

Browning Public Schools
Board Agenda Request
Meeting to Be Held: 10/13/26



Recognition: ☐ Students ☐ Staff ☐ Parents
Information: ☐ Building Report ☐ Old Business ☐ Superintendent's Report
Action: ☐ Resignations ☐ Hiring ☐ Contract Service Agreements
☒ Travel Out-of-State ☐ Travel In State ☐ Approvals
☐ Termination ☐ Legal Matters ☐ Other:
This action request pertains to ☐ Elementary (only) ☒ High School/District Wide

Date: 10/7/2026

To: Rebecca Rappold
Superintendent

From: Robert Hall
Title: BNAS Director

Subject: Out of state Travel: Indigenous People's Day Convergence 2026 - Cincinnati, OH (SR Leave Only)

Description: Requesting approval for SR Leave Only for Robert Hall to attend the Indigenous People's Day Convergence 2026 in Cincinnati, OH 10/9/26-10/10/26 to present and talk about the Neurosis music video filmed with Browning students in June 2026. The music video showcases Blackfeet youth and is allegory for finding strength within ourselves and our community

Financial Impact: N/A

Funding Source (Budget/grant, etc.) N/A

Attachment(s): PD Form/Itinerary

Superintendent Action: ☐ Approved ☐ Denied ☐ Deferred Initial & date: _____

Comments: _____

Board Action: ☐ N/A (Info) ☐ Approved ☐ Denied ☐ Tabled to: _____

BROWNING PUBLIC SCHOOLS
Leave Report/Travel Request

Employee Name Robert Hall
Building BNAS

Employee # _____
Substitute Name _____

LEAVE REPORT

<u>Date of Leave</u> <u>10/9/2026</u> _____	<u>Hours</u> <u>8hrs</u> _____	<u>Type of Leave</u> <u>SR Leave</u> _____
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Employee Signature _____ Date _____

☒ **Approved; Condition upon the specific leave being available for the specific employee** ☐ **Not Approved**

Principal/Supervisor _____ Date _____

TYPE OF LEAVE

AN Annual	PL Personal Leave	ALWO Approved Leave W/O Pay
SL Sick Leave	JD Jury Duty (attach verification)	ULWO Unapproved Leave w/o Pay
*EX/SR Extra-Curricular/School Related	NG National Guard	SWP Suspended w/Pay
	FN Funeral _____	SWOP Suspended w/o Pay

(Master Contract Relationship)

***If taking School Related/Extra-Curricular Leave only, In or Out of District, you MUST list Conference Agenda, Name, Location TRAVEL REQUEST. (If receiving payment for EX/SR leave please fill out entire form completely)**

Conference/Workshop Indigenous People's Day Convergence 2026 (Attach Brochure/Agenda)

Location Cincinnati, OH

Departure Date 10/9/2026

Return Date 10/10/2026

Departure Time 8:00 a.m.

Return Time TBD

Transportation: ☐ Personal Vehicle

Mileage _____ = _____

☐ District Vehicle

PerDiem _____ = _____

☐ Professional Development

☒ **Registration** PO# _____ = \$ _____

☒ **Hotel** PO# _____ = \$ _____

☒ **Other** PO# Airfare

= \$ _____

Submit Receipts on return for Taxi/Shuttle/Parking/Luggage

Sub Total \$ _____

Check Total \$

Budget _____

Employee Signature _____

Date _____

Principal/Supervisor _____

Date _____

Superintendent Signature _____

Date _____

White-Payroll

Yellow Acc.-Payable

Pink-Employee

Goldenrod-School Site

**Application for
Professional Development Opportunity
Browning Public Schools
2026-2027**

The goal of staff development is to improve achievement for Browning School students. Ideally, staff development should be sustained, intensive, of high quality, and involve as many staff and ultimately children as possible. Therefore, all staff members requesting professional development assistance are required to provide the following information:

Name Robert Hall

Job Title BNAS Director

Describe the type of professional development you are requesting. Include subject, area concentration, dates and follow-up activities.

Robert will be presenting the music video filmed with Browning students in June 2026 for the bands Neurosis and their song 'Mirror Deep.' Robert Will present on how the video's narrative is focused on collective strength and perseverance, escaping malicious spirits and warding them off with Blackfeet culture and strength.

Describe how this professional development activity will “improve (your) knowledge and skills, classroom instruction and student achievement.”

Spreading the art that is created in Blackfeet country can foster mor opportunities for artists in our community.

Describe how this professional development activity is tied to the goals of the District’s Consolidated Plan/Strategic Plan or your building’s School-wide Plan.

Promoting the strength of our students and the art they are part of will always be positive for our school reservation and tribe.

If the request requires out of district training, outline your plan to share what you have learned with other staff members and include a timeline.

Robert will 100% share experiences at the festival with BNAS department and school board through board report.

If this request involves use of funds, please attach the appropriate school district requisition and/or leave/travel request with itemized expenses. In Sate travel requests are due 2-weeks in advance. Out of State requests are due 30-days in advance. All travel must be approved by the Principal/Director and/or Supervisor. In State Travel must be approved by the board if 24 hours or overnight for administrators; both must be approved by the board if out of state.

Signature

10/7/2026
Date

Saturday October 10th: Speaker Series at Aronoff Center's Jarson- Kaplan Theater 650 Walnut Street Cincinnati OH 45202Walking Distance from Hotel**

8:30am: team and artists arrive at Aronoff

10:00-10:05: Welcome (5mins)

10:05-10:30: Jaque to give artist talk (30 mins) 10:30-

10:45: Vik and Lenny Film (15 mins) 10:45-11:05: Vik and

Lenny give talk (20 mins)

11:05-11:35: Copperface United Perform (30 mins)

11:35-11:45: Break (10 mins)

11:45-11:55: Firekeepers Alliance Music Video(10 mins)

11:55-12:15: Firekeepers Alliance (Robert and Jason) Talk (20 mins)

12:15-12:45: Rachel Secody performs (30 mins)

