

Board Meeting Date: 6/12/23

Title: Designation of Identified Official with Authority for the MDE External User Access Recertification System

Type: Consent

Description: The Minnesota Department of Education (MDE) requires that school districts annually designate an Identified Official with Authority to comply with the MNIT Enterprise Identity and Access Management Standard which states that all user access rights to Minnesota state systems must be reviewed and recertified at least annually. The Identified Official with Authority (IOwA) assigns job duties and authorizes external user access to MDE secure systems for their local education agency (LEA).

Recommendation: Reauthorize Superintendent Stacie Stanley to act as the Identified Official with Authority (IOwA) and reauthorize Executive Assistant Anne Naas to act as the IOwA proxy to add and remove names only for Edina Public School District 0273-01.

Desired Outcome(s) from the Board: Review background and approve annual designation of MDE IOwA and IOwA proxy.

Attachment(s): MDE EDIAM Authorization Form



Education Identity and Access Management Board Resolution

The Minnesota Department of Education (MDE), Professional Educator Licensing Standards Board (PELSB), and Office of Higher Education (OHE) require annual designation of an Identified Official with Authority (IOwA) for each local educational agency that uses the Education Identity and Access Management (EDIAM) system. The IOwA is responsible for authorizing, reviewing, and recertifying user access for their local educational agency in accordance with the State of Minnesota Enterprise Identity and Access Management Standard, which states that all user access rights to Minnesota state systems must be reviewed and recertified at least annually. The IOwA will authorize user access to State of Minnesota Education secure systems in accordance with the user's assigned job duties, and will revoke that user's access when it is no longer needed to perform their job duties.

Your school board or equivalent governing board must designate an IOwA to authorize user access to State of Minnesota Education secure websites for your organization. This EDIAM board resolution must be completed and submitted to the Minnesota Department of Education annually, as well as any time there is a change in the assignment of the Identified Official with Authority.

It is strongly recommended that only one person at the local educational agency or organization (the superintendent or exec. director) is designated as the IOwA. The IOwA will grant the IOwA Proxy role(s).

Designation of the Identified Official with Authority for Education Identity and Access Management

Once the EDIAM Board Resolution is completed, scan and email it to: useraccess.mde@state.mn.us