

HSO Council Meeting Notes September 9, 2025

Paula Di Domenico attended the HSO Council Meeting and shared the following highlights from the School Board meetings.

August 2025 Board Meeting

- Discussed updates on school preparations, including family communication, staff professional development, and welcoming students by reviewing expectations and introducing new students to buildings (LES Meet & Greet and 6th and 9th grade orientations)
- Over 600 students attended 30 summer sports camps.
- Reviewed the District's "Top 5 Areas of Focus" for the year. Details on the "Areas of Focus" for each school will be presented during their School Improvement Plans (scheduled on the Board Planning Calendar).
- Reviewed trends in student enrollment for the District and each school. Total student enrollment is up 11 students - 1,607 total as of August.
3% attend SASD or private placement.

July 2025 Board Meeting

- The Vision 202 Committee summarized feedback from 89 participants at the April 29 meeting, highlighting district strengths, surprises, areas of curiosity, and suggestions for what to increase, continue, or stop.
- Next steps:
 - Incorporate specific actions in School Improvement Plans.
 - Share feedback in the October community newsletter.
 - Gather similar input from high school students.
- The Board reviewed information on the proposed Lincoln Avenue Redevelopment TIF project.

June 2025 Board Meeting

- The Board reviewed how AI Ed Tech tools are being used to enhance learning, especially in writing instruction and to support students learning English as an additional language.
- Academic integrity guidelines were expanded to include AI use.
- Leveraging AI in the classroom will be an area of focus throughout the year.
- The Board reviewed information on the East Ogden Redevelopment TIF project.
- Administration presented the FY2026 Tentative Budget for Board review and approval.

May 2025 Board Meeting

- LEHSO hosted a K-5 field day.
- Lisle Junior High received the IESA Sportsmanship Award for the second time, one of only 18 schools out of 959 to earn the recognition.
- Twenty-nine Class of 2025 students earned the State Seal or Commendation of Biliteracy.

- Twenty-seven students earned medals at Le Grand Concours, with three achieving perfect scores.
- The Board reviewed the District's five-year financial overview and forecast