yes	No	No	10/14/2026	400.00
Pay		65784	63664	Check	1	3987		Sarlettes Music		Yes	No	No	10/14/2026	87.44
Pay		65786	63665	Check	1	5462		Bertram, Todd		Yes	No	No	10/14/2026	258.20
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Pay		65793	63674	Check	1	4032		Wood, Mike		Yes	No	No	10/15/2026	150.00
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Pay		65799	63677	Check	1	3402		Lake Region Bank		Yes	No	No	10/16/2026	100.00
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Pay		65810	63685	Check	1	00179		Ecolab Pest Elimination Division		Yes	No	No	10/20/2026	192.51
Pay		65817	63686	Check	1	5486		eGold Fax		Yes	No	No	10/20/2026	11.90

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Pay		65820	63691	Check	1	2865		Gronseth, Joel		Yes	No	No	10/20/2026	43.11
Pay		65821	63692	Check	1	2923		VISA - CABank		Yes	No	No	10/20/2026	7,398.68
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Pay		65836	63697	Check	1	5462		Bertram, Todd		Yes	No	No	10/26/2026	190.00
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Pay		65831	63699	Check	1	3962		Indianhead Foodservice Distributor		Yes	No	No	10/26/2026	4,300.68
Pay		65828	63700	Check	1	2126		Menards - Willmar		Yes	No	No	10/26/2026	174.16
Pay		65827	63701	Check	1	2052		MESPA		Yes	No	No	10/26/2026	525.00
Pay		65830	63702	Check	1	2877		Nippon Sanso Matheson Inc		Yes	No	No	10/26/2026	331.42
Pay		65837	63703	Check	1	5515		Office of MNIT Services		Yes	No	No	10/26/2026	30.01
Pay		65838	63704	Check	1	5606		SCCM - Attn: Shelly Collison		Yes	No	No	10/26/2026	120.00
Pay		65835	63705	Check	1	5153		Stony Creek Dairy		Yes	No	No	10/26/2026	862.66
Pay		65834	63706	Check	1	4614		Wabasso Public School		Yes	No	No	10/26/2026	45.00
Pay		65833	63707	Check	1	4494		YME Hoops Club		Yes	No	No	10/26/2026	150.00
Pay		65839	63708	Check	1	1680		BSN Sports, LLC		Yes	No	No	10/26/2026	5,150.00
Pay		65842	63709	Check	1	5746		Mueller, Lesli		Yes	No	No	10/26/2026	427.57
Pay		65841	63710	Check	1	5112		Quadient Leasing USA, Inc		Yes	No	No	10/26/2026	321.19
Pay		65840	63711	Check	1	3554		TRIO Supply Co		Yes	No	No	10/26/2026	45.64
Pay		65844	63712	Check	1	00763		Pan-O-Gold Baking Company		Yes	No	No	10/26/2026	170.10
Pay		65848	63713	Check	1	4979		Coordinated Business Systems		Yes	No	No	10/27/2026	48.75
Pay		65847	63714	Check	1	4326		Kennedy & Graven, Chartered		Yes	No	No	10/27/2026	162.00
Pay		65845	63715	Check	1	2126		Menards - Willmar		Yes	No	No	10/27/2026	61.94
Pay		65846	63716	Check	1	2616		Roskens Plumbing, Heating		Yes	No	No	10/27/2026	3,210.00
Pay		65849	63717	Check	1	4194		Drex-mart		Yes	No	No	10/27/2026	177.16
Pay		65850	63718	Check	1	3125		Post, Lyndsey		Yes	No	No	10/27/2026	122.44
Pay		65852	63719	Check	1	4234		Clean Site LLC		Yes	No	No	10/28/2026	1,181.25
Pay		65851	63720	Check	1	3032		MN Bureau of Criminal Apprehension		Yes	No	No	10/28/2026	15.00
Pay		65855	63721	Check	1	3962		Indianhead Foodservice Distributor		Yes	No	No	10/28/2026	4,493.19
Pay		65854	63722	Check	1	2939		Johnson, Ben		Yes	No	No	10/28/2026	29.92
Pay		65857	63723	Check	1	5171		Follett Content Solutions, LLC		Yes	No	No	10/29/2026	226.07
Pay		65856	63724	Check	1	4969		H21 Group - Attn: Accts Receivable		Yes	No	No	10/29/2026	315.00

Ind. School District #2180

Payment Reg by Bank and Check

Bank	Batch	Pmt No	Check No	Pay Type	Grp	Code	Rcd	Vendor	Tax Class	Print	Recon	Void	Pay/Void Date	Amount
Pay		65858	63725	Check	1	5039		Donner's Garage Inc		Yes	No	No	10/29/2026	191.67
Pay		65861	63726	Check	1	00105		Hillyard, Inc.		Yes	No	No	10/30/2026	74.46
Pay		65862	63727	Check	1	4725		Rieger, Laine		Yes	No	No	10/30/2026	19.00
Pay		65863	63728	Check	1	5748		Mathcounts Foundation		Yes	No	No	10/30/2026	294.00
												Bank Total:		$563,220.87
SA		65689	23219	Check	1	2359		Amazon Capital Services		Yes	No	No	10/01/2026	976.87
SA		65692	23220	Check	1	4280		Viking Coca-Cola		Yes	No	No	10/02/2026	1,659.75
SA		65699	23221	Check	1	4016		Almich's Market		Yes	No	No	10/02/2026	187.72
SA		65710	23222	Check	1	00077		Farmers Coop Oil Co.		Yes	No	No	10/05/2026	765.58
SA		65727	23223	Check	1	4282		First Choice Food & Beverage		Yes	No	No	10/06/2026	413.03
SA		65743	23224	Check	1	4343		Flowers from the Heart		Yes	No	No	10/08/2026	186.00
SA		65742	23225	Check	1	2939		Johnson, Ben		Yes	No	No	10/08/2026	137.12
SA		65745	23226	Check	1	3348		Region 5 FFA		Yes	No	No	10/08/2026	153.00
SA		65757	23227	Check	1	3109		Anderson's		Yes	No	No	10/09/2026	261.19
SA		65775	23228	Check	1	4259		Bosch, Lindsey		Yes	No	No	10/13/2026	20.00
SA		65809	23229	Check	1	4259		Bosch, Lindsey		Yes	No	No	10/20/2026	253.05
SA		65819	23230	Check	1	2923		VISA - CABank		Yes	No	No	10/20/2026	3,226.91
SA		65825	23231	Check	1	5536		Dambroten, Kayla		Yes	No	No	10/26/2026	69.70
SA		65824	23232	Check	1	00863		Monte Candy Company		Yes	No	No	10/26/2026	350.00
SA		65843	23233	Check	1	5747		Healy Awards, Inc		Yes	No	No	10/26/2026	254.25
SA		65853	23234	Check	1	5534		SUBWAY of Willmar		Yes	No	No	10/28/2026	500.50
SA		65859	23235	Check	1	3320		Prairie Woods Environmental Learning Cen		Yes	No	No	10/29/2026	150.00
SA		65860	23236	Check	1	4811		Heggies Pizza		Yes	No	No	10/30/2026	16,135.08
												Bank Total:		$25,699.75
												Report Total:		$599,445.38

INVESTMENTS OUTSTANDING
June 30, 2026

MSDMAX Fund – MSDLAF	
MSDMAX Fund Balance as of June 30, 2026	$2,707.53
Interest - July 31, 2026	$8.28
Interest – August 31, 2026	$8.36
Interest – Sept. 30, 2026	$8.30
Interest – Oct. 31, 2026	$8.88
BALANCE	**$2,741.35**

LIQUID ASSET FUND	
Money Market Balance as of June 30, 2026	$1,833.78
Interest – July 31, 2026	$5.47
Interest – August 31, 2026	$5.49
Interest – Sept. 30, 2026	$5.46
Interest – Oct. 31, 2026	$5.84
BALANCE	**$1,8556.04**

Citizens Alliance Bank
High Yield Money Market Savings

Balance as of June 12, 2026	$2,988,166.15
Interest – July 15, 2026 ($840,000 transferred out)	$8,244.30
Interest – August 14, 2026 ($500,000 transferred in)	$5,084.26
Interest – Sept. 15, 2026 ($200,000 transferred in)	$8,203.58
Interest – October 15, 2026 ($200,000 transferred out)	$8,242.99
BALANCE	**$3,077,941.28**

Citizens Alliance Bank
Certificate of Deposit

Balance as of June 22, 2026	$2,037,772.07
Interest – July 22, 2026	$6,012.82
Interest – August 21, 2026	$6,231.58
Interest – Sept. 22, 2026	$6,250.58
Interest – October 22, 2026	$6,067.40
BALANCE	**$2,062,334.45**

Ind. School District #2180
Exp Summary - Fd, Pro Series
Period Ending October 31, 2026

Sequence: Fd, Pro

	Description	27ORIG Annual Budget	Period 202704	Year To Date	% YTD	Encumbrances	% YTD + Enc	Remaining Balance
01	General							
	000 Administration	793,383.00	61,437.57	233,019.71	29%	30,568.92	33%	529,794.37
	100 District Support Services	361,639.00	14,369.09	100,191.36	28%	12,385.66	31%	249,061.98
	200 Elem & Secondary Regular Instr	5,133,222.00	301,587.51	822,116.92	16%	177,132.51	19%	4,133,972.57
	300 Vocational Education Instr	326,495.00	12,492.00	52,657.24	16%	11,844.56	20%	261,993.20
	400 Special Education Instr	2,347,183.00	96,260.97	303,984.83	13%	95,269.78	17%	1,947,928.39
	600 Instructional Support Services	546,203.00	21,226.85	249,422.71	46%	20,314.22	49%	276,466.07
	700 Pupil Support Services	1,594,934.00	150,819.24	280,692.57	18%	12,056.34	18%	1,302,185.09
	800 Sites & Buildings	971,793.00	49,388.43	312,621.38	32%	18,005.73	34%	641,165.89
	900 Fiscal & Other Fixed Costs	170,000.00	0.00	203,637.99	120%	0.00	120%	(33,637.99)
01	**General**	12,244,852.00	707,581.66	2,558,344.71	21%	377,577.72	24%	9,308,929.57
02	Food Service							
	700 Pupil Support Services	629,616.00	45,670.50	119,864.96	19%	15,812.78	22%	493,938.26
02	**Food Service**	629,616.00	45,670.50	119,864.96	19%	15,812.78	22%	493,938.26
04	Community Service							
	500 Community Ed & Services	663,856.00	25,980.24	93,128.70	14%	23,785.46	18%	546,941.84
04	**Community Service**	663,856.00	25,980.24	93,128.70	14%	23,785.46	18%	546,941.84
05	Capital Outlay							
	200 Elem & Secondary Regular Instr	0.00	0.00	1,415.00	0%	0.00	0%	(1,415.00)
	800 Sites & Buildings	488,726.00	22,285.15	150,060.54	31%	0.00	31%	338,665.46
05	**Capital Outlay**	488,726.00	22,285.15	151,475.54	31%	0.00	31%	337,250.46
07	Debt Redemption							
	900 Fiscal & Other Fixed Costs	3,411,710.00	0.00	469,955.00	14%	0.00	14%	2,941,755.00
07	**Debt Redemption**	3,411,710.00	0.00	469,955.00	14%	0.00	14%	2,941,755.00
21	Student Activity							
	200 Elem & Secondary Regular Instr	0.00	24,934.17	57,623.66	0%	0.00	0%	(57,623.66)
21	**Student Activity**	0.00	24,934.17	57,623.66	0%	0.00	0%	(57,623.66)
	Report Totals:	17,438,760.00	826,451.72	3,450,392.57	20%	417,175.96	22%	13,571,191.47

MACCRAY PUBLIC SCHOOLS

2026-2027 EMPLOYMENT AGREEMENT
With
Laurie Dieken

JOB TITLE: Instructional Assistant/Paraprofessional

DEPARTMENT: Special Education

REPORTS TO: Principal, SPED Teacher

JOB SUMMARY

Works with students as directed by the SPED Teacher. Additional supervision of students may be assigned by the principal.

TERMS OF EMPLOYMENT

Part-time, approximately 4 hours/day – TBD/School Days
Probation Period: 6 months of service time
Wage: $18.00 per hour
Pay Dates: 15th and 30th of each month
Other fringe benefits per the MACCRAY School Educational Assistant Terms and Conditions of Employment.

EVALUATION

Performance of this job will be evaluated by the Special Education Teacher/Elementary Principal.

The provisions of the Terms and Conditions of Employment shall be severable, and if any such provision or the application of any such provision under any circumstances is held invalid, it shall not affect any other provisions of the Terms and Conditions of Employment or the application of any provision thereof.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have subscribed
My signature this 22 day of October, 2026.

Laurie K. Dieken
Instructional Assistant

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have subscribed
My signature this _____ day of _____, 2026.

_____
School Board Chair

_____
School Board Clerk

SCHOOL DISTRICT
Board Policy 510
MACCRAY Public School 2180
Original: 1995
Revised: 2000
Reviewed: 2026

~~*Adopted:* _____ *MSBA/MASA Model Policy 510*~~
~~*Orig. 1995*~~
~~*Revised:* _____ *Rev. 2000 2019*~~

510 SCHOOL ACTIVITIES

I. PURPOSE

The purpose of this policy is to impart to students, employees, and the community the school district's policy related to the student activity program.

II. GENERAL STATEMENT OF POLICY

School activities provide additional opportunities for students to pursue special interests that contribute to their physical, mental, and emotional well-being. They are of secondary importance in relationship to the formal instructional program; however, they complement the instructional program in providing students with additional opportunities for growth and development.

III. RESPONSIBILITY

A. The school board expects all students who participate in school-sponsored activities to represent the school and community in a responsible manner. All rules pertaining to student conduct and student discipline extend to school activities.

B. The school board expects all spectators at school sponsored activities, including parents, employees, and other members of the public, to behave in an appropriate manner at those activities. Students and employees may be subject to discipline and parents and other spectators may be subject to sanctions for engaging in misbehavior or inappropriate, illegal, or unsportsmanlike behavior at these activities or events.

C. The superintendent shall be responsible for disseminating information needed to inform students, parents, staff, and the community of the opportunities available within the school activity program and the rules of participation.

D. Those students who participate in Minnesota State High School League (MSHSL) activities must also abide by the league rules. Those employees who conduct MSHSL activities shall be responsible for familiarizing students and parents with all applicable rules, penalties, and opportunities.

E. The superintendent shall be responsible for conducting an annual evaluation of school activity programs and presenting the results and any recommendations to the school board.

F. The school board will ensure that any funds raised for extracurricular activities will be

spent only on extracurricular activities.

Legal References: Minn. Stat. § 123B.49 (Extracurricular Activities; Insurance)

Cross References: MSBA/MASA Model Policy 503 (Student Attendance)
MSBA/MASA Model Policy 506 (Student Discipline)
MSBA/MASA Model Policy 713 (Student Activity Accounting)
~~MSBA Service Manual, Chapter 5, Various Educational Programs~~

SCHOOL DISTRICT
Board Policy 511
MACCRAY Public School 2180
Original: 1995
Revised: 2003
Reviewed: 2026

~~*Adopted: _____*~~ ~~*MSBA/MASA Model Policy 511*~~
~~*Orig. 1995*~~
~~*Revised: _____*~~ ~~*Rev. 2003*~~

511 STUDENT FUNDRAISING

I. PURPOSE

The purpose of this policy is to address student fundraising efforts.

II. GENERAL STATEMENT OF POLICY

The school board recognizes a desire and a need by some student organizations for fundraising. The school board also recognizes a need for some constraint to prevent fundraising activities from becoming too numerous and overly demanding on employees, students, and the general public.

III. RESPONSIBILITY

A. The building administrators shall be responsible for developing recommendations to the superintendent that will result in a level of activity deemed acceptable by employees, parents, and students. Fundraising must be conducted in a manner that will not result in embarrassment on the part of individual students, employees, or the school.

B. All fundraising activities must be approved, in advance, by the administration. Participation in nonapproved activities shall be considered a violation of school district policy.

C. The superintendent shall be responsible for providing coordination of student fundraising throughout the school district as deemed appropriate.

D. The school district expects all students who participate in approved fundraising activities to represent the school, the student organization, and the community in a responsible manner. All rules pertaining to student conduct and student discipline extend to student fundraising activities.

E. The school district expects all employees who plan, supervise, coordinate, or participate in student fundraising activities to act in the best interests of the students and to represent the school, the student organization, and the community in a responsible manner.

IV. ANNUAL REPORT

The superintendent shall report to the school board, at least annually, on the nature and scope of student fundraising activities approved pursuant to this policy.

Legal References: Minn. Stat. § 120A.20 (Admission to Public School)
Minn. Stat. § 123B.09, Subd. 8 (Boards of Independent School Districts)
Minn. Stat. § 123B.36 (Authorized Fees)

Cross References: MSBA/MASA Model Policy 506 (Student Discipline)
MSBA/MASA Model Policy 713 (Student Activity Accounting)

SCHOOL DISTRICT
Board Policy 512
MACCRAY Public School 2180
Original: 1995
Revised: 202
Reviewed: 2026

~~*Adopted:* _____ *MSBA/MASA Model Policy 512*~~
~~*Orig. 1995*~~
~~*Revised:* _____ *Rev. 2024*~~

512 SCHOOL-SPONSORED STUDENT PUBLICATIONS AND ACTIVITIES

I. PURPOSE

The purpose of this policy is to protect students' rights to free speech in production of school-sponsored media and activities while at the same time balancing the school district's role in supervising student publications and the operation of public schools.

II. GENERAL STATEMENT OF POLICY

A. Expressions and representations made by students in school-sponsored publications and activities are not expressions of official school district policy. Faculty advisors shall supervise student writers to ensure compliance with the law and school district policies.

B. Students who believe their right to free expression has been unreasonably restricted in school-sponsored media or activity may seek review of the decision by the building principal. The principal shall issue a decision no later than three (3) school days after review is requested.

1. Students producing school-sponsored media and activities shall be under the supervision of a faculty advisor and the school principal. School-sponsored media and activities shall be subject to the guidelines set forth below.

2. School-sponsored media may be distributed at reasonable times and locations.

III. DEFINITIONS

A. "Distribution" means circulation or dissemination of material by means of handing out free copies, selling or offering copies for sale, accepting donations for copies, posting, or displaying material, or placing materials in internal staff or student mailboxes.

B. "Material and substantial disruption" of a normal school activity means:

1. Where the normal school activity is an educational program of the school district for which student attendance is compulsory, "material and substantial disruption" is defined as any disruption which interferes with or impedes the implementation of that program.

2. Where the normal school activity is voluntary in nature (including, without limitation, school athletic events, school plays and concerts, and lunch periods)

"material and substantial disruption" is defined as student rioting, unlawful seizures of property, conduct inappropriate to the event, participation in a school boycott, demonstration, sit-in, stand-in, walk-out, or other related forms of activity.

In order for expression to be considered disruptive, there must exist specific facts upon which the likelihood of disruption can be forecast, including past experience in the school, current events influencing student activities and behavior, and instances of actual or threatened disruption relating to the written material in question.

C. "Minor" means any person under the age of eighteen (18).

D. "Obscene to minors" means:

1. The average person, applying contemporary community standards, would find that the material, taken as a whole, appeals to the prurient interest of minors of the age to whom distribution is requested;

2. The material depicts or describes, in a manner that is patently offensive to prevailing standards in the adult community concerning how such conduct should be presented to minors of the age to whom distribution is requested, sexual conduct such as intimate sexual acts (normal or perverted), masturbation, excretory functions, or lewd exhibition of the genitals; and

3. The material, taken as a whole, lacks serious literary, artistic, political, or scientific value for minors.

E. "School activities" means any activity of students sponsored by the school including, but not limited to, classroom work, library activities, physical education classes, official assemblies and other similar gatherings, school athletic contests, band concerts, school plays and other theatrical productions, and in-school lunch periods.

F. "School-sponsored media" means material that is:

1. prepared, wholly or substantially written, published, broadcast, or otherwise disseminated by a student journalist enrolled in the school district;

2. distributed or generally made available to students in the school; and

3. prepared by a student journalist under the supervision of a student media adviser.

School-sponsored media does not include material prepared solely for distribution or transmission in the classroom in which the material is produced, or a yearbook.

G. "Student journalist" means a school district student in grades 6 through 12 who gathers, compiles, writes, edits, photographs, records, or otherwise prepares information for dissemination in school-sponsored media.

H. "Student media adviser" means a qualified teacher, as defined in Minnesota Statutes, section 122A.16, that the school district employs, appoints, or designates to supervise student journalists or provide instruction relating to school-sponsored media.

IV. GUIDELINES

A. Except as provided in paragraph B below, a student journalist has the right to exercise freedom of speech and freedom of the press in school-sponsored media regardless of whether the school-sponsored media receives financial support from the school or district, uses school equipment or facilities in its production, or is produced as part of a class or course in which the student journalist is enrolled. Freedom of speech includes freedom to express political viewpoints. Consistent with paragraph B below, a student journalist has the right to determine the news, opinion, feature, and advertising content of school-sponsored media. The school district must not discipline a student journalist for exercising rights or freedoms under this paragraph or the First Amendment of the United States Constitution.

B Student expression in school-sponsored media, a yearbook, or school-sponsored activity is prohibited when the material:

1. is obscene to minors;

2. is defamatory;

3. is profane, harassing, threatening, or intimidating;

4. constitutes an unwarranted invasion of privacy;

5. violates federal or state law;

6. causes a material and substantial disruption of school activities;

7. is directed to inciting or producing imminent lawless action on school premises or the violation of lawful school policies or rules, including a policy adopted in accordance with Minnesota Statutes, section 121A.03 or 121A.031;

8. advertises or promotes any product or service not permitted for minors by law;

9. advocates sexual, racial, or religious harassment or violence or prejudice; or

10. is distributed or displayed in violation of time, place, and manner regulations.

C. The school district must not retaliate or take adverse employment action against a student media adviser for supporting a student journalist exercising rights or freedoms under paragraph A above or the First Amendment of the United States Constitution.

D. Notwithstanding the rights or freedoms of this Article or the First Amendment of the United States Constitution, nothing in this Article inhibits a student media adviser from teaching professional standards of English and journalism to student journalists.

These professional standards may include, but are not limited to, the following:

1. assuring that participants learn whatever lessons the activity is designed to teach;

2. assuring that readers or listeners are not exposed to material that may be inappropriate for their level of maturity;

3. assuring that the views of the individual speaker are not erroneously attributed to the school;

4. assuring that the school is not associated with any position other than neutrality on matters of political controversy;

5. assuring that the sponsored student speech cannot reasonably be perceived to advocate conduct otherwise inconsistent with the shared values of a civilized social order;

6. assuring that the school is not associated with expression that is, for example, ungrammatical, poorly written, inadequately researched, biased or prejudiced, vulgar or profane, or unsuitable for immature audiences.

E. Time, Place, and Manner of Distribution

Students shall be permitted to distribute written materials at school as follows:

1. Time

Distribution shall be limited to the hours before the school day begins, during lunch hour and after school is dismissed.

2. Place

Written materials may be distributed in locations so as not to interfere with the normal flow of traffic within the school hallways, walkways, entry ways, and parking lots. Distribution shall not impede entrance to or exit from school premises in any way.

3. Manner

No one shall induce or coerce a student or staff member to accept a student publication.

V. POSTING

The school district must adopt a student journalist policy consistent with Minnesota Statutes, section 121A.80 and post it on the district website.

Legal References: U. S. Const., amend. I
Morse v. Frederick, 551 U.S. 393 (2007)
Hazelwood School District v. Kuhlmeier, 484 U.S. 260 (1988)
Bystrom v. Fridley High School, I.S.D. No. 14, 822 F. 2d 747 (8th Cir. 1987)
Minn. Stat. § 121A.03 (Model Policy)
Minn. Stat. § 121A.031 (School Student Bullying Policy)
Minn. Stat. § 121A.80 (Student Journalism; Student Expression)

Cross References: MSBA/MASA Model Policy 505 (Distribution of Nonschool-Sponsored Materials on School Premises by Students and Employees)
MSBA/MASA Model Policy 506 (Student Discipline)
MSBA/MASA Model Policy 904 (Distribution of Materials on School District Property by Nonschool Persons)

SCHOOL DISTRICT
Board Policy 513
MACCRAY Public School 2180
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513 STUDENT PROMOTION, RETENTION, AND PROGRAM DESIGN

I. PURPOSE

The purpose of this policy is to provide guidance to professional staff, parents, and students regarding student promotion, retention, and program design.

II. GENERAL STATEMENT OF POLICY

The school board expects all students to achieve at an acceptable level of proficiency. Parental assistance, tutorial and remedial programs, counseling, and other appropriate services shall be coordinated and utilized to the greatest extent possible to help students succeed in school.

A. Promotion

Students who achieve at levels deemed acceptable by local and state standards shall be promoted to the next grade level at the completion of each school year.

B. Retention

Retention of a student may be considered when professional staff and parents feel that it is in the best interest of the student. Physical development, maturity, and emotional factors shall be considered, as well as scholastic achievement. The superintendent's decision shall be final.

C. Program Design

1. The superintendent, with participation of the professional staff and parents, shall develop and implement programs to challenge students that are consistent with the needs of students at every level. A process to assess and evaluate students for program assignment shall be developed in coordination with such programs. Opportunities for special programs and placement outside of the school district shall also be developed as additional options. All programs will be aligned with creating comprehensive achievement and civic readiness.

2. The school district may identify students, locally develop programs and services addressing instructional and affective needs, provide staff development, and evaluate programs to provide gifted and talented students with challenging and appropriate educational programs and services.

3. The school district must adopt guidelines for assessing and identifying students

for participation in gifted and talented programs and services consistent with Minnesota Statutes, section 120B.11. The guidelines should include the use of:

a. multiple objective criteria; and

b. assessments and procedures that are valid and reliable, fair, and based on current theory and research. Assessments and procedures should be sensitive to under-represented groups, including, but not limited to, low-income, minority, twice-exceptional, and English learners.

4. The school district must adopt procedures for the academic acceleration of gifted and talented students. These procedures will include how the school district will:

a. assess a student's readiness and motivation for acceleration; and

b. match the level, complexity, and pace of the curriculum to a student to achieve the best type of academic acceleration for that student.

5. The school district must adopt procedures consistent with Minnesota Statutes, section 124D.02 for early admission to kindergarten or first grade of gifted or talented learners consistent with Minnesota Statutes, section 120B.11, subdivision 2, clause (2). The procedures must be sensitive to underrepresented groups.

Legal References:
Minn. Stat. § 120B.11 (School District Process for Reviewing Curriculum, Instruction, and Student Achievement Goals; Striving for Comprehensive Achievement and Civic Readiness)
Minn. Stat. § 120B.15 (Gifted and Talented Students Program)
Minn. Stat. § 123B.143, Subd. 1 (Superintendent)
Minn. Stat. § 124D.02 (School Board Powers; Enrollment)

Cross References:
MSBA/MASA Model Policy 613 (Graduation Requirements)
MSBA/MASA Model Policy 614 (School District Testing Plan and Procedure)
MSBA/MASA Model Policy 615 (Testing Accommodations, Modifications, and Exemptions for IEPs, Section 504 Plans, and LEP Students)
MSBA/MASA Model Policy 618 (Assessment of Student Achievement)
MSBA/MASA Model Policy 620 (Credit for Learning)
~~MSBA/MASA Model Policy 617 (School District Ensurance of Preparatory and High School Standards)~~

SCHOOL DISTRICT
Board Policy 517
MACCRAY Public School 2180
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517 STUDENT RECRUITING

I. PURPOSE

The purpose of this policy is to prevent school district employees from exerting undue influence for purposes of securing or retaining the attendance of a student in a school.

II. GENERAL STATEMENT OF POLICY

A. It is the policy of the school district to encourage employees to make available to all interested people information regarding the school district, its schools, programs, policies, and procedures. The purpose of such activity is to assist in the process of fully informed decision making regarding school enrollment and to enhance the visibility and image of the school district.

B. At the same time, the school district recognizes that the scope of such activity is limited by statutory authority and bylaws of the Minnesota State High School League. Accordingly, it shall be a violation of this policy for employees to exert undue influence for purposes of securing or retaining the attendance of a student in a school or to compete with another school district for the enrollment of students.

C. Employees are further prohibited from encouraging others to engage in such conduct on behalf of the school district.

III. DEFINITION

A. The terms "undue influence" or "competing for enrollment" shall include initiating any oral or written contact with a student from another school district who participates in a school-sponsored sport or activity which solicits the student's transfer to participate in a sport or activity.

B. The terms shall also include the awarding of tuition, allowance for board and/or room, allowance for transportation, priority in assignments of jobs, cash or gifts in any form, or any other privilege or consideration if not similarly available to all students.

IV. PROCEDURES

A. The school board shall adopt, by resolution, specific standards for acceptance and rejection of applications for open enrollment. Standards may include the capacity of a program, class, school building, or the statutory limits to nonresident enrollment in a

particular grade level, or whether the student is currently expelled for (1) possessing a dangerous weapon, as defined under federal law, at a school or school function; (2) possession or using an illegal drug at school or at a school function; (3) selling or soliciting the sale of a controlled substance while at school or a school function; or committing a first, second or third degree assault as described in state law. Standards for acceptance and rejection of open-enrollment applications are subject to the Graduation Incentives Program and may not include previous academic achievement, athletic or other extracurricular ability, disabling conditions, proficiency in the English language, previous disciplinary proceedings, or the student's district of residence.

B. Employees who violate the provisions of the policy shall be subject to disciplinary action as appropriate. Any such disciplinary action shall be made pursuant to and in accordance with applicable statutory authority, collective bargaining agreements, school district policies, and the bylaws of the Minnesota High School League, as applicable.

Legal References: Minn. Stat. § 124D.03 (Enrollment Options Program)
Minn. Stat. § 124D.68 (Graduation Incentives Program)
Minnesota State High School League Bylaws

Cross References: MSBA/MASA Model Policy 509 (Enrollment of Nonresident Students)

SCHOOL DISTRICT
Board Policy 518
MACCRAY Public School 2180
Original: 1995
Revised: 2003
Reviewed: 2026

~~*Adopted:*~~ ~~*MSBA/MASA Model Policy 518*~~
~~*Orig. 1995*~~
~~*Revised:*~~ ~~*Rev. 2003*~~

518 DNR-DNI ORDERS

I. PURPOSE

The school district recognizes that it is serving students with complex health needs. The school district also recognizes that school district staff may be confronted with requests to withhold emergency care of a student in the event of a life threatening situation at school or school activities or be presented with Do Not Resuscitate/Do Not Intubate (DNR-DNI) orders. The purpose of this policy is to provide guidance to school district staff and parents or guardians in these situations.

II. GENERAL STATEMENT OF POLICY

A. The primary mission of the school district is education. DNR-DNI orders are medical documents. School district staff will not accept or honor requests to withhold emergency care or DNR-DNI orders. The school district will not convey such orders to emergency medical personnel.

B. School district staff will provide reasonable emergency care and assistance when a student is undergoing a medical emergency during school or school activities.

C. School district staff will activate emergency medical services (911) as soon as possible when a student is undergoing a medical emergency during school or school activities.

D. The parent/guardian will be notified of the emergency as soon as possible.

E. Notwithstanding this school district policy, IEP and Section 504 teams must develop individualized medical emergency care plans for students when appropriate in accordance with state and federal law.

F. Parents/guardians who request that emergency care be withheld for their child or who present DNR-DNI orders, shall be advised of and shall be given a copy of this policy.

Legal References: 29 U.S.C. § 794 *et seq.* (Rehabilitation Act of 1973, § 504)
42 U.S.C. §§ 12101-12213 (Americans with Disabilities Act)

Cross References: None

SCHOOL DISTRICT
Board Policy 519
MACCRAY Public School 2180
Original: 1995
Revised: 2002
Reviewed: 2026

~~*Adopted: _____ MSBA/MASA Model Policy 519*~~
~~*Orig. 1995*~~
~~*Revised: _____ Rev. 2025*~~

519 INTERVIEWS OF STUDENTS BY OUTSIDE AGENCIES

I. PURPOSE

There are occasions in which persons other than school district officials and employees find it necessary to speak with a student during the school day. Student safety and disruption of the educational program is of concern to the school district. The purpose of this policy is to establish the procedures for access to students by authorized individuals during the school day.

II. GENERAL STATEMENT OF POLICY

A. Generally, students may not be interviewed during the school day by persons other than a student's parents, school district officials, employees and/or agents, except as otherwise provided by law and/or this policy.

B. Requests from law enforcement officers and those other than a student's parents, school district officials, employees and/or agents to interview students shall be made through the principal's office. Upon receiving a request, it shall be the responsibility of the principal to determine whether the request will be granted. Prior to granting a request, the principal shall attempt to contact the student's parents to inform them of the request, except where otherwise prohibited by law.

III. INTERVIEWS CONDUCTED UNDER THE MALTREATMENT OF MINORS ACT

A. In the case of an investigation pursuant to the Reporting of Maltreatment of Minors Act, Minnesota Statutes, chapter 260E, a local welfare agency, the agency responsible for investigating the report, and a local law enforcement agency may interview, without parental consent, an alleged victim and any minors who currently reside with or who have resided with the alleged perpetrator. The interview may take place at school and during school hours or at any facility or other place where the alleged victim or other children might be found or the child may be transported to, and the interview may be conducted at a place appropriate for the interview of a child designated by the local welfare agency or law enforcement agency. School district officials will work with the local welfare agency, the agency responsible for investigating the report, or law enforcement agency to select a place appropriate for the interview. When it is possible and the report alleges substantial child endangerment or sexual abuse, the interview may take place outside the presence of the alleged offender and may take place prior to any interviews of the alleged offender.

[NOTE: This added language is in Minnesota Statutes, section 260E.22, subdivision 2.]

B. If the interview took place or is to take place on school district property, an order of the juvenile court pursuant to Minnesota Statutes~~, § 626.556, Subd. 10 (c)~~chapter 260E may specify that school district officials may not disclose to the parent, legal custodian, or guardian the contents of the notification of intent to interview the child on school district property and/or any other related information regarding the interview that may be a part of the child's record. The school district official must receive a copy of the order from the local welfare or law enforcement agency.

C. When the local welfare agency, local law enforcement agency, or agency responsible for assessing or investigating a report of maltreatment determines that an interview should take place on school district property, school district officials must receive written notification of intent to interview the child on school district property before the interview. The notification shall include the name of the child to be interviewed, the purpose of the interview, and a reference to the statutory authority to conduct an interview on school district property. For an interview conducted by the local welfare agency, the notification shall be signed by the chair of the local social services agency or the chair's designee. The notification is private educational data on the student. School district officials may not disclose to the parent, legal custodian or guardian the contents of the notification or any other related information regarding the interview until notified in writing by the local welfare or law enforcement agency that the investigation or assessment has been concluded, unless a school employee or agent is alleged to have maltreated the child. Until school district officials receive said notification, all inquiries regarding the nature of the investigation or assessment should be directed to the local welfare or law enforcement agency or the agency responsible for assessing or investigating a report of maltreatment shall be solely responsible for any disclosure regarding the nature of the assessment or investigation.

D. School district officials shall have discretion to reasonably schedule the time, place, and manner of an interview by a local welfare or local law enforcement agency on school district premises. However, where the alleged perpetrator is believed to be a school district official or employee, the local welfare or local law enforcement agency will have discretion to determine where the interview will be held. The interview must be conducted not more than twenty-four (24) hours after the receipt of the notification unless another time is considered necessary by agreement between the school district officials and the local welfare or law enforcement agency. However, school district officials must yield to the discretion of the local welfare or law enforcement agency concerning other persons in attendance at the interview. School district officials will make every effort to reduce the disruption to the educational program of the child, other students, or school staff when an interview is conducted on school district premises.

E. Students shall not be taken from school district property without the consent of the principal and without proper warrant.

Legal References: Minn. Stat. § 13.32 (Educational Data)
Minn. Stat. Ch. 260E (Reporting of Maltreatment of Minors)
~~Minn. Stat. § 626.556, Subd. 10(c) and (d) (Duties of Local Welfare Agency and Local Law Enforcement Agency Upon Receipt of a Report)~~

Cross References: MSBA/MASA Model Policy 103 (Complaints – Students, Employees, Parents, Other Persons)
MSBA/MASA Model Policy 414 (Mandated Reporting of Child Neglect or Physical or Sexual Abuse)
MSBA/MASA Model Policy 515 (Protection and Privacy of Pupil Records)

~~*Adopted: _____*~~ ~~*MSBA/MASA Model Policy 520*~~
~~*Orig. 1995*~~
~~*Revised: _____*~~ ~~*Rev. 2026*~~

520 STUDENT SURVEYS

[NOTE: School districts are required by statute to have a policy addressing student surveys.]

I. PURPOSE

Occasionally, the school district utilizes surveys to obtain student opinions and information about students. The purpose of this policy is to establish the parameters of information that may be sought in student surveys.

II. GENERAL STATEMENT OF POLICY

Student surveys may be conducted as determined necessary by the school district. Surveys, analyses, and evaluations conducted as part of any program funded through the U.S. Department of Education must comply with 20 United States Code, section 1232h.

III. STUDENT SURVEYS IN GENERAL

A. Student surveys will be conducted anonymously and in an indiscernible fashion. No mechanism will be used for identifying the participating student in any way. No attempt will be made in any way to identify a student survey participant. No requirement that the student return the survey shall exist, and no record of the student's returning a survey will be maintained.

B. The superintendent may choose not to approve any survey that seeks probing personal and/or sensitive information that could result in identifying the survey participant, or is discriminatory in nature based on age, race, color, sex, disability, religion, or national origin.

C. Surveys containing questions pertaining to the student's or the student's parent(s) or guardian(s) personal beliefs or practices in sex, family life, morality, and religion will not be administered to any student unless the parent or guardian of the student is notified in writing that such survey is to be administered and the parent or guardian of the student gives written permission for the student to participate or has the opportunity to opt out of the survey depending upon how the survey is funded. Any and all documents containing the written permission of a parent for a student to participate in a survey will be maintained by the school district in a file separate from the survey responses.

D. Although the survey is conducted anonymously, potential exists for personally identifiable information to be provided in response thereto. To the extent that personally

identifiable information of a student is contained in his or her responses to a survey, the school district will take appropriate steps to ensure the data is protected in accordance with Minnesota Statutes, chapter 13 (Minnesota Government Data Practices Act), 20 United States Code, section 1232g (Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act) and 34 Code of Federal Regulations, Part 99.

E. The school district must not impose an academic or other penalty on a student who opts out of participating in a student survey.

IV. STUDENT SURVEYS CONDUCTED AS PART OF DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION PROGRAM

A. All instructional materials, including teacher's manuals, films, tapes, or other supplementary material which will be used in connection with any survey, analysis, or evaluation as part of any program funded in whole or in part by the U.S. Department of Education, shall be available for inspection by the parents or guardians of the students.

B. No student shall be required, as part of any program funded in whole or in part by the U.S. Department of Education, without the prior consent of the student (if the student is an adult or emancipated minor), or, in the case of an unemancipated minor, without the prior written consent of the parent, to submit to a survey, analysis, or evaluation that reveals information concerning:

1. political affiliations or beliefs of the student or the student's parent;

2. mental and psychological problems of the student or the student's family;

3. sex behavior or attitudes;

4. illegal, antisocial, self-incriminating, or demeaning behavior;

5. critical appraisals of other individuals with whom respondents have close family relationships;

6. legally recognized privileged or analogous relationships, such as those of lawyers, physicians, and ministers;

7. religious practices, affiliations, or beliefs of the student or the student's parent; or

8. income (other than that required by law to determine eligibility for participation in a program or for receiving financial assistance under such program).

C. A school district that receives funds under any program funded by the U.S. Department of Education shall develop local policies consistent with Paragraphs IV.A. and IV.B., above, concerning student privacy, parental access to information, and administration of certain physical examinations to minors.

1. The following policies are to be adopted in consultation with parents:

a. The right of a parent of a student to inspect, upon request of the parent, a survey, including an evaluation, created by a third party before the survey is administered or distributed by a school to a student, including any applicable procedures for granting a parent's request for reasonable access to such survey within a reasonable period of time after the request is received.

"Parent" means a legal guardian or other person acting *in loco parentis* (in place of a parent), such as a grandparent or stepparent with whom the student lives, or a person who is legally responsible for the welfare of the student.

b. Arrangements to protect student privacy in the event of the administration or distribution of a survey to a student, including an evaluation, to a student which contains one or more of the items listed in Paragraph IV.B., above, including the right of a parent of a student to inspect, upon request of the parent, any such survey.

c. The right of a parent of a student to inspect, upon request of the parent, any instructional material used as part of the educational curriculum for the student and any applicable procedures for granting a request by a parent for reasonable access to instructional material within a reasonable period of time after the request is received.

"Instructional material" means instructional content that is provided to a student, regardless of format, including printed or representational materials, audio-visual materials, and materials in electronic or digital formats (such as materials accessible through the Internet). The term does not include academic tests or academic assessments.

d. The administration of physical examinations or screenings that the school district may administer to a student. This provision does not apply to a survey administered to a student in accordance with the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 United States Code, section 1400, *et seq.*).

e. The collection, disclosure, or use of personal information collected from students for the purpose of marketing or for selling that information (or otherwise providing the information to others for that purpose), including arrangements to protect student privacy that are provided by the school district in the event of such collection, disclosure, or use.

(1) "Personal information" means individually identifiable information including a student or parent's first and last name; a home or other physical address (including street name and the name of the city or town); a telephone number; or a Social Security identification number.

(2) This provision does not apply to the collection, disclosure, or use of personal information collected from students for the exclusive purpose of developing, evaluating, or providing educational products or services for, or to, students or educational institutions, such as:

(a) college or other postsecondary education recruitment or military recruitment;

(b) book clubs, magazines, and programs providing access to low-cost literary products;

(c) curriculum and instructional materials used by

elementary and secondary schools;

(d) tests and assessments used by elementary schools and secondary schools to provide cognitive, evaluative, diagnostic, clinical, aptitude, or achievement information about students (or to generate other statistically useful data for the purpose of securing such tests and assessments) and the subsequent analysis and public release of the aggregate data from such tests and assessments;

(e) the sale by students of products or services to raise funds for school-related or education-related activities; and

(f) student recognition programs.

(3) The right of a parent to inspect, on request, any instrument used in the collection of information, as described in Subparagraph IV.C.1.e., above, before the instrument is administered or distributed to a student and procedures for granting a request by a parent for reasonable access to such an instrument within a reasonable period of time after the request is received.

2. The policies adopted under Subparagraph IV.C.1., above, shall provide for reasonable notice of the adoption or continued use of such policies directly to parents of students enrolled in or served by the school district.

a. The notice will be provided at least annually, at the beginning of the school year, and within a reasonable period of time after any substantive change in a policy.

b. The notice will provide parents with an opportunity to opt out of participation in the following activities:

(1) Activities involving the collection, disclosure, or use of personal information collected from students for the purpose of marketing or for selling that information, or otherwise providing that information to others for that purpose.

(2) The administration of any third-party survey (non-Department of Education funded) containing one or more of the items contained in Paragraph IV.B., above.

(3) Any nonemergency, invasive physical examination or screening that is required as a condition of attendance, administered by the school and scheduled by the school in advance, and not necessary to protect the immediate health and safety of the student or other students.

"Invasive physical examination" means any medical examination that involves the exposure of private body parts, or any act during such examination that includes incision, insertion, or injection into the body, but does not include a hearing, vision, or scoliosis screening.

c. The notice will advise students of the specific or approximate dates during the school year when the activities in Subparagraph IV.C.2.b., above, are scheduled, or expected to be scheduled.

d. The notice provisions shall not be construed to preempt applicable provisions of state law that require parental notification and do not apply to any physical examination or screening that is permitted or required by applicable state law, including physical examinations or screenings that are permitted without parental notification.

V. NOTICE

A. The school district must give parents and students direct notice of this policy at the beginning of each school year and after making substantive changes to this policy.

B. The school district must inform parents at the beginning of the school year if the district or school has identified specific or approximate dates for administering surveys and give parents reasonable notice of planned surveys scheduled after the start of the school year. The school district must give parents direct, timely notice when their students are scheduled to participate in a student survey by United States mail, e-mail, or another direct form of communication.

C. The school district must give parents the opportunity to review the survey and to opt their students out of participating in the survey.

Legal References:
Minn. Stat. Ch. 13 (Minnesota Government Data Practices Act)
Minn. Stat. § 121A.065 (District Surveys to Collect Student Information; Parent Notice and Opportunity for Opting Out)
20 U.S.C. § 1232g (Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act)
20 U.S.C. § 1232h (Protection of Pupil Rights)
34 C.F.R. § 99 (Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act Regulations)
Gonzaga University v. Doe, 536 U.S. 273 (2002)
C.N. v. Ridgewood Bd. of Educ., 430 F.3d. 159 (3rd Cir. 2005)
Fields v. Palmdale School Dist., 427 F.3d. 1197 (9th Cir. 2005)

Cross References:
MSBA/MASA Model Policy 515 (Protection and Privacy of Pupil Records)
MSBA/MASA Model Policy 521 (Student Disability Nondiscrimination)
MSBA/MASA Model Policy 522 (Title IX Sex Nondiscrimination, Grievance Procedure and Process)

Resources:
U.S. Department of Education, *Family Educational Rights Privacy Act (FERPA)* (accessed 11/03/25)
U.S. Department of Education, *Protection of Pupil Rights Amendment (PPRA)* (accessed 11/03/25)

~~*Adopted: _____*~~ ~~*MSBA/MASA Model Policy 521*~~
~~*Orig. 1995*~~
~~*Revised: _____*~~ ~~*Rev. 2026*~~

521 STUDENT DISABILITY NONDISCRIMINATION

[NOTE: School districts are required by statute to have a policy addressing these issues.]

I. PURPOSE

The purpose of this policy is to protect students with disabilities from discrimination on the basis of disability and to identify and evaluate learners who, within the intent of Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 (Section 504), need services, accommodations, or programs in order that such learners may receive a free appropriate public education.

II. GENERAL STATEMENT OF POLICY

A. Students with disabilities who meet the criteria of Paragraph C. below are protected from discrimination on the basis of a disability.

B The responsibility of the school district is to identify and evaluate learners who, within the intent of Section 504, need services, accommodations, or programs in order that such learners may receive a free appropriate public education.

C. For this policy, a learner who is protected under Section 504 is one who:

1. has a physical or mental impairment that substantially limits one or more of such person's major life activities; or

2. has a record of such an impairment;

3. is regarded as having such an impairment; or

4. has an impairment that is episodic or in remission and would materially limit a major life activity when active.

D. Learners may be protected from disability discrimination and be eligible for services, accommodations, or programs under the provisions of Section 504 even though they are not eligible for special education pursuant to the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act.

E. Failure to engage in the process to determine if a reasonable accommodation exists that would allow people with disabilities as defined in Minnesota Statutes, section 363A.03, subdivision 12, to participate fully in education may be an unfair discriminatory practice under the Minnesota Human Rights Act.

III. COORDINATOR

Persons who have questions or comments should contact Allison Frikke or ~~Sarah Macht~~ Drew Dahlke, 504 Coordinators, 711 Wolverine Drive, Clara City, 320-847-2154. This person is the school district's Americans with Disabilities Act/Section 504 coordinator. Persons who wish to make a complaint regarding a disability discrimination matter may use the accompanying Student Disability Discrimination Grievance Report Form. The form should be given to the ADA/Section 504 coordinator.

Legal References: Minn. Stat. § 363A.03, Subd. 12 (Definitions)
Minn. Stat. § 363A.02, Subd. 1 (Public Policy)
42 U.S.C. Ch. 126 (Equal Opportunity for Individuals with Disabilities)
29 U.S.C. § 794 *et seq.* (Rehabilitation Act of 1973, § 504)
34 C.F.R. Part 104 (Section 504 Implementing Regulations)

Cross References: MSBA/MASA Model Policy 402 (Disability Nondiscrimination)

November 2026 Activities Director Report

1. Please approve the following Activity Supervisors and Coaches.

Dance	Keyanna Peterson	Assistant/JV

The numbers for Dance: 12 for MACCRAY and 6 for RCW

2. Please try to attend one of the musical performances of “Annie”. Performances will be on Friday, November 13th at 7:00, Saturday, November 14th at 7:00 & Sunday, November 15th at 2:00.
3. The volleyball team made it to the Subsection finals at SMSU but lost to Minneota 0-3.
4. The cross-country team completed their season at the Section Tournament in Madison. Connor Iverson placed 5th and is going to State.
5. The football team avenged an earlier loss to Lakeview and beat them in the 1st round of playoffs. They played at Minneota on Saturday Oct. 31st. They lost.
6. Some winter activities have started practicing. Starting dates were/are.
    i. Dance - started on October 26
    ii. JH BBB - started on Nov. 4th
    iii. Girls BB - November 16th
    iv. Boys BB - November 23rd
    v. Wrestling - November 23rd
    vi. Gymnastics - November

7. Math League practices have begun. At this time, Mr. Olson has around 15-20 students signed up.
8. Knowledge Bowl started on Nov. 3rd. At this time we do not know how many students are interested.

November, 9 (2026) School Board Meeting
MACCRAY Elementary School



Mr. Todd Bertram PK-5 Principal

- Quarter #1
  - Positive feedback on hosting conferences at the end of quarter #1.
  - We had a great turnout for parent-teacher conferences, with over 80% of our families attending.

- PBIS / Wolverine Way
  - Pride tickets: 883
  - Referrals: 20
  - Nov. 25th: Wolverine Way Assembly

- Events of the Month
  - Fire Prevention Week (10-05/10-09)
  - Indigenous Peoples Day (10-12)
  - Unity Day (10-21)
  - 3rd Grade to the Willmar Orchestra (10-23)
  - Book Fair (26th-31st)
  - Fall Party (10-29)
  - Parent-Teacher conferences (10-30)

- Upcoming Events
  - 11-11 Veteran's Day program
  - 11-25 Wolverine Way Assembly
  - 11-24 / 11-30 Thanksgiving Break

MACCRAY WOLVERINES SCHOOL BOARD UPDATE

November 6, 2026

GOAL:

The environment of the MACCRAY School District will be safe, nurturing, and professional.

School Board Election

Congratulations to Deb, John, and Mark on their re-election to the MACCRAY School Board. MACCRAY is fortunate to have dedicated board members who represent our communities and work together to make decisions that positively impact our students and district.

School Facilities

We are meeting at 4:30 on November 9th to finish paperwork on the sale of the Maynard property.

Minnesota Department of Education (MDE)

From MDE:

The Minnesota Department of Education (MDE) is required by federal law to make annual determinations under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA) regarding the performance of each Local Educational Agency (LEA).

Part B determinations reported by MDE for FFY2024 are based on information gathered during the 2024-2025 school year. Additional information including the specific data used and how points are assigned can be found on the District Collaboration SharePoint site under District Determination. The document also explains how the determination status is calculated as well as required actions for each status level.

The FFY 2024 Part B Determination Status for MACCRAY School District 2180-01 is: Meets Requirements

The following table reflects the point values for each data component for MACCRAY School District 2180-01.

Data	Points
Indicator 2: Dropout	0
Indicator 4B: Suspension/Expulsion	0

Data	Points
Indicator 9: Disproportionate Representation	0
Indicator 10: Disproportionate Representation	0
Indicator 11: Child Find	1
Indicator 12: Early Childhood Transition	0
Indicator 13: Secondary Transition	1
Timely Correction: CAPs	0
Timely Correction: Student Records	0
Complaint Findings	0
Audit Findings	0
Bonus Points	1
Total Determination Points	**1**

MDE commends the district for its performance in these areas. We are committed to supporting your efforts to improve results for children with disabilities and will continue our efforts to help build staff capacity and to provide technical assistance.

Sincerely,

Rebecca Nesset
Program Monitoring Supervisor
Division of Special Education

Quarter 1 Completed

We have successfully completed the first quarter of the school year. As we begin Quarter 2, running from November 2 through January 14, this is a natural opportunity to revisit expectations, reflect on our progress, and identify areas where we can continue to improve.

Administration, the dean, school counselors, and teachers continue to work together to support students who may need additional assistance or schedule adjustments to help ensure their success.

Briggs & Motley Fall Craft Fair

The Briggs & Motley Fall Craft Fair once again will bring thousands of visitors to the area, providing a significant benefit to our local communities and businesses.

Thank you to Kati Hess for helping coordinate the event and to Noel and the custodial team for their outstanding work preparing the building and managing the additional responsibilities. Hosting an event of this size requires significant planning and coordination, and everyone is ready to do a great job.

Palmer Bus Visit

Jenna Fromm, CEO of Palmer Bus, visited MACCRAY to hear our perspectives, questions, and concerns. We appreciate her willingness to meet with us and continue the conversation about our transportation services and student safety.

Vision and Hearing Screenings

Thank you to Nurse Dona for coordinating and completing our student vision and hearing screenings. These screenings are an important part of identifying potential concerns and helping ensure students have the support they need to succeed in the classroom.

Winter Weather Preparedness

As we approach the winter months, we are preparing for potential inclement weather and reviewing our communication procedures.

I am working with Mr. Wheatley and Mr. Bertram to ensure we are prepared to make weather-related decisions and communicate them effectively to families, staff, and the community. We are also reviewing our plans for implementing eLearning days if needed.

We will update our radio and television contacts to ensure accurate and timely communication when weather-related schedule changes occur. I also attended a National Weather Service in-service led by Peter Rogers from Sioux Falls, South Dakota, to strengthen our understanding of winter weather conditions and preparedness.

Abstract of Votes Cast
Independent School District No. 2180 (MACCRAY)
State of Minnesota
at the State General Election
Held Tuesday, November 3, 2026

Compiled from the Official Returns.

Summary of Totals
Independent School District No. 2180 (MACCRAY)
Tuesday, November 3, 2026 State General Election

KEY TO PARTY ABBREVIATIONS

NP - Nonpartisan

School Board Member District 2 (ISD #2180)

NP	WI
John Hagemeyer	WRITE-IN
324	5

School Board Member District 4 (ISD #2180)

NP	WI
Mark Kasella	WRITE-IN
273	4

School Board Member District 5 (ISD #2180)

NP	WI
Debi Brandt	WRITE-IN
289	10

Detail of Election Results
Independent School District No. 2180 (MACCRAY)
Tuesday, November 3, 2026 State General Election

Office Title: School Board Member District 2 (ISD #2180)

Precinct	NP John Hagemeyer	WI WRITE-IN
12 0010 : CLARA CITY	44	1
12 0030 : GRANITE FALLS TWP P-1	10	0
12 0065 : MAYNARD	123	1
12 0120 : STONEHAM TWP	107	3
65 0175 : WANG TWP.	40	0
Total:	**324**	**5**

Office Title: School Board Member District 4 (ISD #2180)

Precinct	NP Mark Kasella	WI WRITE-IN
12 0010 : CLARA CITY	169	3
12 0105 : RHEIDERLAND TWP	104	1
Total:	**273**	**4**

Office Title: School Board Member District 5 (ISD #2180)

Precinct	NP Debi Brandt	WI WRITE-IN
12 0100 : RAYMOND	0	0
34 0135 : RAYMOND	289	10
Total:	**289**	**10**

We, the school board members of Independent School District No. 2180 (MACCRAY), certify that we have canvassed the returns of the State General Election held on Tuesday, November 3, 2026 and have herein specified the names of any candidates receiving votes and the number of votes received by each candidate, and have herein specified the number of votes for and against any ballot questions voted on in this election.

As appears by the returns of the election precincts voting in this election, duly returned to, filed, opened, and canvassed, and now remaining on file in the office of the clerk of Independent School District No. 2180 (MACCRAY).

Witness our official signature at _____ in _____ County this _____ day of _____, 2026.

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School Board Member

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School Board Member

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School Board Member

State of Minnesota
Independent School District No. 2180 (MACCRAY)

I, _____, Clerk of the Independent School District No. 2180 (MACCRAY) do hereby certify the within and foregoing _____ pages to be a full and correct copy of the original abstract and return of the votes cast in the Independent School District No. 2180 (MACCRAY) State General Election held on Tuesday, November 3, 2026.

Witness my hand and official seal of office this _____ day of _____, 2026.

_____

Member _____ introduced the following Resolution and moved for its adoption:

RESOLUTION CANVASSING RETURNS
OF VOTES OF SCHOOL DISTRICT GENERAL ELECTION

BE IT RESOLVED by the School Board of Independent School District No.2180, as follows:

1. It is hereby found, determined and declared that the general election of the voters of the district held on November 3, 2026, was in all respects duly and legally called and held.

2. As specified in the attached Abstract and Return of Votes Cast, a total of _905__ voters of the district voted at said election on the election of (three) school board members for four year term vacancies on the board caused by expiration of term on the first Monday in January next following the general election as follows:

District 2,	John Hagemeyer	__324_
	Write-in	___5__
District 4,	Mark Kasella	__273_
	Write-in	___4__
District 5,	Debi Brandt	_289__
	Write-in	__10__

3. Candidates __Hagemeyer___, _Kasella__, and __Brandt__ , having received the highest number of votes, are elected to four year terms and will be sworn in to office at the School Board Meeting which will be held on January 11, 2027.

4. The school district clerk is hereby authorized to certify the results of the election to the county auditor of each county in which the school district is located in whole or in part.

The motion for the adoption of the foregoing Resolution was duly seconded by _____ and upon vote being taken thereon the following voted in favor thereof:

And the following voted against the same:

Where upon said Resolution was declared duly _____ and _____.

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING ISSUANCE OF
CERTIFICATES OF ELECTION AND DIRECTING
SCHOOL DISTRICT CLERK TO PERFORM OTHER
ELECTION RELATED DUTIES

Motion by _____

WHEREAS, the board has canvassed the general election for school board members held on November 3, 2026.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the School Board of Independent School District No. 2180 (MACCRAY Schools), State of Minnesota, as follows:

1. The chair and clerk are hereby authorized to execute certificates of election on behalf of the school board of Independent School District No. 2180, to the following candidates:

   a. John Hagemeyer
   b. Mark Kasella
   c. Debi Brandt

who have received a sufficiently large number of votes to be elected to fill vacancies on the board caused by expiration of term on the first Monday in January next following the election, based on the results of the canvass.

2. The certificate of election shall be in substantially the form attached hereto .

3. After the time for contesting the election has passed and the candidate has filed all campaign financial reports required by Minnesota Statutes, Chapter 211A, the clerk of the school board is hereby directed to deliver the certificates to the persons entitled thereto personally or by certified mail.

4. The clerk is hereby directed to enclose with the certificate a form of acceptance of office and oath of office in substantially the form attached hereto.

The motion for the adoption of the foregoing Resolution was duly seconded by _____ and upon vote being taken thereon the following voted in favor thereof:

And the following voted against the same:

Where upon said Resolution was declared duly _____ and _____.

	EOY	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	EOY
Pre-K	76	77	77	76							
K	46	49	49	49							
1	45	49	49	49							
2	45	47	47	47							
3	60	45	45	45							
4	56	59	58	58							
5	53	58	58	58							
K-5 Subtota	305	307	306	306	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
eK-5 Subto	381	384	383	382	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
6	61	56	56	56							
7	64	59	60	60							
8	67	65	64	64							
9	61	69	69	69							
10	49	60	60	60							
11	45	48	47	47							
12	55	44	43	42							
Subtotal	402	401	399	398	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
K-12 Total	707	708	705	704	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
P-12 Total	783	785	782	780	0	0	0	0	0	0	0