INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT #624



SCHOOL BOARD AGENDA

September 14, 2009

MISSION STATEMENT

THE MISSION OF THE WHITE BEAR LAKE AREA SCHOOL DISTRICT IS TO PROVIDE A HIGH-QUALITY EDUCATIONAL EXPERIENCE FOR ALL LEARNERS.

To accomplish our mission we believe that a high-quality educational Experience must:

- be in partnership with the community;
- take place in a safe, supportive, and challenging environment;
- develop lifelong learners;
- allow each learner to reach full potential;
- encourage each learner to be a contributing member of a global society.

Approved by White Bear Lake Area School Board on July 7, 1994

The White Bear Lake Area School District leading...
minds to learning,
hearts to compassion,
lives to community service.

INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 624 WHITE BEAR LAKE, MN 55110

To: Members of the School Board

From: Dr. Michael J. Lovett

Superintendent of Schools

Date: September 9, 2009

A meeting of the White Bear Lake Area School Board will be held on **Monday, September 14, 2009** at 7:00 p.m. in Room 112 at District Center, 4855 Bloom Avenue, White Bear Lake, MN.

AGENDA

A. PROCEDURAL ITEMS

- 1. Call to Order
- 2. Roll Call
- 3. Pledge of Allegiance
- 4. Approve Agenda
- 5. Consent Agenda page 1
 - a) Approval of Minutes pages 2 7
 - b) Payment of Invoices pages 8 44
 - c) Correspondence
 - d) Acceptance of Gifts pages 45 46
 - e) Approve Field Trips pages 47 48
 - f) Terminations Retirements Resignations pages 49 50
 - g) Leaves of Absence pages 50 51
 - h) New Personnel pages 52 56

B. PUBLIC FORUM

During the Public Forum any person may address the School Board on a topic of interest or concern. Listed below are the procedures for Public Forum.

- 1. Public Forum will follow the Procedural Items on the agenda.
- 2. Public Forum will be open for 30 minutes (4 minutes per speaker, 10 minutes per topic, and no more than 3 speakers per topic as a general rule). Comments should be brief, and repetition of other public comments should be avoided.
- 3. Those wishing to address the Board should fill out a card to be turned into the Clerk.
- 4. Ouestions may be asked on any topic, excluding those on the agenda.
- 5. An attempt will be made to answer questions. In those cases where an answer is not available or is not possible to give that evening, a phone call from someone in the administration will be made as a follow-up.
- 6. A handout on the purpose of School Board meetings and the meeting process is available.
- 7. Citizens may be asked to address the school board on a particular subject during the discussion of that item.

8. The Chair will attempt to reasonably honor requests to speak, but shall also exercise discretion to recognize time restraints and may limit the number of such presentations accordingly.

C. INFORMATION ITEMS

- 1. Opening School Report page 57
 - a. Summary/Highlights of August Workshops
 - b. Opening School Enrollment
 - c. New Staff Profile
 - d. Highlights of Summer Facility Projects
- 2. Presentation of ASBO and GFOA Awards page 58
- 3. Superintendent's Report page 59

D. DISCUSSION ITEMS

1. First Reading on Policy 412, Expense Reimbursement - pages 60 - 63

E. OPERATIONAL ITEMS

- 1. Action on Approval of 2009 Payable 2010 Proposed Property Tax Levy page 64
- 2. Resolution Appointing Election Judges for the November 3, 2009 School District General Election pages 65 69
- 3. Action on Policy 705, Investments pages 70 76
- 4. Action on 410, Medical and Family Leaves pages 77 85

F. BOARD FORUM

G. ADJOURNMENT

A. PROCEDURAL ITEMS

Consent Agenda Item A-5 September 14, 2009 School Board Meeting

AGENDA ITEM: Consent Agenda

MEETING DATE: September 14, 2009

SUGGESTED DISPOSITION: Procedural Items

CONTACT PERSON(S): Dr. Michael J. Lovett, Superintendent

Consent Agenda

- a) Approval of Minutes
- b) Payment of Invoices
- c) Correspondence
- d) Acceptance of Gifts
- e) Field Trip Request(s)
- f) Terminations Retirements Resignations
- g) Leaves of Absence
- h) New Personnel

RECOMMENDATION:

Approve the items listed on the Consent Agenda.

Consent Agenda Item A-5(a) September 14, 2009 School Board Meeting

AGENDA ITEM:

School Board Minutes

MEETING DATE:

September 14, 2009

SUGGESTED DISPOSITION:

Consent Agenda

CONTACT PERSON(S):

Cathy Storey, School Board Clerk

Background:

The School Board minutes from last month's meeting are being presented for approval by the School Board.

Recommendation: Approve the minutes.

UNAPPROVED INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 624 WHITE BEAR LAKE, MN 55110

A meeting of the White Bear Lake Area School Board was held on Monday, August 10, 2009 at 7:00 p.m. in Room 112 at District Center, 4855 Bloom Avenue, White Bear Lake, MN

A. PROCEDURAL ITEMS

- 1. Chair Larson called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.
- 2. Roll Call- Present: Kimball, Larson, Newberg, Parsons, Storey, Swanson

Absent: Hiniker Ex-Officio: Lovett

Cabinet: Present - Daniels, Guenther, Swanson, Thelen, Willcoxon

- 3. Pledge of Allegiance
- Seating of Student Representative The Board and Dr. Lovett welcomed Colleen Wood, senior at White Bear Lake South Campus as our new Student Representative to the School Board for the 2009-10 school year. Derek Stewart is our Alternate Student Representative. Derrick is also a Senior at South Campus.
- 5. Motion by Newberg and seconded by Swanson to approve the agenda as presented. *Voice* vote: all ayes. Motion carried.
- 6. Motion by Parsons and seconded by Storey to approve the consent agenda consisting of:
 - Approval of minutes of regular meeting of July13;
 - Payment of invoices based on a random sample, all of which met the standards and guidelines as set by the Board;
 - Passage of resolution regarding acceptance of gifts with thank you letters directed to the donors;
 - Approve field trips;
 - Passage of resolution to approve personnel issues to include:
 - ➤ Resignations Classified Staff:
 - o Marc Reynolds, Pupil Support Assistant, effective date: 6/12/09
 - Resignations Certified Staff
 - o Jon Hopkins, Communications Teacher, effective date: 6/12/09
 - o Theresa Wilson, Secondary Business Education Teacher, effective date: 6/12/09
 - Part-Time Leave Request Professional Staff
 - o Andrea Wildman-Hilal, Adult Enrichment Coordinator, effective date: 8/1/09
 - Part-Time Leave Request Certified Staff
 - o Karla Lauerman Cummins, Social Studies Teacher, effective date: 2009-10 school year
 - Change in Part-time Leave Request Certified Staff
 - o Peter Pitman, Social Studies Teacher, from a .10 leave to a .30 leave (.70 position), effective date: 2009-10 school year
 - Tracy Presseller, Special Education Teacher, from a .40 leave to a .20 leave (.80 position), effective date: 2009-10 school year

Changes in Continuing Contract – Certified Staff for the 2009-10 school year

- o Sara Cohen, Vocal Music Teacher, Secondary, from a .80 f.t.e. to .90 f.t.e.
- o Nicole McGarthwaite (Rydel), Social Studies Teacher, from a .80 f.t.e. to a 1.00 f.t.e.
- o Stacey Millikan, Language Arts Teacher, from a .50 f.t.e. to a .90 f.t.e.
- ➤ New Personnel Classified Staff
 - o Ruth Desigratins, Nurse Para, Birch Lake Elementary, effective date: 9/8/09
 - o Michael Glaeser, Pupil Support Assistant, Central Middle School, effective date: 9/8/09
 - Michelle Hubbard, Scheduling Secretary, Sunrise Park Middle School, effective date: 8/11/09
- ➤ Rehire from Termination Certified Staff
 - o Jacob Norby, .60 DAPE/Phy. Ed./Health Teacher, effective 2009-10 school vear
 - o Angela Tucker, .60 Language Arts Teacher, effective 2009-10 school year
- ➤ New Personnel Certified Staff for the 2009-10 school year
 - o Abigail Case, Grade 5 Teacher, Oneka Elementary
 - o Shannon Fulton, Grade 1, Lakeaires Elementary
 - o Jessica Hosmer, .7 Kindergarten/Learning Skills Teacher, Vadnais Heights Elementary
 - o Daniel Peace, .8 Science Teacher, Sunrise Park Middle School
 - o Kirsten Plude, .4 Spanish Teacher, Parkview Elementary
 - o Marc Reynolds, Special Education Teacher, Lincoln Elementary
 - o Abby Tuckner, Grade 2, Oneka Elementary
- **B. PUBLIC FORUM** No one spoke at the Public Forum.

C. INFORMATION ITEMS

- 1. Superintendent's Report Dr. Lovett provided the following update:
 - Thanks to all of the families and community members who stopped by the District's Marketfest booth these past weeks. Administration, staff and School Board members enjoyed visiting with everyone.
 - The 2009-2010 Activities Calendar will be mailed to District families in August. Community members may request a copy of the calendar be mailed to their home via the District Web site.
 - School information to help prepare for school starting this September may be found on the District Web site and includes: Registration forms, school supply lists and start and end times, school opening event information and the free and reduced lunch program. Bus cards should be arriving in homes the week of August 24.

D. DISCUSSION ITEMS

1. First Reading of Policy 705, Investments - Mr. Pete Willcoxon, Executive Director of Business Services provided background on this policy. The changes recommended are consistent with those recommended by the Minnesota School Boards Association (MSBA) and the District Finance Committee.

- First Reading of Policy 412, Expense Reimbursement Policy has been reviewed by the School Board Policy Committee. The changes recommended are consistent with those recommended by MSBA and common practices in other school districts. This policy will require the administration to develop specific administrative procedures to implement this policy.
- 3. First Reading of Policy 410, Medical and Family Leaves Policy has been reviewed by the School Board Policy Committee. The changes recommended are consistent with those recommended by MSBA.
- 4. Legislative Changes to Truth in Taxation Process Legislative changes, enacted during this past session, have eliminated the requirement for school districts to conduct a separate meeting called the Truth and Taxation Hearing. This major change requires that a school district announce the time and place of its subsequent regularly scheduled meeting at which the budget and levy will be discussed and at which the public will be allowed speak. The new schedule will include: September 14, 2009, School Board will certify the proposed property tax levy and set December 14, 2009 as the date for the Truth in Taxation Hearing. It will be part of the School Board agenda that evening. November 11-24, county auditors mail parcel-specific notices to property owners within the School District. December 14, 2009, Truth in Taxation information will be presented. The School Board will adopt the certified property tax levy payable 2010 as an operation item on the regular Board agenda.

E. OPERATIONAL ITEMS

- 1. Kimball motioned and Newberg seconded to approve acceptance of 3M Grant to be used for implementing Project Lead the Way. *Roll call vote: all ayes Kimball, Larson, Newberg, Parsons, Storey, Swanson. Motion carried.*
- 2. Parsons motioned and Storey seconded to approve the contract for the location of AWARE Program and the Transition Plus Program. Roll call vote: all ayes Kimball, Larson, Newberg, Parsons, Storey, Swanson. Motion carried.
- 3. Swanson motioned and Kimball seconded to approve the participation of the White Bear Lake Area School District in a membership with the Association of Metropolitan School Districts (AMSD) on a trial basis for the 2009-10 school year. Roll call vote: all ayes Kimball, Larson, Newberg, Parsons, Storey, Swanson. Motion carried.
- 4. Newberg motioned and Swanson seconded to take formal action to approve the named Compliance Officers. Roll call vote: all ayes Kimball, Larson, Newberg, Parsons, Storey, Swanson. Motion carried.
- 5. Parsons motioned and Storey seconded to approve the restructuring of the Special Education Leadership Model, which would eliminate one special education coordinator position beginning in the 2009-10 school year and the addition of one special education supervisor position effective for the 2009-10 school year. Roll call vote: all ayes Kimball, Larson, Newberg, Parsons, Storey, Swanson. Motion carried.

F. BOARD FORUM

- Swanson advised that the White Bear Lake Area Educational Foundation's annual Gala will be held on October 9 at Jimmy's in Vadnais Heights. Sponsorship and donation opportunities are still available. More information is available via the WBLAEF's Web site or via a link from the District Web site.
- Kimball encouraged all to attend their White Bear Lake school reunions as he thoroughly enjoyed recently attending his own.
- G. ADJOURNMENT Parsons moved, Larson seconded to adjourn the meeting at 7:28 p.m.

Submitted by: Cathy Storey

INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 624 WHITE BEAR LAKE, MN 55110

A work-study session of the White Bear Lake Area School Board was held on Monday, August 24, 2009, at 5:30 p.m. in Room 201 at the District Center, 4855 Bloom Avenue, White Bear Lake, MN.

A. PROCEDURAL ITEMS

Call To Order - Larson called the meeting to order at 5:40 p.m.

Roll Call – Present: Hiniker, Kimball, Larson, Newberg, Parsons, Storey, Swanson

Ex-Officio - Lovett

Cabinet - Daniels, Guenther, Moore, Swanson, Thelen, Willcoxon

Communications - Vette

B. DISCUSSION ITEM

- Superintendent/School Board Goals for 2009-10 Dr. Lovett provided suggested
 categories of potential goals for the upcoming school year. These included:
 Measures of Student Success, Long Range Facility Needs, Financial Stewardship,
 Communications and Marketing Plan, Strategic Planning and Operational
 Improvements. Board members discussed and provided feedback related to the
 above.
- 2. Review of Strategic Committees for 2009-10 Dr. Lovett provided Strategic Committees proposed for this next school year. These include: Long Range Facility Use, Elementary Program Enrichment and Options, Student Activities Audit, Technology Audit and District/School Improvement Plan. Board members discussed and provided feedback related to the above.
- 3. Anticipated Enrollment and Class Sizes for 2009-10 Pete Willcoxon, Executive Director of Business Services and Dr. Jill Thelen, Director of Schools, provided an overview of enrollment for the upcoming school year. Official counts are not made until October 1, but the current overall numbers show a slight decrease across K-12. These numbers will continue to change.
- 4. Negotiations Study Session Marv Swanson, Human Resources Manager, reviewed the status of labor negotiations with the Board.
- C. ADJOURNMENT Parsons moved; Larson seconded to adjourn the meeting at 7:45 p.m. Voice vote: *All ayes. Motion carried.*

Submitted by: Cathy Storey, Clerk

Consent Agenda Item A-5(b) September 14, 2009 School Board Meeting

AGENDA ITEM:

Monthly Check Registers

MEETING DATE:

September 14, 2009

SUGGESTED DISPOSITION:

Consent Agenda

CONTACT PERSON(S):

Pete Willcoxon Sr., Executive Director of Business Services

Mary Vaske, Accountant

Background:

Enclosed in this packet are the monthly check registers for the previous period.

Recommendation:

Administration recommends that the Board approve the payments itemized in the check registers.

White Bear Lake Area Schools Electronic Transfers - August

	8/14/2009	8/31/2009
Direct Deposit 246032-246538	412,481.26	
U.S. Treasury (FICA, Medicare, withholding)	134,868.12	
MN State Income Tax	21,754.08	
WI State Income Tax	985.28	
PERA	40,480.09	
TRA	24,667.36	
ING	1,890.99	
Direct Deposit 246539-247016		375,834.35
U.S. Treasury (FICA, Medicare, withholding)		121,959.46
MN State Income Tax		19,709.46
WI State Income Tax		773.01
PERA		41,949.89
TRA		21,119.32
ING		1,890.99
Extended Day Association		638.20

Check Summary

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	AARP DRIVER SAFETY PROGRAM	09/03/2009	176.00
	ADAMS LINDA	09/03/2009	115.01
	ADVANCED DISTRIBUTING INC	09/03/2009	3,982.99
	AMAZON	09/03/2009	70.63
	AMERICAN MESSAGING	09/03/2009	188.85
	AMERICAN RED CROSS	09/03/2009	817.75
	AMSTERDAM PRINTING & LITHO	09/03/2009	193.24
	ANDOVER HIGH SCHOOL	09/03/2009	200.00
	ASSOC FOR SUPERVISION & CURRIC		89.00
	AT & T MOBILITY	09/03/2009	1,419.00
	BABIASH, JENNIFER MAE	09/03/2009	22.95
		09/03/2009	127.00
353565	BAHR, PETER BARCO PRODUCTS CO	09/03/2009	626.50
	BILL WEIGEL SIGNS	09/03/2009	655.00
	BLICK ART MATERIALS	09/03/2009	41.28
	BOMI INTERNATIONAL	09/03/2009	585.00
	BRAKE & EQUIPMENT WAREHOUSE, I		151.95
	BUTTERS CRYSTAL	09/03/2009	160.57
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	CATES, TAMMY J	09/03/2009	80.84
353574	CCP INDUSTRIES INC	09/03/2009	256.14
353575	CDW GOVERNMENT INC	09/03/2009	278.92
	CERTIFIED LABORATORIES	09/03/2009	1,356.04
	CHARPENTIER, DEBORAH A	09/03/2009	73.43
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	CJ DUFFY PAPER CO	09/03/2009	1,618.38
	CONSTRUCTION MANAGEMENT BUILDI		13,224.00
	COPY IMAGES INC	09/03/2009	7,535.54
	Vendor Continued Check	09/03/2009	0.00
	COPY IMAGES INC	09/03/2009	168.92
	CORWIN KRONENBERG CONSULTING I		325.00
	CTB INC	09/03/2009	3,200.00
	CUB FOODS OF WHITE BEAR TWSHP	09/03/2009	120.88
	DAHL CHRISTINE	09/03/2009	452.59
	DAHLEM TERESA	09/03/2009	314.30
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	DELTA DENTAL PLAN OF MN	09/03/2009	62,377.60
	DESIGNER SIGN SYSTEMS INC	09/03/2009	632.71
	DISCOUNT SCHOOL SUPPLY DISCOVERY EDUCATION	09/03/2009	1,015.51
	DONATELLI'S	09/03/2009	21,985.00
	DOOR SERVICE COMPANY	09/03/2009	124.20
		09/03/2009	2,287.00
323000	DYNAMIC LEARNER CONSULTING INC	03/03/2003	1,500.00

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353664	KNOLL JEFF	09/03/2009	70.00
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	KULLY SUPPLY COMPANY	09/03/2009	406.84
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	LAKESHORE LEARNING MATERIALS	09/03/2009	203.90
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	LARSON, CAROLYN	09/03/2009	30.00
	LEIGH ANNETTA K	09/03/2009	413.60
	LEININGER JOHN	09/03/2009	50.17
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		09/03/2009	65.44
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353680	MADISON NATIONAL LIFE INS CO I		52,323.88
	MARCHOET BATELICIA	09/03/2009	145.12
353682	MARCROFT PATRICIA L	09/03/2009	128.15
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	MC DONOUGH'S WATERJETTING AND	09/03/2009	269.00
	****	09/03/2009	2,033.50
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	MIEURE MARYELLEN	09/03/2009	1,034.75
	MINVALCO INC	09/03/2009 09/03/2009	39.00
	MN ASSOC OF SECONDARY SCHOOL P		1,095.80
	MN NCPERS LIFE INSURANCE	09/03/2009	1,564.00
	MN REC & PARK ASSN (MRPA)	09/03/2009	576.00 916.00
	MOBILE RADIO ENGINEERING INC	09/03/2009	3,267.00
	MOORE CYNTHIA	09/03/2009	834.38
	MUNDELL, KARLA J	09/03/2009	97.89
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	NELSON, AMY	09/03/2009	20.00
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	NORTH CENTRAL TRUCK EQUIPMENT		1,968.00
	NORTHERN LANDSCAPE & IRRIGATIO		4,802.10
	OFFICE DEPOT	09/03/2009	310.38
	OFFICEMAX INCORPORATED	09/03/2009	38.94
	OLSEN FIRE PROTECTION	09/03/2009	596.00
	ON SITE SANITATION INC	09/03/2009	474.25
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	PETERSON BROS ROOFING & CONST		15,269.76
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	PITNEY BOWES PURCHASE POWER	09/03/2009	39.99
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	PONTIOUS JODY POSTMASTER	09/03/2009	932.00
	PREMIER AGENDAS INC	09/03/2009 09/03/2009	88.00
	PROGRESS PUBLICATIONS	09/03/2009	1,023.25
	RATZ, KIM	09/03/2009	502.74 1,500.00
	READ NATURALLY	09/03/2009	554.40
	THE READING WAREHOUSE	09/03/2009	239.27
	RESOURCES FOR EDUCATORS	09/03/2009	896.00
	THE RESTORATIVE WAY	09/03/2009	55.00
	RUN N FUN	09/03/2009	686.00
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	SAM'S CLUB	09/03/2009	198.64
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	SARGENT-WELCH	09/03/2009	228.00
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	SLATOR, KEVIN	09/03/2009	
	SMITH MICRO TECHNOLOGIES INC	09/03/2009	35.00 450.00
353763	SNAP ON TOOLS	09/03/2009	167.15
353764	SPECIALTY PROMOTIONS	09/03/2009	348.40
353765	ST ELIZABETH ANN SETON SCHOOL	09/03/2009	700.00
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	STEICHENS SPORTING GOODS	09/03/2009	574.40
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353774	SUPERIOR STRIPING INC	09/03/2009	1,600.00
	SUPERIOR TRANSIT SALES LLC	09/03/2009	2,331.00 1,600.00 804.90 64.28 92.48 7,650.00 210.65 255.77
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	AVON BUSINESS FORMS & PROMOTIO		42.86
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	SHIFFLER EQUIPMENT SALES INC	08/05/2009	212.37
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RESOLUTION FOR ACCEPTANCE OF GIFTS

WHEREAS, the School Board believes it necessary and appropriate to accept the gifts that are reflected upon the following pages; and

WHEREAS, these gifts are consistent with State laws, School Board policy, and administrative practices; and

WHEREAS, acceptance of these gifts are consistent with the mission and educational programs of the White Bear Lake Area Schools; and

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the School Board authorizes the acceptance and use of the following gifts:

Agenda A-5(d) September 14, 2009 School Board Meeting

AGENDA ITEM: <u>Acceptance of Gifts</u>

MEETING DATE: September 14, 2009

SUGGESTED DISPOSITION: Operational Item

CONTACT PERSON(S): **Dr. Michael J. Lovett, Superintendent**

Donation	Donor	Recipient
140 Backpacks with school supplies	First Lutheran Church	White Bear Lake Area Public Schools
100 Backpacks with school supplies	Eagle Brook Church	White Bear Lake Area Public Schools
75 Backpacks with school supplies and 75 bags with school supplies	Redeemer Lutheran Church	White Bear Lake Area Public Schools
17 Backpacks and school supplies	Moms Club of White Bear Lake/Vadnais Heights	White Bear Lake Area Public Schools
4 Backpacks with school supplies	Denny Gilbertson	White Bear Lake Area Public Schools
School supplies and \$200 Lakeshore Learning Gift Certificate	Anne and Ray Smith	Birch Lake Elementary School
10 Backpacks with school supplies and 3 large bins filled with school supplies	Carlson Chiropractic Clinic	White Bear Lake Area Public Schools
15 Backpacks with school supplies	Anonymous	White Bear Lake Area Public Schools
\$500 for the Peter E. Palm Memorial	Peggy Palen	White Bear Lake Area Public Schools
\$100	Dan and Kathleen Wachtler	Community Services Senior Program
Two guitars, one amp, one trumpet, and music stand (value \$900)	Kris and Larry Krepski	Central Middle School
T1-84 Plus Graphing Calculator with case and instruction manual	Ronald Engh	White Bear High School South Campus
Six Audio Books – CD's Everyman, Split Second, The Third Translation, Superman Returns, A Twist in the Tale, and The Innocent Man	Ronald Engh	White Bear High School South Campus

RECOMMENDATION: Accept donations.

AGENDA ITEM: Field Trip Request

MEETING DATE: September 14, 2009

SUGGESTED DISPOSITION: Consent Agenda

Cindy Moore, Director of Curriculum and Assessment CONTACT PERSON(S):

Jill Thelen, Director of Schools

Background:

School Board Policy #610 - Field Trips requires School Board approval of any overnight field trips. The following field trips are being presented by the administration to the School Board for approval.

Date of Trip and Destination	Requesting Staff Member	Grade/ Team	Number of School Days Missed	Number of Students Attending	Cost and Source of Revenue	Means of Transportation	Purpose of Field Trip
December 11 and 12, 2009 Duluth/Cloquet	Tim Sager	Boys Hockey	¹ / ₂ day	39 athletes 5 coaches	\$10 (Blue Line Club paying for bus and hotel.)	Coach Bus	Nonconference Games
November 4-6, 2009 Deep Portage	Mrs. Gevers Mr. Grothe Ms. Swanson Mr. Liekis	5 th Grade class from Lincoln	3 day	70 students	\$160 per student (Fundraising, PTA, parents.)	Coach Bus	Instructional guidance on how to respect the environment
December 18-19, 2009 Rochester, MN	Craig Nasvik	White Bear High School Wrestling Team	1 day	14 athletes 4 adults	\$40 (Family and fundraiser.)	Parents Drive	To participate in the Christmas Tournament.
December 29-30, 2009 Fargo, North Dakota	Craig Nasvik	White Bear High School Wrestling Team	0	45 athletes 4 adults	\$40 (Family pays for trip.)	Parents Drive	Team building and great tournament.

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Purpose of Field Trip	Team building experience for our program.	To participate in the Northwest Invite.
Means of Transportation	Plane and Van	Vans or Bus (Fundraiser and family)
Cost and Source of Revenue	\$685 (Family and fundraisers. No school dollars.)	\$80 (Fundraisers and family pays.)
Number of Students Attending	11 athletes 2 adults	12 athletes 2 adults
Number of School Days Missed	0	1 day
Grade/ Team	White Bear High School Boys Golf Team	White Bear High School Boys Golf Team
Date of Trip and Requesting Staff Destination Member	Craig Nasvik	Craig Nasvik
Date of Trip and Destination	March 27 – 31, 2010 Phoenix, AZ	May 7-8, 2010 Detroit Lakes

Recommendation:

Administration recommends the School Board approve the field trips.

RESOLUTION FOR PERSONNEL ITEMS

WHEREAS, the School Board believes it necessary and appropriate to approve the personnel items that are reflected upon the following pages; and

WHEREAS, that personnel items, A-5(f) to A-5(h), as revised be approved on the premise that they conform to previously Board approved actions or contractual agreements.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the School Board authorizes the approval of the personnel item listed in Consent Agenda Items A-5(f) to A-5(h).

RESIGNATIONS - CLASSIFIED STAFF

SUSAN L. CHASE - Regular Part-Time Cook, North Campus Employed by District 624 since 12/17/2007 Effective Date: 06/12/2009

RECOMMEND APPROVAL

PATRICK T. MOORE - Bus Driver, Bus Garage Employed by District 624 since 01/29/2008 Effective Date: 06/12/2009

RECOMMEND APPROVAL

MARY B. NINTZEL - Program Assistant Leader, Vadnais Heights Elementary Employed by District 624 since 11/10/2008 Effective Date: 06/12/2009

RECOMMEND APPROVAL

CHRISTOPHER A. OLSON - Bus Driver, Bus Garage Employed by District 624 since 08/28/2008 Effective Date: 06/12/2009

RECOMMEND APPROVAL

RESIGNATIONS - CERTIFIED STAFF

AMANDA J. PASCUZZI - Communications Teacher, Secondary Employed by District 624 since 08/21/2003 Effective Date: 06/12/2009

RECOMMEND APPROVAL

Consent Agenda Item A6(g) September 14, 2009 - BOARD MTG.

INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT NO.624 Department of Human Resources

PART-TIME LEAVE REQUEST - CERTIFIED STAFF

REBECCA J. BUTTERS-LEVAHN - Teacher Special Education, Elementary .20 Leave (.80 position)

Effective Date: 2009-2010 School Year

PART-TIME LEAVE REQUEST - CERTIFIED STAFF

KERRY C. FEIRN - Teacher Spanish, Secondary

.40 Leave (.60 position)

Effective Date: 2009-2010 School Year

RECOMMEND APPROVAL

DEBRA S. THIBAULT - Learning Skills Specialist, Elementary

.20 Leave (.80 position)

Effective Date: 2009-2010 School Year

RECOMMEND APPROVAL

CHANGE IN PART-TIME LEAVE REQUEST - CERTIFIED STAFF

NICOLE M. AHRENS - Elementary Classroom Teacher

From a 1.00 Leave to a .50 Leave (.50 position)

Effective Date: 2009-2010 School Year

RECOMMEND APPROVAL

JENNIFER M. BABIASH - Secondary Health Teacher, Secondary

From a .20 Leave to a .10 Leave (.90 position)

Effective Date: 2009-2010 School Year

RECOMMEND APPROVAL

DEBORAH M. BUTTERS - Physical Education Teacher, Secondary

From a .30 Leave to a .20 Leave (.80 position)

Effective Date: 2009-2010 School Year

RECOMMEND APPROVAL

Consent Agenda Item A6(g) September 14, 2009 - BOARD MTG.

INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT NO.624 Department of Human Resources

CHANGE IN CONTINUING CONTRACT - CERTIFIED STAFF

LEIGH A. ANDERSON - Learning Skills Teacher, Elementary

From a .60 f.t.e to a .71 f.t.e.

Effective Date: 2009-2010 School Year

NEW PERSONNEL - CLASSIFIED STAFF

PAMELA K. BEACH - Health Assistant/General Clerical, Hugo Elementary

Increased Hours for Current Position

\$15.45/hr., 6.50 hrs./day, 185 days

Effective Date: 09-01-2009

RECOMMEND APPROVAL

MARK J. BECKERS - Bus Driver, Bus Garage

New Position

\$15.50/hr., 5.25 hrs./day, 173 days

Effective Date: 09-03-2009

\$14,077.88

RECOMMEND APPROVAL

\$18,578.63

MARTHA E. CHARPENTIER - AV/Computer Assistant, North Campus

Replacing S. Johnson who transferred

\$14.95/hr., 8.00 hrs./day, 195 days

Effective Date: 08-19-2009

\$23,322.00

RECOMMEND APPROVAL

LINDSEY K. EICHENLAUB - Pupil Support Assistant, Hugo Elementary

Replacing M. Reynolds, who resigned

\$15.55/hr., 6.50 hrs./day, 180 days

\$18,193.50

Effective Date: 09-08-2009

RECOMMEND APPROVAL

KIMBERLEY A. GRANGER - Bus Driver, Bus Garage

Replacing T. Wright who transferred

\$15.50/hr., 5.25 hrs./day, 173 days

\$14,077.88

Effective Date: 09-03-2009

RECOMMEND APPROVAL

MOLLY C. MURPHY - Computer/Elementary Assistant, Lakeaires Elementary

Replacing S. Venzke who retired

\$14.95/hr., 4.50 hrs./day, 185 days

\$14.45/hr., 1.50 hrs./day, 185 days

Effective Date: 09-01-2009

\$16,455.75

LISA M. NAROW - Bus Driver, Bus Garage

New Position

\$15.50/hr., 5.00 hrs./day, 173 days

\$13,407.50

\$13,407.50

Effective Date: 09-03-2009

Effective Date: 09-03-2009

RECOMMEND APPROVAL

RECOMMEND APPROVAL

TERRY A. NIEMCZYCKI - Bus Driver, Bus Garage

Replacing E. Peterson who transferred

\$15.50/hr., 5.00 hrs./day, 173 days

RECOMMEND APPROVAL

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NEW PERSONNEL - CLASSIFIED STAFF

TIMOTHY D. O'CONNOR - Bus Driver, Bus Garage

Replaced D. Neubeck who transferred

\$15.50/hr., 5.00 hrs./day, 173 days

Effective Date: 09-03-2009

RECOMMEND APPROVAL

JENA M. OLHEISER - Bus Driver, Bus Garage

Replaced Z. Miller who resigned

\$15.50/hr., 5.00 hrs./day, 173 days

Effective Date: 09-03-2009

\$13,407.50

\$13,407.50

RECOMMEND APPROVAL

NEW PERSONNEL - COMMUNICATIONS INTERN

JOHN C. GERMSCHEID - Communications Intern, District Center

\$11.00/hr., 20 hrs./wk

Effective Date: 09-08-2009

RECOMMEND APPROVAL

REHIRE FROM TERMINATION - CERTIFIED STAFF

MANDAIN L. LITTLEFIELD - .45 Art/PHY ED/Health, Secondary

(Terminated on May 11, 2009)

Effective Date: 2009-2010 School Year

RECOMMEND APPROVAL

NEW PERSONNEL - CERTIFIED STAFF

ANGELA M. ARANT - Literacy/Math Coach, Lincoln Elementary

Effective Date: 2009-2010 School Year

BA/Step 7 Attended:

Crown College, St. Bonifacius, MN

Elementary Education

BA

Experience: Basic Skills Teacher

St. Francis School District, St. Francis, MN

RECOMMEND APPROVAL

\$42,164.00

GREGORY M. CAMPBELL - .6 Mathematics Teacher, North/South

Effective Date: 2009-2010 School Year

\$22,500.00 BA+45/Step 1

Augsburg College, Minneapolis, MN Attended:

> Education Program (MA in progress) BA

Experience: Student Teacher

Maple Grove Sr. H.S., Maple Grove, MN

NEW PERSONNEL - CERTIFIED STAFF (continued page 2)

ALEXANDER P. CARLSON - .4 Social Studies Teacher, South Campus

Effective Date: 2009-2010 School Year

BA/Step 1 \$14,000.00

Attended: University of Wisconsin, River Falls, WI

Elementary Education BA

Experience: Student Teacher

Irondale High School, New Brighton, MN

RECOMMEND APPROVAL

ASHLEY R. CHAVEZ - .6 Language Arts Teacher, Sunrise Middle School

Effective Date: 2009-2010 School Year

BA/Step 1 \$21,000.00

Attended: Carleton College, Northfield, MN

English BA

Experience: Community Education/Reserve Teacher

Minneapolis Public Schools, Minneapolis, MN

RECOMMEND APPROVAL

THOMAS S. DETERMAN - .4 Mathematics Teacher, Central Middle School

Effective Date: 2009-2010 School Year

BA/Step 1 \$14,000.00

Attended: Minnesota State University, Mankato, MN

Elementary Education-MS Mathematics Emphasis BA

Experience: Student Teacher

Westwood Elementary, Zimmerman, MN

RECOMMEND APPROVAL

JESSICA L. ELBING - Kindergarten Teacher, Willow Lane Elementary

Effective Date: 2009-2010 School Year

BA+45/Step 1 \$37,500.00

Attended: University of St. Thomas, St. Paul, MN

Elementary Education and English BA

Experience: Student Teacher

Lake Elmo Elementary, Lake Elmo, MN

NEW PERSONNEL - CERTIFIED STAFF (continued page 3)

MELISSA A. HANSON - .5 Kindergarten Teacher, Lakeaires Elementary

Effective Date: 2009-2010 School Year

MA+15/Step 9 \$26,826.00

Attended: University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, MN

Masters of Education MA

University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, MN

Elementary Education BA

Experience: Elementary Teacher

South St. Paul Public Schools, South St. Paul, MN

St. Bernard's School, St. Paul, MN

RECOMMEND APPROVAL

SEAN M. PADDEN - .45 Business Ed/Health Teacher, Central Middle School

Effective Date: 2009-2010 School Year

BA/Step 1 \$15,750.00

Attended: Concordia College, St. Paul, MN

K-12 Physical Education/Health BA

Experience: Student Teacher

Lakeaires Elementary/North Campus, WBL, MN

RECOMMEND APPROVAL

ANNIKA R. PITTMAN - Language Arts Teacher, North Campus

Effective Date: 2009-2010 School Year

MA/Step 3 \$41,981.00

Attended: University of Otago, New Zealand

Masters of Art MA

Valparaiso University, Indiana

English/Secondary Education BA

Experience: English Teacher

Vail School District, Vail, AZ

RECOMMEND APPROVAL

MICHAEL R. SELB - Elementary Teacher, Otter Lake Elementary

Effective Date: 2009-2010 School Year

BA+30/Step 1 \$36,668.50

Attended: University of Wisconsin, Eau Claire WI

Biology BA

Experience: Student Teacher

Otter Lake Elementary, WBL, MN

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INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT NO.624 Department of Human Resources

NEW PERSONNEL - CERTIFIED STAFF (continued page 4)

ANNETTE M. SMITH - .5 Literacy/Math Coach, Otter Lake Elementary

Effective Date: 2009-2010 School Year

MA/Step 9 \$26,162.50

Attended: University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, MN

Curriculum/Instruction MA

Minnesota State University, Mankato, MN

Elementary Education BA

Experience: Elementary Teacher

Minnetonka Public Schools, Minnetonka, MN

RECOMMEND APPROVAL

JANEL L. VAN ARRAGON - Literacy/Math Coach Teacher, Parkview/Willow

Effective Date: 2009-2010 School Year

MA/Step 12 \$62,395.00

Attended: Western Michigan University, Kalamazoo, MI

Reading MA

Calvin College, Grand Rapids, MI

Elementary Education BA

Experience: Reading Teacher

Roosevelt Middle School, Blaine, MN

Blaine High School, Blaine, MN

B. PUBLIC FORUM

During the Public Forum any person may address the School Board on a topic of interest or concern. Listed below are the procedures for Public Forum.

- 1. Public Forum will follow the Procedural Items on the agenda.
- 2. Public Forum will be open for 30 minutes (4 minutes per speaker, 10 minutes per topic, and no more than 3 speakers per topic as a general rule). Comments should be brief, and repetition of other public comments should be avoided.
- 3. Those wishing to address the Board should fill out a card to be turned into the Clerk.
- 4. Questions may be asked on any topic, excluding those on the agenda.
- 5. An attempt will be made to answer questions. In those cases where an answer is not available or is not possible to give that evening, a phone call from someone in the administration will be made as a follow-up.
- 6. A handout on the purpose of School Board meetings and the meeting process is available.
- 7. Citizens may be asked to address the school board on a particular subject during the discussion of that item.
- 8. The Chair will attempt to reasonably honor requests to speak, but shall also exercise discretion to recognize time restraints and may limit the number of such presentations accordingly.

C. INFORMATION ITEMS

AGENDA ITEM:

Opening School Report

MEETING DATE:

September 14, 2009

SUGGESTED DISPOSITION:

Information Item

CONTACT PERSON:

Dr. Michael Lovett, Superintendent of Schools

Background:

Summary/Highlights of August Workshops

The first day of school for the 2009-10 school year was Tuesday, September 8, the day after Labor Day. This presentation will highlight some of the support and training activities which occurred during the month of August, 2009 to prepare teachers, administrators, and support staff.

We have attached a list of the professional training opportunities that our teaching and administrative staff had beginning with the leadership retreat on August 11, and continuing through the opening convocation for all staff held on the morning of September 3.

In addition, sessions were held with groups of employees throughout August for reserve teachers, specialized training for our school health staff to prevent and monitor flu including H1N1, training for bus drivers, our food service staff, and other groups.

On Monday night we will highlight some of these with more detail and photos.

Opening School Enrollment

The administration will present opening school enrollment based on student enrollment from the opening days of school. The official enrollment count will be on October 1, consistent with State law, but the opening day enrollment gives us good indication of what our anticipated enrollment will be for the year.

New Staff Profile

We will provide a list of our new teachers for 2009-10 including their assignments, undergraduate school, and experience. We will highlight the profile of our new staff for 2009-10.

Facilities Report

In preparation for the school year, our school facilities and building and grounds staff have worked to prepare our school buildings, grounds, fields, and playgrounds to be in excellent condition for the beginning of the school year. In addition, a number of projects were completed during the summer, many of them using the alternative facilities levy proceeds.

At the School Board meeting on Monday night, we will highlight with photos some of the major improvements that were made this summer.

Professional Learning Overview Summer 2009

Leadership Meeting (August 11 & 12)

- District leadership team shared reflections from summer reading selections.
- Synergy, a high school student group, performed and presented a message about understanding the opportunities, challenges, and barriers of a demographically diverse student population and community.
- Jennifer York-Barr provided the first in a series of leadership workshops Enhancing Our Leadership Capacity.
- Teaching and Learning Team Shared Overview of Continuous Improvement Planning for 2009-2010.

K-5 Social Studies Framework Implementation (June 18, August 25 & 26)

- <u>168</u> K-5 staff members attended a launch inservice of our new social studies curriculum program, *Social Studies Alive* published by Teachers' Curriculum Institute.
- K-5 Leadership Team consisting of Jane Jahnke, Jeanne Mack, Sally Parsons, Dan Schmidt and Ann Malwitz, attended the Coaches' Training Conference for our new social studies program, *Social Studies Alive*.

K-5 Mathematics Framework Implementation (August 25 & 26)

 209 K-5 staff members attended launch inservice of new elementary mathematics program, Math Expressions.

Technology Training

• Beginning and intermediate level Smart Board training sessions were offered throughout the summer by Becky Mullaly and Juanita McCormick.

Authentic Intellectual Work (AIW)

- AIW is a protocol for professional development which results in teams of teachers examining
 instructional tasks, student work, and instruction to impact the quality of teaching and
 learning. Dr. Dana Carmichael, Dynamic Learner Consulting has provided the training for this
 initiative.
- AIW Coordinator Academy (August 3-5) Ann Malwitz and Gretchen Harriman
 participated in the AIW Coordinator Academy, for leaders involved in taking local AIW sites
 to scale.
- **Kick-off Event for Cohort 2 (August 20) -** Kick-off Event for Cohort 2 consisted of 17 high school teachers, and five administrators, including middle schools and ALC. Principals from Central Middle School, Sunrise Park Middle School, and ALC are participating in preparation for possible expansion to additional sites. Cohort 1 consists of 14 continuing teachers, 2 principals, and 4 district leaders.

Project Lead the Way

 Four Technology Education teachers participated in an intensive 2-week long engineering training hosted by the University of Minnesota to prepare for implementing Project Lead the Way.

- Middle school teachers, Paul Meuwissen and Tom Paulson, completed the Gateway to Technology program.
- High school teachers, Dan Rossiter and Del Nyren, completed the Introduction to Engineering Design program. All expenses for the training were paid for by the Kern Family Foundation Grant.

Curriculum Writing

- All high school departments took part in curriculum mapping and curricular revisions to transition from the block schedule to the 6-period day.
- 6-10 Language Arts teachers worked with Dr. Deborah Appleman of Carleton College to address the alignment of the advanced offerings of the department.

New Teacher Orientation (August 27 & 28)

- Fifty new staff members were welcomed during New Teacher Orientation.
- New staff members learned about the district mission, core values, continuous improvement process and the Framework for Teaching.
- The highlight of the day was a bus tour hosted by Board Member, Lori Swanson.

Convocation (September 3)

- All staff members gathered at opening convocation to re-connect, celebrate examples of staff excellence, and learn about the vision for the 2009-10 school year.
- Student musicians provided wonderful musical entertainment for the morning.
- The keynote speaker, Mark Scharenbroich, provided a message that highlighted the value of acknowledging, honoring and making connections that move people.

AGENDA ITEM: Presentation of ASBO and GFOA Awards

MEETING DATE: September 14, 2009

SUGGESTED DISPOSITION: Information Item

CONTACT PERSON: Pete Willcoxon Sr.

Executive Director of Business Services

Background:

For the <u>ninth</u> consecutive year, White Bear Lake Area Schools (ISD #624) has received the prestigious awards for excellence in financial reporting from both the Association of School Business Officials (ASBO) and the Governmental Finance Officers Association (GFOA). Our District is the only Minnesota school district to have won both of these awards for nine consecutive years.

These awards are the highest form of recognition in the area of governmental accounting and financial reporting, and its attainment represents a significant accomplishment by a government and its management. The District's annual comprehensive annual financial report (CAFR) has been judged by impartial panels to meet the highest standards of the program including demonstrating constructive "spirit of full disclosure" to clearly communicate its financial story and motivate potential users and user groups to read the CAFR.

Winning such awards is truly a team effort. I want to extend a special thanks to our District accountant Mary Vaske for development of most of the data that went into our CAFR. A significant effort was put forth to develop this information, without which we would not have received these awards.

Another thank you goes out to the District Finance Committee for their encouragement to us to go for these awards, for their continued support and for the time and effort that they put into serving on the committee.

Presentation of the awards will be made to our School Board chair.

Recommendation:

It is recommended by administration that the Board accept these awards.

Agenda Item C-3 September 14, 2009 School Board Meeting

AGENDA ITEM: Superintendent's Report

MEETING DATE: September 14, 2009

SUGGESTED DISPOSITION: <u>Information Item</u>

CONTACT PERSON(S): Dr. Michael J. Lovett, Superintendent of Schools

BACKGROUND:

Dr. Lovett will provide information on current issues and events pertaining to the White Bear Lake Area Public School District.

D. DISCUSSION ITEMS

Agenda Item D-1 September 14, 2009 School Board Meeting

AGENDA ITEM: School Board Policy #412, Expense Reimbursement

MEETING DATE: September 14, 2009

SUGGESTED DISPOSITION: Discussion Item

CONTACT PERSON(S): Pete Willcoxon, Executive Director of Business Services

BACKGROUND:

School Board Policy 412, Expense Reimbursement, has been reviewed by the School Board Policy Committee and was recommended for a first reading in August.

This past week the Minnesota School Boards Association released recommended revisions to Policy 412, Expense Reimbursement. The administration is resubmitting this policy for an additional first reading with the recent changes that are recommended by MSBA.

Note that the policy change will require the administration to develop specific administrative procedures to implement the policy.

RECOMMENDATION: To review the policy and provide suggestions or feedback to the administration, with the policy placed on the October 12, 2009 School Board meeting agenda or subsequent meeting as an operational item for action.

Adopted: May 13, 1996 White Bear Lake Area Revised: November 8, 2007 School District #624 Policy 412

412 EXPENSE REIMBURSEMENT

I. PURPOSE

The purpose of this policy is to identify school district business expenses that involve initial payment by an employee and qualify for reimbursement from the school district, and to specify the manner by which the employee seeks reimbursement.

II. AUTHORIZATION

All school district business expenses to be reimbursed must be approved by the supervising administrator. Such expenses to be reimbursed may include transportation, meals, lodging, registration fees, required materials, parking fees and other reasonable and necessary school district business-related expenses.

III. REIMBURSEMENT

- A. Requests for reimbursement must be itemized on the official school district form and are to be submitted to the designated administrator. Receipts for lodging, commercial transportation, registration and other reasonable and necessary expenses must be attached to the reimbursement form.
- B. Automobile travel shall be reimbursed at the mileage rate set by the IRS or as provided for by the employee's contract. Commercial transportation shall reflect economy fares and shall be reimbursed only for the actual cost of the trip. For out-of-state travel, the rate paid will be the tourist airline fare. If a private car is used for out-of-state travel, the amount paid will be the lesser of the airfare as indicated, or the actual mileage at the approved rates.
- C. All contract provisions for expense reimbursements must meet IRS regulations. If there are any contract provisions that appear to be inconsistent with IRS regulations, the expense reimbursed under these provisions will be reported by the district accounting office to the IRS and the employee on the employee's W-2 form.
- D. Conference request and Expense reimbursement forms must clearly state the type of expenditures incurred and the reason for the expenditure. This information should include: place visited, business or school purpose, function attended, and the actual costs.
- E. Hotel or motel cost reimbursement will be on the basis of a receipt presented for the actual cost of the room, not to exceed \$125.00 per day. Lodging expenses in the Twin Cities area will be reimbursed only when the employee is supervising

students as part of an approved activity. Exceptions to the lodging reimbursement rate will be made by the Superintendent or the Superintendent's designee when warranted based upon presiding lodging rates at the city of destination.

- F. Food costs will be reimbursed on the basis of the actual cost of the meals, not to exceed \$45.00 per day, including tips, unless special conference banquet arrangements necessitate an increased cost in which case a statement to that effect shall be submitted.
- G. Meals for other individuals, laundry, personal telephone calls, liquor, and entertainment are not reimbursable expenses.

IV. REQUEST PROCEDURE

All conference requests from the building level must be approved by the building principal and the appropriate Director. Requests by District office staff must be approved by their immediate administrative supervisor. Staff Development guidelines must be followed when Staff Development funds are used for travel.

Requests for other (non-conference related) expense reimbursements must be approved by the immediate administrative supervisors.

All request for payments (conference and all other) must be reviewed and approved by the Executive Director of Business Services or designee before payment will be issued.

V. AIRLINE TRAVEL CREDIT

- A. Employees utilizing school district funds to pay for airline travel are required to ensure that any credits or other benefits issued by any airline accrue to the benefit of the school district rather than the employee.
 - 1. To the extent an airline will not honor a transfer or assignment of credit or benefit from the employee to the school district, the employee shall report receipt of the credit or benefit to the designated administrator within 90 days of receipt of the credit or benefit.
 - 2. Reports of the receipt of an airline credit or benefit shall be made in writing and shall include verification from the airline as to the credit or benefit received. Reimbursement for airline travel expenses will not be made until such documentation is provided.
- B. Employees who have existing credits or benefits issued by an airline based upon previously reimbursed airline travel for school district purposes will be required to utilize those credits or benefits toward any subsequent airline travel related to school district purposes, prior to reimbursement for such travel, to the extend permitted and/or feasible.

C. The requirements of this section apply to all airline travel, regardless of where or how the tickets are purchased.

VI. ESTABLISHMENT OF DIRECTIVES AND GUIDELINES

A schedule of reimbursement rates for school district business expenses, including those expenses requiring advance approval and specific rates of reimbursement, will be established by the School Board clearly delineated in administrative procedures.

Legal References: Minn. Stat. § 471.665 (Mileage Allowances)

Minn. Op. Atty. Gen. No. 1035 (August 23, 1999) (Retreat Expenses) Minn. Op. Atty. Gen. No. 161b-12 (August 4, 1997) (Transportation

Expenses)

Minn. Op. Atty. Gen. No. 161B-12 (January 24, 1989) (Operating

Expenses of Car)

Cross References: WBLASD Policy 214 (Out-of-State Travel by School Board Members)

E. OPERATIONAL ITEMS

AGENDA ITEM: Approval of 2009 Payable 2010 Proposed Property Tax Levy.

MEETING DATE: September 14, 2009

SUGGESTED DISPOSITION: Operational Item

CONTACT PERSON: Pete Willcoxon Sr.

Executive Director of Business Services

Background:

Each year, prior to September 30th, the School Board must certify to the county auditors (Anoka, Ramsey and Washington) the proposed tax levy for Independent School District #624.

We have not yet received final information from the Minnesota Department of Education as to what our proposed amount may be. Because the numbers typically change somewhat throughout the month of September, we have, historically, certified the "maximum" amount as certified by the Commissioner of Education.

The resolution below is prepared for your consideration at this School Board meeting.

Based on recently enacted legislative changes and following the process that we used last year, the time line looks like this:

<u>September 14, 2009</u>: School Board certifies the proposed property tax levy and sets December 14, 2009 as the date for the truth in taxation hearing. It will be part of the school board agenda that evening.

September 22, 2009: Finance Committee Meeting ... includes levy discussion.

September 28, 2009: Work Study session with further levy discussion.

September 30, 2009: Final proposed levy sent to county auditors and MDE.

November 11 through November 24: County auditors mail parcel-specific notices to property owners within the school district.

<u>December 14, 2009</u>: Truth in taxation information will be presented and the public will have the opportunity to speak. The School Board will adopt the certified property tax levy payable 2010 as an operational item later on that agenda.

Recommendation:

It is recommended by administration that the School Board approve the following resolution.

Be it resolved that the School Board of Independent School District #624 certify to the county auditors its proposed 2009 Payable 2010 property tax levy in the amount equal to the "maximum" levy limitation certified by the Commissioner of Education to the county auditors according to Minnesota Statutes section 275.065 subdivision 1.

Agenda Item E-2 September 14, 2009 School Board Meeting

AGENDA ITEM:

Resolution Appointing Election Judges for the

November 3, 2009 School District

General Election

MEETING DATE:

September 14, 2009

SUGGESTED DISPOSITION:

Operational Item

CONTACT PERSON(S):

Dave Guenther, Director of Community Services

and Recreation

BACKGROUND:

This resolution has been provided by our attorney to appoint election judges for the November 3, 2009 ISD # 624 School Board General Election.

RECOMMENDATION:

Pass the resolution to appoint election judges for the School Board General Election on November 3, 2009.

EXTRACT OF MINUTES OF A MEETING OF THE SCHOOL BOARD OF INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 624 (WHITE BEAR LAKE AREA SCHOOLS) STATE OF MINNESOTA

Pursuant to due call and notice thereof, a regular meeting of the School Board of Independent School District No. 624, State of Minnesota, was duly held in said school district on September 14, 2009, at 7 o'clock p.m. for the purpose, in part, of adopting a resolution appointing election judges.

Member _____ moved the adoption of the following Resolution:

RESOLUTION APPOINTING ELECTION JUDGES FOR THE NOVEMBER 3, 2009 SCHOOL DISTRICT GENERAL ELECTION

BE IT RESOLVED by the School Board of Independent School District No. 624, State of Minnesota, as follows:

- 1. The individuals specified on EXHIBIT A attached hereto, each of whom is qualified to serve as an election judge, are hereby appointed as judges of election for the school district's general election on November 3, 2009 to act as such at the polling places and combined polling places listed on said exhibit.
- 2. The election judges appointed by the City of Lino Lakes, the City of Maplewood and the City of White Bear Lake for the municipal election in those cities are also appointed as election judges of the School District's general election, to act as such at the individual city precincts located in the school district. Their names are incorporated in this resolution as though fully set forth herein.
- 3. The election judges shall act as clerks of election, count the ballots cast, and submit the results to the school board for canvass in the manner provided for other school district elections.

The motion for the adoption of the foregoing resolution was du	ly seconded by
On a roll call vote, the following voted in favor:	

and the following voted against:

EXHIBIT A

POLLING PLACE OR COMBINED POLLING PLACE **ELECTION JUDGES** Head Election Judge Dave Wentworth Sunrise Middle School Joan Janecek (City of Birchwood) Barb Benedict Floyd Just Ellen Lemke Jean Mueller Myrn Carlson Head Election Judge Ed Champion Otter Lake Elementary School Joanne Chartrand Dave Ramer Lillian Lewis Darlene Ascheman Head Election Judge Bob Dahl Eagle Brook Church Tom Ratte Virginia Sykes Carolyn Wensman Ann Palecek Head Election Judge Conrad Leighton South Shore Trinity **Bonnie Hass** Lutheran Church Marlene Summerdorf Janet Stenglein Rita Schmid Head Election Judge John Farmer Heritage Hall Marceline Mitchell Mary Ellen Maczka Rose Gustafson Jean Kass Head Election Judge Tim Kelvie Vadnais Heights School Tom Joyal Jack Anderson Velda Humble

Teresa Martin Gloria Norlinger Vadnais South Fire Station

Head Election Judge Betty Capeder

Sue Roettger Nancy Monahan Kristin Olson Pat DeChaine

Hugo Fire Hall

Head Election Judge Jan Dahl

Donna Kostuch Corine Roberts Kathy Brevig Elizabeth Fucini

Oneka Elementary

Head Election Judge Marilyn Rosenquist

Alice Christiansen
Thelma McIntire
Janet Zahler
C.J. Carlson

Alternates:

Steve Kramer

Jim Chatterton

Joyce Miller

Dorothy Jerome

Helen Claassen

Karen Fry

Bill Rau

Gerry Schulz

Evelyn Joyal

Angie Nelson

Diona Champion

Cindy Oien

Keith Dahlman

Doris Buberl

Joelle Rau

STATE OF MINNESOTA)
(SS)
(COUNTY OF RAMSEY)

I, the undersigned, being the duly qualified and acting Clerk of Independent School District No. 624, State of Minnesota, hereby certify that the attached and foregoing is a full, true and correct transcript of the minutes of a meeting of the school board of said school district duly called and held on the date therein indicated, so far as such minutes relate to appointing election judges for the general election of said school district, and that the resolution included therein is a full, true and correct copy of the original thereof.

WITNESS MY HAND officially as such clerk this 14th day of September, 2009.

Clerk

Agenda Item E-3 September 14, 2009 School Board Meeting

AGENDA ITEM: School Board Policy #705, Investments

MEETING DATE: September 14, 2009

SUGGESTED DISPOSITION: Operational Item

CONTACT PERSON(S): Pete Willcoxon, Executive Director of Business Services

BACKGROUND:

School Board Policy 705, Investments, has been reviewed by the School Board Policy Committee and received a first reading at the August 10 School Board meeting. The changes recommended are consistent with those recommended by MSBA.

RECOMMENDATION: Approve School Board Policy #705, Investments.

Adopted	: <u>April</u>	<i>28,</i>	<u> 1997 </u>	
Revised:	•			

705 INVESTMENTS

I. PURPOSE

The purpose of this policy is to establish guidelines for the investment of school district funds.

II. GENERAL STATEMENT OF POLICY

It is the policy of this school district to comply with all state laws relating to investments and to guarantee that investments meet certain primary criteria.

III. SCOPE

This policy applies to all investments of the surplus funds of the school district, regardless of the fund accounts in which they are maintained, unless certain investments are specifically exempted by the school board through formal action.

IV. AUTHORITY; OBJECTIVES

- A. The funds of the school district shall be deposited or invested in accordance with this policy, Minn. Stat. **CH. 118A** §§ 118.005, 118.01, 124.05, 475.66, 475.76, and any other applicable law or written administrative procedures.
- B. The primary criteria for the investment of the funds of the school district, in priority order, are as follows
 - 1. <u>Safety and Security</u>. Safety of principal is the first priority. The investments of the school district shall be undertaken in a manner that seeks to ensure the preservation of the capital in the overall investment portfolio.
 - 2. <u>Liquidity</u>. The funds shall be invested to assure that funds are available to meet immediate payment requirements, including payroll, accounts payable and debt service.
 - 3. Return and Yield. The investments shall be managed in a manner to attain a market rate of return through various economic and budgetary cycles, while preserving and protecting the capital in the investment portfolio and taking into account constraints on risk and cash flow requirements.

V. DELEGATION OF AUTHORITY

- A. The Executive Director of Business Services Director of Finance of the school district is designated as the investment officer of the school district and is responsible for investment decisions and activities under the direction of the school board. The investment officer shall operate the school district's investment program consistent with this policy. The investment officer may delegate certain duties to a designee or designees, but shall remain responsible for the operation of the program.
- B. All officials and employees that are a part of the investment process shall act professionally and responsibly as custodians of the public trust, and shall refrain from personal business activity that could conflict with the investment program or which could reasonably cause others to question the process and integrity of the investment program. The investment officer shall avoid any transaction that could impair public confidence in the school district.

VI. STANDARD OF CONDUCT

The standard of conduct regarding school district investments to be applied by the investment officer shall be the "prudent person standard." Under this standard, the investment officer shall exercise that degree of judgment and care, under the circumstances then prevailing, that persons of prudence, discretion and intelligence would exercise in the management of their own affairs, investing not for speculation and considering the probable safety of their capital as well as the probable investment return to be derived from their assets. The prudent person standard shall be applied in the context of managing the overall investment portfolio of the school district. The investment officer, acting in accordance with this policy and exercising due diligence, judgment and care commensurate with the risk, shall not be held personally responsible for a specific security's performance or for market price changes. Deviations from expectations shall be reported in a timely manner and appropriate actions shall be taken to control adverse developments.

VII. MONITORING AND ADJUSTING INVESTMENTS

The investment officer shall routinely monitor existing investments and the contents of the school district's investment portfolio, the available markets and the relative value of competing investment instruments.

VIII. INTERNAL CONTROLS

The investment officer shall establish a system of internal controls which shall be documented in writing. The internal controls shall be reviewed by the school board and shall be annually reviewed for compliance by the school district's independent auditors. The internal controls shall be designed to prevent and control losses of public funds due to fraud, error, misrepresentation, unanticipated market changes or imprudent actions by officers, employees or others. The internal controls may include, but shall not be limited to, provisions relating to control of collusion, separation of functions, separation of

transaction authority from accounting and record keeping, custodial safekeeping, avoidance of bearer form securities, clear delegation of authority to applicable staff members, limitations regarding securities losses and remedial action, written confirmation of telephone transactions, supervisory control of employee actions, minimizing the number of authorized investment officials, and documentation of transactions and strategies.

IX. PERMISSIBLE INVESTMENT INSTRUMENTS

The school district may invest its available funds in those instruments specified in Minn. Stat. § 475.66 §§118A.04 and 118A.05, as that those sections may be amended from time to time, or any other law governing the investment of school district funds.

The assets of a trust or trust account established pursuant to Minn. Stat. §471.6175 to pay postemployment benefits to employees or officers after their termination of service, with a trust administrator other than the Public Employees Retirement Association, may be invested in instruments authorized under Minn. Stat. Ch. 118A or § 356A.06, Subd. 7.

Investment of funds in an OPEB trust or trust account under Minn. Stat. § 356A.06, Subd. 7, as well as the overall asset allocation strategy for OPEB trust investments, shall be governed by the District's Investment Policy Statement (IPS) developed in conjunction with the Finance Committee and the trust administrator.

X. PORTFOLIO DIVERSIFICATION; MATURITIES

- A. Limitations on instruments, diversification and maturity scheduling shall depend on whether the funds being invested are considered short-term or long-term funds. All funds shall normally be considered short-term except those reserved for building construction projects or specific future projects and any unreserved funds used to provide financial-related managerial flexibility for future fiscal years.
- B. The school district shall diversify its investments to avoid incurring unreasonable risks inherent in over-investing in specific instruments, individual financial institutions or maturities.
 - 1. The investment officer shall prepare and present **a table** to the school board for its review and approval. a table The table shall specifying the maximum percentage of the school district's investment portfolio that may be invested in a single type of investment instrument, such as U.S. Treasury Obligations, certificates of deposit, repurchase agreements, banker's acceptances, commercial paper, etc. The approved table shall be attached as an exhibit to this policy and shall be incorporated herein by reference.
 - 2. Investment maturities shall be scheduled to coincide with projected school district cash flow needs, taking into account large routine or scheduled

expenditures, as well as anticipated dates of receipt of anticipated revenues. Maturities for short-term and long-term investments shall be timed according to anticipated need. Within these parameters, portfolio maturities shall be staggered to avoid undue concentration of assets and a specific maturity sector. The maturities selected shall provide for stability of income and reasonable liquidity.

XI. COMPETITIVE SELECTION OF INVESTMENT INSTRUMENTS

Before the school district invests any surplus funds in a specific investment instrument, a competitive bid or quotation process shall be utilized. If a specific maturity date is required, either for cash flow purposes or for conformance to maturity guidelines, quotations or bids shall be requested for instruments which meet the maturity requirement. If no specific maturity is required, a market trend analysis, which includes a yield curve, will normally be used to determine which maturities would be most advantageous. Quotations or bids shall be requested for various options with regard to term and instrument. The school district will accept the quotation or bid which provides the highest rate of return within the maturity required and within the limits of this policy. Generally all quotations or bids will be computed on a consistent basis, i.e., a 360-day or a 365-day yield. Records will be kept of the quotations or bids received, the quotations or bids accepted and a brief explanation of the decision that was made regarding the investment. If the school district contracts with an investment advisor, bids are not required in those circumstances specified in the contract with the advisor.

XII. QUALIFIED INSTITUTIONS AND BROKER-DEALERS

- A. The school district shall maintain a list of the financial institutions that are approved for investment purposes.
- B. Prior to completing an initial transaction with a broker, the school district shall provide to the broker a written statement of investment restrictions which shall include a provision that all future investments are to be made in accordance with Minnesota Statutes governing the investment of public funds. The broker must acknowledge receipt of the statement of investment restrictions and agree to handle the school district's account in accordance with these restrictions. The school district may not enter into a transaction with a broker until the broker has provided this written agreement to the school district. The notification form to be used shall be that prepared by the State Auditor. A copy of this investment policy, including any amendments thereto, shall be provided to each such broker.

XIII. SAFEKEEPING AND COLLATERALIZATION

A. All investment securities purchased by the school district shall be held in third-party safekeeping by an institution designated as custodial agent. The custodial agent may be any federal reserve bank, any bank authorized under the laws of the United States or any state to exercise corporate trust powers, a primary reporting dealer in United States Government securities to the Federal Reserve Bank of New York, or a securities broker-dealer defined in Minn. Stat. § 475.66 118A.06.

The institution or dealer shall issue a safekeeping receipt to the school district listing the specific instrument, the name of the issuer, the name in which the security is held, the rate, the maturity, serial numbers and other distinguishing marks, and other pertinent information.

- B. Deposit-type securities shall be collateralized as required by Minn. Stat. § 118.01
 118A.03 for any amount exceeding FDIC, SAIF, BIF or FCUA, or other federal deposit coverage.
- C. Repurchase agreements shall be secured by the physical delivery or transfer against payment of the collateral securities to a third party or custodial agent for safekeeping. The school district may accept a safekeeping receipt instead of requiring physical delivery or third-party safekeeping of collateral on overnight repurchase agreements of less than \$1,000,000.

XIV. REPORTING REQUIREMENTS

- A. Pursuant to investments made under Minn. Stat. §§118A.04 and 118A.05, the investment officer shall generate transaction reports for management purposes, as needed. In addition, the school board shall be provided a quarterly report that shall include data on investment instruments being held as well as any narrative necessary for clarification.
- B. Pursuant to investments made under Minn. Stat. § 356A.06, Subd. 7, the trust administrator shall provide quarterly reports to the school board on all trust fund activity, as well as market updates, economic developments, strategic planning, and changes in investment instruments and asset allocation strategy approved by the Finance Committee.
- C. Within ninety (90) days after the end of each fiscal year of the school district, the investment officer shall prepare and submit to the school board a comprehensive annual report on the investment program and investment activity of the school district for that fiscal year. The annual report shall include 12-month and separate quarterly comparisons of return and shall suggest revisions and improvements that might be made in the investment program.
- D. If necessary, the investment officer shall establish systems and procedures to comply with applicable federal laws and regulations governing the investment of bond proceeds and funds in a debt service account for a bond issue. The record keeping system shall be reviewed annually by the independent auditor or by another party contracted or designated to review investments for arbitrage rebate or penalty calculation purposes.

XV. DEPOSITORIES

The school board shall annually designate one or more official depositories for school district funds. The treasurer and or the chief financial officer of the school district may also exercise the power of the school board to designate a depository. The school board

shall be provided notice of any such designation by its next regular meeting. The school district and the depository shall each comply with the provisions of Minn. Stat. § 118.01 118A.03 and any other applicable law, including any provisions relating to designation of a depository, qualifying institutions, depository bonds, and approval, deposit, assignment, substitution, addition and withdrawal of collateral.

XVI. ELECTRONIC FUNDS TRANSFER OF FUNDS FOR INVESTMENT

The school district may make electronic fund transfers for investments of excess funds upon compliance with Minn. Stat. § 471.38.

Legal References:

Minn. Stat. § 118.005 (Designation, Protection of Deposit)

Minn. Stat. § 118.01 (Depository Bonds and Collateral)

Minn. Stat. § 124.05 (Depository Law)

Minn. Stat. § 471.38 (Claims)

Minn. Stat. § 475.66 (Debt Service Fund)

Minn. Stat. § 475.76 (Reverse Repurchase Agreements)

Minn. Stat. § 118A.01 (Public Funds; Depositories and Investments) Minn. Stat. § 118A.02 (Authorization for Deposit and Investment)

Minn. Stat. § 118A.03 (Depositories and Collateral)

Minn. Stat. § 118A.04 (Investments)

Minn. Stat. § 118A.05 (Contracts and Agreements) Minn. Stat. § 118A.06 (Delivery and Safekeeping)

Minn. Stat. § 356A.06, Subd. 7 (Authorized Investment Securities)

Minn. Stat. § 471.38 (Claims)

Minn. Stat. § 471.6175 (Trust for Postemployment Benefits)

Cross References:

WBLASB Policy 703 (Annual Audit)

MSBA Service Manual, Chapter 9, Public School Finance

Minnesota Legal Compliance Audit Guide prepared by the Office of the

State Auditor

Agenda Item E-4 September 14, 2009 School Board Meeting

AGENDA ITEM: School Board Policy #410, Medical and Family Leave

MEETING DATE: September 14, 2009

SUGGESTED DISPOSITION: Operational Item

CONTACT PERSON(S): Mary Swanson, Interim Director of Human Resources

BACKGROUND:

School Board Policy 410, Medical and Family Leaves, has been reviewed by the School Board Policy Committee and received a first reading at the August 10 School Board meeting. The changes recommended are consistent with those recommended by MSBA.

RECOMMENDATION: Approve School Board Policy #410, Medical and Family Leave.

410 FAMILY AND MEDICAL LEAVE POLICY

I. PURPOSE

The purpose of this policy is to provide for family and medical leave to school district employees in accordance with the Family and Medical Leave Act and also with parenting leave under state law.

II. GENERAL STATEMENT OF POLICY

The following procedures and policies regarding family and medical leave are adopted by the school district, pursuant to the requirements of the Family and Medical Leave Act of 1993 (FMLA) and consistent with the requirements of the Minnesota Parenting Leave laws.

III. DEFINITIONS

- A. "Active duty" or "call to active duty" means a federal call to active duty as a member of the reserve components (Army National Guard, Army Reserve, Navy Reserve, Marine Corps Reserve, Air National Guard, Air Force Reserve, and Coast Guard Reserve) or a retired member of the regular Armed Forces or reserve component in support of a contingency operation. For purposes of this policy, active duty or call to active duty status does not include members of the regular Armed Forces.
- B. "Contingency operation" means a military operation that is designated by the Secretary of Defense as an operation in which members of the Armed Forces are or may become involved in military actions, operations, or hostilities against an enemy of the United States or against an opposing military force or which results in the call or order to, or retention on, active duty of members of the uniformed services under federal law or any other provision of law during a war or during a national emergency declared by the President of Congress.
- C. "Covered military member" means the employee's spouse, son, daughter, or parent on active duty or call to active duty status.
- D. "Covered servicemember" means a current member of the Armed Forces, including a member of the National Guard or Reserves, who is undergoing medical treatment, recuperation, or therapy, is otherwise in outpatient status, or is otherwise on the temporary disability retired list, for a serious injury or illness incurred in the line of duty while on active duty that may render the

- servicemember medically unfit to perform the duties of his or her office, grade, rank, or rating.
- E. "Eligible employee" means an employee who has been employed by the school district for a total of at least 12 months and who has been employed for at least 1,250 hours of service during the 12-month period immediately preceding the commencement of the leave. While the 12 month of employment need not be consecutive, employment periods prior to a break in service of seven years or more may not be counted unless the break is occasioned by the employee's fulfillment of his or her National Guard or Reserve military service obligation or a written agreement, including a collective bargaining agreement, exists concerning the school district's intention to rehire the employee after the break in service.
- F. "Next of kin of a covered servicemember" means the nearest blood relative other than the covered servicemember's spouse, parent, son, or daughter, in the following order of priority: blood relatives who have been granted legal custody of the covered servicemember by court decree or statutory provisions, brothers and sisters, grandparents, aunts and uncles, and first cousins, unless the covered servicemember has specifically designated in writing another blood relative as his or her nearest blood relative for purposes of military caregiver leave under the FMLA. When no such designation is made and there are multiple family members with the same level of relationship to covered servicemember, all such family members shall be considered the covered servicemember next of kin, and the employee may take FMLA leave to provide care to the covered servicemember, either consecutively or simultaneously. When such designation has been made, the designated individual shall be deemed to be the covered servicemember's only next of kin.
- G. "Qualifying exigency" means a situation where the eligible employee seeks leave for one or more of the following reasons:
 - 1. to address any issues that arise from a short-notice deployment (seven calendar days or less) of a covered military member;
 - 2. to attend military events and related activities of a covered military member;
 - 3. to address issues related to childcare and school activities of a covered military member's child;
 - 4. to address financial and legal arrangements for a covered military member;
 - 5. to attend counseling provided by someone other than a health care provider for oneself, a covered military member, or his/her child;
 - 6. to spend up to five days with a covered military member who is on shortterm, temporary rest and recuperation leave during a period of deployment;

- 7. to attend post-deployment activities related to a covered military member; and
- 8. to address other events related to a covered military member that both the employee and school district agree is a qualifying exigency.

IV. LEAVE ENTITLEMENT

A. Twelve-week Leave.

- 1. Regular full time and part time employees who have been employed by the school district for at least 12 months and have worked at least 1,250 hours during the 12 month period immediately preceding the commencement of the leave Eligible employees are entitled to a total of 12 work weeks of unpaid family or medical leave during the applicable 12-month period as defined below, plus any additional leave as required by law. Leave may be taken for one or more of the following reasons in accordance with applicable law:
 - a. birth of the employee's child and to care for such child;
 - b. placement of an adopted or foster child with the employee;
 - c. to care for the employee's spouse, son, daughter, or parent with a serious health condition; and/or
 - d. the employee's serious health condition makes the employee unable to perform the functions of the employee's job; and/or
 - e. any qualifying exigency arising from the employee's spouse, son, daughter, or parent being on active duty, or notified of an impending call or order to active duty, in the reserve component of the Armed Forces or a retired member of the regular Armed Forces or reserve component in support of a contingency operation.
- 2. For the purposes of this policy, "year" is defined as a rolling 12-month period measured backward from the date an employee's leave is to commence uses any leave.
- 3. An employee's entitlement to FMLA leave for the birth, adoption, or foster care of a child expires at the end of the 12-month period beginning on the date of the birth or placement.
- 3. 4. A "serious health condition" typically requires either inpatient care or continuing treatment by or under the supervision of a health care provider, as defined by applicable law. Family and medical leave generally is not

- intended to cover short term conditions for which treatment and recovery are very brief.
- 4. 5. Eligible spouses employed by the school district are limited to an aggregate of twelve 12 weeks of leave during any 12-month period for the birth and care of a newborn child or adoption of a child, the placement of a child for foster care or to care for a parent. This limitation for spouses employed by the school district does not apply to leave taken by one spouse to care for the other spouse who is seriously ill, to care for a child with a serious health condition; or because of the employee's own serious health condition; or pursuant to Paragraph IV.A.l.e. above.
- 5. 6. Depending on the type of leave, intermittent or reduced schedule leave may be granted at the discretion of the school district or when medically necessary. However, part-time employees are only eligible for a pro-rata portion of leave to be used on an intermittent or reduced schedule basis, based on their average hours worked per week. Where an intermittent or reduced schedule leave is foreseeable based on planned medical treatment, the school district may transfer the employee temporarily to an available alternative position for which the employee is qualified and which better accommodates recurring periods of leave than does the employee's regular position, and which has equivalent pay and benefits.
- 6.7. If an employee requests a leave for the serious health condition of the employee or the employee's spouse, child or parent, the employee will be required to submit sufficient medical certification. In such a case, the employee must submit the medical certification within 15 days from the date of the request or as soon as practicable under the circumstances.
- 7.8. If the school district has reason to doubt the validity of a health care provider's certification, it may require a second opinion at the school district's expense. If the opinions of the first and second health care providers differ, the school district may require certification from a third health care provider at the school district's expense. An employee may also be required to present a certification from a health care provider indicating that the employee is able to return to work.
- 8. 9. Requests for leave shall be made to the school district. When leave relates to an employee's spouse, son, daughter, or parent being on active duty, or notified of an impending call or order to active duty pursuant to Paragraph IV.A.1.e. above, and such leave is foreseeable, the employee shall provide reasonable and practical notice to the school district of the need for leave. For all other leaves, employees must give 30 days' written notice of a leave of absence where practicable. The failure to provide the required notice may result in a delay of the requested leave. Employees are expected to make a reasonable effort to schedule leaves resulting from

- planned medical treatment so as not to disrupt unduly the operations of the school district, subject to and in coordination with the health care provider.
- 10. The school district may require that a request for leave under Paragraph IV. A.1.e. above be supported by a copy of the covered military member's active duty orders or other documentation issued by the military indicating active duty or a call to active duty status in support of a contingency operation and the dates of active duty service. In addition, the school district may require the employee to provide sufficient certification supporting the qualifying exigency for which leave is requested.
- 11. During the period of a leave permitted under this policy, the school district will provide health insurance under its group health plan under the same conditions coverage would have been provided had the employee not taken the leave. The employee will be responsible for payment of the employee contribution to continue group health insurance coverage during the leave. An employee's failure to make necessary and timely contributions may result in termination of coverage. An employee who does not return to work after the leave may, in some situations, be required to reimburse the school district for the cost of the health plan premiums paid by it.
- 9. An employee who does not return to work after leave may, in some situations, be required to reimburse the school district for the cost of the health plan premiums paid by it.
- 10. The provisions of this policy are intended to comply with applicable law, including the Family and Medical Leave Act of 1993 ("FMLA") and applicable regulations. Any terms used from the FMLA will have the same meaning as defined by that Act and/or applicable regulations. To the extent that this policy is ambiguous or contradicts applicable law, the language of the applicable law will prevail.
- 11. The requirements stated in the collective bargaining agreement between employees in a certified collective bargaining unit and the school district regarding family and medical leaves (if any) shall be followed.

B. Six-week Leave.

An employee who does not qualify for <u>parenting</u> leave under Paragraphs <u>IV.A.l.a</u> or <u>IV.A.l.b.</u> above may qualify for a six-week unpaid parenting leave for birth or adoption of a child. The employee may qualify if he or she has worked for the school district for at least 12 consecutive months and has worked an average number of hours per week equal to one-half fulltime equivalent. This leave is separate and exclusive of the family and medical leave described in the preceding paragraphs.

- C. Twenty-six week Servicemember Family Military Leave
 - 1. An eligible employee who is the spouse, son, daughter, parent, or next of kin of a covered servicemember shall be entitled to a total of 26 work weeks of leave during a 12-month period to care for the servicemember. The leave described in this paragraph shall only be available during a single 12-month period. For purpose of this leave, the need to care for a servicemember includes both physical and psychological care.
 - 2. <u>During a single 12-month period</u>, an employee shall be entitled to a combined total of 26 work weeks of leave under Paragraphs IV.A. and IV.C. above.
 - 3. The 12-month period referred to in this section begins on the first day the eligible employee takes leave to care for a covered servicemember and ends 12 months after that date.
 - 4. Eligible spouses employed by the school district are limited to an aggregate of 26 weeks of leave during any 12-month period if leave is taken for birth of the employee's child or to care for the child after birth; for placement of a child with the employee for adoption or foster care or to care for the child after placement; to care for the employee's parent with a serious health condition; or to care for a covered servicemember with a serious injury or illness.
 - 5. The school district may request or require the employee to substitute accrued paid leave for any part of the 26-week period. Employees may be allowed to substitute paid leave for unpaid leave by meeting the requirements set out in the administrative directives and guidelines established for the implementation of this policy, if any. Employees eligible for leave must comply with the family and medical leave directives and guidelines prior to starting leave.
 - 6. An employee will be required to submit sufficient medical certification issued by the health care provider of the covered servicemember and other information in support of requested leave and eligibility for such leave under this section within 15 days from the date of the request or as soon as practicable under the circumstances.
 - 7. The provisions of Paragraphs IV.A.6., IV.A.9., and IV.A.11 shall apply to leaves under this section.

HI. V. SPECIAL RULES FOR INSTRUCTIONAL EMPLOYEES.

An instructional employee is one whose principal function is to teach and instruct students in a class, a small group, or an individual setting. This includes, but is not limited to, teachers, coaches, driver's education instructors, and special education assistants.

- B. Instructional employees who request foreseeable medically necessary intermittent or reduced work schedule leave greater than 20 percent of the work days in the leave period may be required to:
 - 1. <u>take leave for the entire period or periods of the planned medical</u> treatment; or
 - 2. move to an available alternative position for which the employee is qualified, and which provides equivalent pay and benefits, but not necessarily equivalent duties.
- C. Instructional employees who request continuous leave near the end of a trimester or semester may be required to extend the leave through the end of the trimester or semester. The number of weeks remaining before the end of a semester does not include scheduled school breaks, such as summer, winter, or spring break.
 - 1. If an instructional employee begins leave for any purpose more than five weeks before the end of a trimester or semester and it is likely the leave will last at least three weeks, the school district may require that the leave be continued until the end of the trimester or semester.
 - 2. If the employee begins leave for a purpose other than the employee's own serious health continue during the last five weeks of a trimester or semester, the school district may require that the leave be continued until the end of the trimester or semester if the leave will last more than two weeks or if the employee's return from leave would occur during the last two weeks of the trimester or semester.
 - 3. If the employee begins leave for a purpose other than the employee's own serious health condition during the last three weeks of a trimester or semester and the leave will last more than five working days, the school district may require the employee to continue taking leave until the end of the trimester or semester.
- <u>D.</u> The entire period of leave taken under the special rules will be counted as leave. The school district will continue to fulfill the school district's leave responsibilities and obligations, including the obligation to continue the employee's health insurance and other benefits, if an instructional employee's leave entitlement ends before the involuntary leave period expires.

VI. OTHER

A. The provisions of this policy are intended to comply with applicable law, including the FMLA and applicable regulations. Any terms used form the FMLA will have the same meaning as defined by the FMLA and/or applicable regulations. To the extent that this policy is ambiguous or contradicts applicable law, the language of the applicable law will prevail.

B. The requirements stated in the collective bargaining agreement between employees in a certified collective bargaining unit and the school district regarding family and medical leaves (if any) shall be followed.

VII. DISSEMINATION OF POLICY

- A. This policy shall be conspicuously posted in each school district building in areas accessible to employees.
- B. This policy will be reviewed at least annually for compliance with state and federal law.

Legal References: Minn. Stat. §§ 181.940-181.944 (Parenting Leave)

29 U.S.C. § 2601 et seq. (Family and Medical Leave Act)

29 C.F.R. pt. 825 (Family and Medical Leave Act)

Cross References: MSBA Service Manual, Chapter 13, School Law Bulletin "M" (Statutory

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