School Board Minutes
INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT 191
October 22, 2026

The regular meeting of the Board of Education was called to order by Chair Alt at 6:30 p.m. The meeting was held at Diamondhead Education Center, 200 West Burnsville Parkway, Burnsville, MN, 55337.	Call to Order
Directors Anderson, Werb, Chester, Mikkelsen, Sachse, Hume and Chair Alt were present. Superintendent Dr. Latanya Daniels, Student School Board Representative Meena Pothini, administrators, staff and members of the public were also present.	Attendance
Chair Alt welcomed the audience and asked Director Werb to lead the Pledge of Allegiance.	Pledge of Allegiance
Moved by Mikkelsen, seconded by Chester, to approve the agenda. The motion carried unanimously (7,0).	Agenda
Received a school report from Hidden Valley Elementary School from Dr. Dr. Chris Bellmont, assistant superintendent, Kristine Black, principal and Inna Collier-Paske, learning coach.	Reports Hidden Valley
Received a Student Performance and Achievement Committee Report on Comprehensive Achievement and Civic Readiness / Achievement & Integration Progress report from Isis Buchanan, executive director of special programs, Jaimie Howe, director of elementary education and Megan Stecher, director of secondary education.	CACR and A & I
Director Mikkelsen shared a Policy Review Committee update. Director Werb gave a report about the Burnsville Festival and Fire Muster Committee.	Board Committee and Assignment Reports
Moved by Hume, seconded by Werb, to approve the consent agenda: -Approve minutes of the regular board meeting on October 8, 2026. -Approve personnel recommendations for Anna Johnston, David Clovis, Jane Omodt, Kendra Kelley, Taylor Robinson, Thomas Boehlke, Hazel Lazaro, Jenna Underwood, Maria Ruhland, Siri Mehring, Abigail Ryan, Adam Iverson, Ashley DeLuga, Austin Willette, Christian Kibler, Cory Johnson, Fowzia Farah, Gabrielle Ayers, Grace Johnson, Isis Brown, James Schnoebelen, Janet Fraenkel, Katy Hemmah, Kimberlee Harrod, Krystle Aschenaki, Madison McConnell, Pamela Hanson, Stephanie Colbaugh, Tanisa Winter, Zachary Friedmann, Katy Hemmah, Amra Butler, Elizabeth Vervais, Mark Gorzycki, Sharon Papendick, Abigail Ryan, Gabrielle Ayers, Karina Tipanquisa Simbana, Katie Keller, Katie Reeson, Michael Holmquist, Rahma Sahal, Raquel Rodrigues Pereira da Silva, Steven McGee, Taylor Robinson, and Zachary Friedmann. - Approve August payroll checks in the net amount of $3,170,014.06, August claims to date, wire transfers and adjustments totaling $12,029,315.00. Also, that the Board accepts August receipts of	Consent Agenda Minutes Personnel Recommendation Payroll Checks, Receipt, Claims and Investments

$15,240,613.37 and investments for the General Fund and OPEB of $100,540,314.84 as of August 31, 2026.
-Accepts the Budget Analysis for the month ending on August 31, 2026.
-Receive a Report about the Listening Session held on October 8, 2026.
- Approves scheduling a School Board Retreat on November 16, 2026 at 6:00 p.m. to conduct the School Board Self Evaluation.
The motion carried unanimously (7,0).

Budget Analysis, Listening Session Schedule Special Meeting

Moved by Chester, seconded by Anderson to adopt a Resolution to Accept Donations. A roll call vote was taken and the motion carried 7,0 with Alt, Hume, Mikkelsen, Anderson, Sachse, Werb, and Chester voting in favor and none against.

Adopt a Resolution to Accept Donations

Having no further agenda items, Chair Alt adjourned the meeting at 7:49 p.m.

Adjourn

(s) 11.12.26
Rachael Mikkelsen, Clerk Date

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