



Technology Report for October 2026 School Board Meeting Highlighting September 2026 Activities

Department:	Technology
HR Business Services Committee:	10.12.2026
Regular Board Meeting:	10.20.2026
Report Prepared By:	Greg Krueger

Manager's Minutes:

- Much of the month of September was spent addressing start-of-the-year needs here in the district and leading network staff members through a major project. Outside of this, I participated in two brief professional development activities. First, I attended the Educator's AI Summit at St. Mary's University in the Twin Cities with several curriculum leaders. I also spent a day at the School Law Seminar where AI and data privacy were among the topics discussed. Advice related to AI policy adoption was shared and will be further reviewed by our district this year. The district's Technology Task Force also had its first meeting. The group discussed its proposed work for the year ahead and heard a variety of valuable input from the members in attendance.

What We're Working On:

- Staff completed replacing a major piece of network equipment this month. This was a budget-driven project that will result in lower ongoing licensing and support renewal costs for the district in future years. This project was completed by our network team members within the technology department in collaboration with an outside consultant.
- The district's first iPads have been made available in general education classrooms. The initial rollout consists of about a dozen grant-funded devices split between two art classrooms. The district has previously used iPads only for Special Services needs.
- The 50 new interactive flat panel displays installed this summer at Ordean East Middle School are working well in their first month of use. Our technology team is finalizing a decision surrounding the specific product to deploy at Lincoln Park Middle School as we move forward with replacing their Smartboards and projectors later this fall and winter. We expect to reach a decision prior to the end of October and foresee installation work at Lincoln beginning in November.

Staffing Report:

- Desktop System Specialist Jeremy Britton is resigning from his position; his last day with the district will be October 14.