# MINUTES BOARD OF EDUCATION Livonia Public Schools Regular Meeting December 12, 2022

President Burton convened the meeting at 6:31 p.m.

Members Present Acosta, Bonifield, Bradford, Burton, Centers, Jarvis, Johnson

Members Absent None

Consumers
Energy - Check
Presentation for
Energy Savings

Stacy Jenkins, Administrator of Communications, and Mr. Nathan Leindecker, Energy Advisor at Consumers Energy, shared information regarding the \$237,634.72 rebate LPS received from Consumers Energy. District staff applied for the rebate and it was approved based on the increased energy efficiency achieved in LPS buildings following the replacement of roofs and boilers.

Stevenson High School State Champ Swimmer It was moved by Mr. Johnson and supported by Mrs. Acosta that the Board of Education of the Livonia Public Schools School District adopt a resolution recognizing Stevenson High School swimmer McKenzie Siroky for capturing the MHSAA Girls Division 1 Swimming State Championship title.

#### RESOLUTION

**WHEREAS**, the Trustees of the Livonia Public Schools School District Board of Education are desirous of publicly recognizing the outstanding accomplishments of students who distinguish themselves during the pursuit of their public education in the school district; and

WHEREAS, McKenzie Siroky, a senior at Stevenson High School, has distinguished herself by achieving the 2022-2023 Michigan High School Athletic Association Division 1 Girls Swim & Dive State Champion title in the 100-yard Breaststroke for the third consecutive year; and

**WHEREAS**, McKenzie has achieved this honor with a Stevenson High School and state record-setting time of 1:00.27 seconds; and

WHEREAS, this adds to the outstanding accomplishments McKenzie has achieved during the 2022-2023 season, including setting a new school record in the 200-yard Medley Relay, 200-yard Free Relay, and the 50-yard Freestyle; a new pool record in the 50-yard Freestyle; and a new school and state record in the 100-yard Breaststroke, in addition to being designated as an All American Swimmer in the 100-yard Breaststroke and 200-yard Medley Relay and an All State Swimmer in the 50-yard Freestyle, 200-yard Medley Relay, 200 yard Free Relay and the 100-yard Breaststroke.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED,** that the Trustees of the Board of Education do hereby commend and congratulate McKenzie Siroky for her outstanding accomplishments in athletics and wish her well in her future endeavors as she applies the discipline and perseverance needed to excel in sports to all areas of her life.

Ayes: Acosta, Bonifield, Bradford, Burton, Centers, Jarvis, Johnson

Nays: None

District Update from the Superintendent

Superintendent Oquist presented highlights of recent activities taking place across the District, as well as upcoming events.

Written
Communications

None

Response to Prior Audience Communications None

Audience Communications None

#### Consent Agenda

It was moved by Mrs. Bradford and supported by Mrs. Bonifield that the Board of Education of the Livonia Public Schools School District approve the following consent agenda items, as recommended by the superintendent:

- V.A. Minutes of the Regular Meeting of November 28, 2022
- V.B. Minutes of the Special Meeting of November 28, 2022
- V.C. Minutes of the Closed Session of November 28, 2022
- VI.A. Approval to Purchase Copy Paper Contract Paper Group - \$84,400
- VI.G. Approval of Resolution for Summer Tax Collection One half school property taxes collected in summer from Cities of Livonia and Westland. Annual tax collection fee assessed by Livonia is \$462,761.59; annual tax collection fee assessed by Westland is \$0.

Ayes: Acosta, Bonifield, Bradford, Burton, Centers, Jarvis, Johnson

Nays: None

Approval of Bid Results for Summer 2023 Roof Replacement It was moved by Mr. Centers and supported by Mrs. Bradford that the Board of Education of the Livonia Public Schools School District approve the recommendation of the Owner's Representative, Plante Moran Cresa, to award the contract for roofing replacements at Kennedy Elementary and Stevenson High School to Lutz Roofing, Lake Orion, Michigan, in the amount of \$3,570,000 plus 6% contingency in the amount of \$214,200 for a total approved project amount of \$3,784,200 and authorize the Superintendent or her designee to negotiate and execute final contracts.

Ayes: Acosta, Bonifield, Bradford, Burton, Centers, Jarvis, Johnson

Nays: None

#### Approval to Purchase Art Tables

It was moved by Mrs. Bonifield and supported by Mrs. Jarvis that the Board of Education of the Livonia Public Schools School District approve the purchase of art tables from Smith System, Carrollton, Texas for a total purchase price of \$90,245.21.

Ayes: Acosta, Bonifield, Bradford, Burton, Centers, Jarvis, Johnson

Nays: None

### Approval to Purchase Maintenance Vehicle

It was moved by Mrs. Acosta and supported by Mr. Johnson that the Board of Education of the Livonia Public Schools School District approve the purchase of one truck from Gorno Ford, Woodhaven, Michigan, for a total cost of \$51,698.

Ayes: Acosta, Bonifield, Bradford, Burton, Centers, Jarvis, Johnson

Nays: None

#### Approval to Purchase School Buses – 2021 Bond

It was moved by Mrs. Jarvis and supported by Mr. Centers that the Board of Education of the Livonia Public Schools School District approve the purchase of school buses from Holland Bus Company, Holland, Michigan for a cost of \$744,195.

Ayes: Acosta, Bonifield, Bradford, Burton, Centers, Jarvis, Johnson

Nays: None

## Approval of Dickinson Abatement Contingency

It was moved by Mr. Johnson and supported by Mrs. Jarvis that the Board of Education of the Livonia Public Schools School District approve increased contingency funding for abatement at Dickinson Center in the amount of \$37,000.

Ayes: Acosta, Bonifield, Bradford, Burton, Centers, Jarvis, Johnson

Nays: None

#### Approval of 2022-23 First Budget Amendment

It was moved by Mrs. Bradford and supported by Mr. Centers that the Board of Education of the Livonia Public Schools approve the amended budgets for the 2022-2023 school year: General Fund, Funded Projects Fund, Special Education Fund, Debt Retirement Fund, 2021 Bond Fund, Sinking Fund, Capital Projects Fund, Food Services Fund, Health and Welfare Fund, Scholarship Fund and School Activities Fund.



## Livonia Public Schools 2022-23 First Amended General Fund & District Budgets

December 2022

# RESOLUTION FOR BUDGET ADOPTION BY THE BOARD OF EDUCATION LIVONIA PUBLIC SCHOOLS

RESOLVED, that the general appropriation for Livonia Public Schools for revenues for the fiscal year 2022-23 General Fund be amended as follows:

	2021-22 Actual	2022-23 Proposed	2022-23 First Amended
Revenue	, totaai	1100000	r not / unonada
Local	42,269,985	38,682,095	40,579,544
State	114,081,654	120,261,959	119,604,261
Federal	52,309	43,169	51,729
Other Financing Sources	2,592,400	2,592,400	2,727,064
Total Revenue	\$ 158,996,348	\$ 161,579,623	\$ 162,962,598
Fiscal Year Beginning Fund Balance	\$ 33,099,290	\$ 32,594,107	\$ 33,691,834
Revenue Plus Beginning Fund Balance (Total Available to Appropriate)	\$ 192,095,638	\$ 194,173,730	\$ 196,654,432

# RESOLUTION FOR BUDGET ADOPTION BY THE BOARD OF EDUCATION LIVONIA PUBLIC SCHOOLS

RESOLVED, that the general appropriation for Livonia Public Schools for expenditures for the fiscal year 2022-23 General Fund be amended as follows:

	2021-22			2022-23	2022-23		
	Actual			Proposed	First Amended		
Expenditures							
Instruction							
Basic Programs		79,079,405		81,018,034		83,115,932	
Added Needs		14,552,624		15,333,034		15,799,236	
Total Instruction	\$	93,632,029	\$	96,351,068	\$	98,915,168	
Support Services							
Pupil Support		9,125,223		8,416,620		8,518,792	
Instructional Staff Support		7,645,941		8,486,114		7,747,679	
General Administration		833,949		935,277		962,433	
School Administration		10,602,534		11,170,929		11,345,033	
Business Services		1,942,334		2,111,495		2,186,285	
Operations and Maintenance		17,771,457		19,020,875		19,178,860	
Transportation		7,381,870		8,191,485		8,063,753	
Other Central Support		4,753,356		4,948,930		5,237,446	
Athletics		2,412,255		2,440,789		2,440,789	
Total Support Services	\$	62,468,920	\$	65,722,514	\$	65,681,070	
Community Services	\$	1,390,396	\$	2,620,489	\$	1,784,009	
Other Financing Uses	\$	912,459	\$	-	\$	900,000	
Total Expenditures	\$	158,403,804	\$	164,694,071	\$	167,280,247	
Ending Fund Balance = Total Available to Appropriate less Total Expenditures	\$	33,691,834	\$	29,479,659	\$	29,374,185	
Fund Balance as a Percentage of Total Expenditures		21.3%		17.9%		17.6%	

## FUNDED PROJECTS FUND

\* The Funded Projects Fund is reported in the General Fund on the Comprehensive Annual Financial Report submitted to the State.

* The Funded Projects Fund is reported in the General Fund or	n the Comp		ncial F		State	
		2021-22		2022-23		2022-23
Paginning Fund Palance	¢	Actual		Proposed	¢	First Amended
Beginning Fund Balance	\$	-			\$	(877,400)
Revenues						
Local		55,368		101,735		195,763
State		6,446,287		6,571,954		10,293,308
Federal  Total Revenue	•	15,965,187	•	26,389,559	¢	27,544,069
Total Revenue	\$	22,466,841	\$	33,063,248	\$	38,033,140
Expenditures						
Instructional		14,058,187		17,472,621		17,562,993
Support		7,436,373		13,669,151		17,313,683
Community Services		1,514,004		1,572,072		1,667,112
Other Financing Uses		335,677		349,404		611,953
Total Expenditures	\$	23,344,241	\$	33,063,248	\$	37,155,741
Ending Fund Palance	\$	(877,400)	¢	_	\$	_
Ending Fund Balance	Ψ	(077,400)	Ψ	-	Ψ	-
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Revenue Detail						
Local Sources  Dunning Foundation		12,000				
LPS Foundation		30,842		21,508		63,097
Miscellaneous Local Sources		950		21,300		28,939
Wayne RESA		11,576		80,227		103,727
Total Local Sources	\$	55,368	\$	101,735	\$	195,763
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State Sources						
Section 11r(4) ESSER Per Pupil Equalization		300,420		-		-
Section 23b (2)d Innovative Summer Programs		154,179		154,180		-
Section 31a At Risk		3,705,914		4,240,933		4,675,772
Section 31aa Per-Pupil Mental Health Grant		-		-		1,424,464
Section 31n(6) Mental Health		044.004		075 400		180,000
Section 32d Great School Readiness		614,334		675,120		770,826
Section 35a Early Literacy Section 41 Bilingual Education		333,531 146,153		333,531 146,433		318,062 158,587
Section 54d Early On		117,500		117,500		283,750
Section 61 Vocational Education		696,171		526,172		639,184
Section 97 Per-Pupil Student Safety		-		-		1,424,464
Section 97d Critical Incident Mapping		-		-		105,408
Section 99h FIRST Robotics		19,905		19,905		
Section 107 Adult Education		358,180		358,180		312,791
Total State Sources	\$	6,446,287	\$	6,571,954	\$	10,293,308
Federal Sources		065				
CACFP Emergency Operations Child Care Grant		965 1,371,343		-		1,496,566
Emergency Connectivity		28,218		3,229,920		3,192,000
ESSER Grants		4,270,278		10,190,277		9,969,841
IDEA Grants		5,190,895		4,021,561		4,437,294
Michigan Clean Diesel		-		73,529		73,529
NSLP Equipment Assistance		31,500		31,500		-
Section 23 Grants		358,104		661,165		940,312
Section 11p Coronavirus Relief		2,283,351		-		-
Section 11t ESSER Per Pupil Equalization				5,538,520		5,538,520
Title I Part A		1,353,500		1,394,465		1,057,706
Title II Part A		493,194		577,940 71,740		263,776 50,471
Title III Part A English Learners Title III Part A Immigrant Learners		52,321 28,007		71,740 29,073		50,471 19,543
Title IV, Part A SSAE		93,718		103,693		78,915
Vocational Perkins		288,472		288,472		244,089
WIOA- Adult Basic Education- Instruction		121,323		177,704		181,507
Total Federal Sources	\$	15,965,187	\$	26,389,559	\$	27,544,069
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## SPECIAL EDUCATION FUND

	2021-22 Actual		2022-23 Proposed	2022-23 First Amended
Beginning Fund Balance	\$ 2,798,352	\$	898,352	\$ 1,108,043
Revenues				
Local	10,061,177		10,340,274	13,725,609
State	 6,852,962		8,490,754	7,559,006
Total Revenue	\$ 16,914,139	\$	18,831,028	\$ 21,284,615
Expenditures				
Instructional	9,280,444		10,039,099	11,188,907
Support	5,824,005		6,601,929	7,228,262
Transfers to Other Funds	3,500,000		2,200,000	3,000,000
Total Expenditures	\$ 18,604,449	\$	18,841,028	\$ 21,417,169
Ending Fund Balance	\$ 1,108,043	\$	888,352	\$ 975,489
Expenditure Detail  Moderate Cognitive	2 247 070		2 450 000	2 024 550
Impairment Program	3,247,079		3,459,099	3,924,559
Visually Impaired Program	1,659,279		1,811,346	1,806,185
Skill Center Program	3,686,045		4,264,841	3,895,840
Additional Expanditures (20/)	6,389,392		7,105,744	8,659,182
Additional Expenditures (3%)	122,655		-	131,403
Transfer to Other Funds	 3,500,000	•	2,200,000	 3,000,000
Total Expenditures	\$ 18,604,449	\$	18,841,030	\$ 21,417,169

## DEBT RETIREMENT FUNDS

	2021-22 Actual			2022-23 Proposed	2022-23 First Amended		
		Actual		Порозец		i ii st Amenaea	
Beginning Fund Balance	\$	3,794,623	\$	1,729,584	\$	2,267,497	
Revenues							
Tax Revenue		21,082,847		20,850,826		20,850,826	
Interest Income		27,672		1,000		30,000	
Total Revenue	\$	21,110,519	\$	20,851,826	\$	20,880,826	
Expenditures							
Bond Redemption		14,030,000		13,250,000		13,250,000	
Bond Interest		8,605,345		8,397,994		8,397,994	
Other		2,300		200,000		200,000	
Total Expenditures	\$	22,637,645	\$	21,847,994	\$	21,847,994	
Ending Fund Balance	\$	2,267,497	\$	733,416	\$	1,300,329	
Expenditure Detail							
Bond Redemption							
2013 Bond Series 1		900,000		1,175,000		1,175,000	
2013 Bond Series 2		1,450,000		1,850,000		1,850,000	
2014 Refunding Bond		7,810,000		4,185,000		4,185,000	
2020 Refunding Bond		-		1,245,000		1,245,000	
2021 Bond Series 1		3,870,000		4,795,000		4,795,000	
Bond Redemption- Total	\$	14,030,000	\$	13,250,000	\$	13,250,000	
Bond Interest							
2013 Bond Series 1		161,000		125,000		125,000	
2013 Bond Series 2		3,513,750		3,441,250		3,441,250	
2014 Refunding Bond		764,750		374,250		374,250	
2020 Refunding Bond		1,888,195		1,888,194		1,888,194	
2021 Bond Series 1		2,277,650	_	2,569,300		2,569,300	
<b>Bond Interest- Total</b>	\$	8,605,345	\$	8,397,994	\$	8,397,994	

## 2021 BOND

	2021-22 Actual	2022-23 Proposed	2022-23 First Amended
Beginning Fund Balance	\$ 77,547,490	\$ 43,597,490	\$ 65,206,723
Revenues			
Other Financing Sources	-	-	-
Interest Income	 (384,277)	50,000	500,000
Total Revenue	\$ (384,277)	\$ 50,000	\$ 500,000
Expenditures			
Facility Improvements	11,601,599	40,000,000	60,000,000
Other	354,891	2,000,000	4,000,000
	\$ 11,956,490	\$ 42,000,000	\$ 64,000,000
Ending Fund Balance	\$ 65,206,723	\$ 1,647,490	\$ 1,706,723

## SINKING FUND

(RESTRICTED)

	2021-22 Actual	2022-23 Proposed	2022-23 First Amended
BEGINNING FUND BALANCE	\$ 4,436,012	\$ 1,254,415	\$ 3,925,250
REVENUES			
Local	7,706,045	7,937,726	7,937,726
Other Financing Sources	 -	-	95,446
Total Revenue	\$ 7,706,045	\$ 7,937,726	\$ 8,033,172
EXPENDITURES			
Facility Improvements	8,186,807	8,000,000	10,000,000
Other	 30,000	600,000	600,000
	\$ 8,216,807	\$ 8,600,000	\$ 10,600,000
ENDING FUND BALANCE	\$ 3,925,250	\$ 592,141	\$ 1,358,422

## CAPITAL PROJECTS FUND

	2021-22 Actual			2022-23 Proposed	2022-23 First Amended	
BEGINNING FUND BALANCE	\$	3,654,690	\$	3,402,097	\$	3,121,370
REVENUES						
Proceeds from Sale of Property		49,060		50,000		50,000
Transfer from Other Funds		2,395,436		500,000		1,520,000
Total Revenue	\$	2,444,496	\$	550,000	\$	1,570,000
EXPENDITURES						
Facility Improvements		2,881,201		-		1,000,000
Other		96,615		3,000,000		-
Total Expenditures	\$	2,977,816	\$	3,000,000	\$	1,000,000
ENDING FUND BALANCE	\$	3,121,370	\$	952,097	\$	3,691,370

## FOOD SERVICE FUND

(RESTRICTED)

	2021-22		2022-23	2022-23		
		Actual	Proposed		First Amended	
Beginning Fund Balance	\$	39,831	\$ 2,262,821	\$	1,872,790	
Revenues						
Local Sales		250,604	202,000		250,000	
State Reimbursement		133,716	186,451		100,874	
Federal Reimbursement		5,998,639	1,980,000		1,980,000	
Other Financing Sources		-	-		-	
Total Revenue	\$	6,382,959	\$ 2,368,451	\$	2,330,874	
Expenditures						
Support Services		4,310,000	3,250,000		3,500,000	
Transfers to Other Funds		240,000	200,000		240,000	
Total Expenditures	\$	4,550,000	\$ 3,450,000	\$	3,740,000	
Ending Fund Balance	\$	1,872,790	\$ 1,181,272	\$	463,664	

### **HEALTH & WELFARE FUND**

	2021-22 Actual	2022-23 Proposed			2022-23 First Amended		
Beginning Fund Balance	\$ 1,251,258	\$	1,157,241	\$	593,800		
Revenues							
Employee Contributions	2,785,504		2,552,703		2,950,000		
Transfer From Other Funds	18,096,252		19,495,198		20,006,555		
Total Revenue	\$ 20,881,756	\$	22,047,902	\$	22,956,555		
Expenditures							
Premiums/Claims/Fees	\$ 21,539,214	\$	22,112,309	\$	23,050,355		
Ending Fund Balance	\$ 593,800	\$	1,092,834	\$	500,000		

## SCHOLARSHIP FUND

(RESTRICTED)

	2021-22 Actual	2022-23 Proposed	2022-23 First Amended
Beginning Fund Balance	\$ 37,233	\$ 39,314	\$ 44,359
Revenues Local- Donations	\$ 18,081	\$ 6,000	\$ 6,000
Expenditures Scholarships	\$ 10,955	\$ 12,000	\$ 12,000
Ending Fund Balance	\$ 44,359	\$ 33,314	\$ 38,359

## SCHOOL ACTIVITIES FUND

	2021-22 Actual	2022-23 Proposed	2022-23 First Amended
Beginning Fund Balance	\$ 1,479,721	\$ 1,479,721	\$ 1,609,323
Revenue- School Deposits	\$ 2,080,471	\$ 2,000,000	\$ 2,000,000
Expenditures- School Activities	\$ 1,950,869	\$ 2,000,000	\$ 2,000,000
Ending Fund Balance	\$ 1,609,323	\$ 1,479,721	\$ 1,609,323

Ayes: Acosta, Bonifield, Bradford, Burton, Centers, Jarvis, Johnson

Nays: None

Approval of Resolution to Authorize the Issuance and Sale of Bonds It was moved by Mr. Centers and supported by Mrs. Jarvis that the Board of Education of the Livonia Public Schools School District approve the attached resolution authorizing the issuance of bonds, delegation of the sale of bonds, and other matters relating thereto, including the authorization of the Superintendent to execute necessary documents and agreements.

Ayes: Acosta, Bonifield, Bradford, Burton, Centers, Jarvis, Johnson

Nays: None

### Teachers for Approval

It was moved by Mrs. Bonifield and supported by Mrs. Acosta that the Board of Education of the Livonia Public Schools School District accept the recommendation of the superintendent and offer employment for the 2022-23 school year to the following teachers:

Gearns, Katherine
Hutko, Alexandra
Vipond, Christina
1.0 Resource Room Teacher
1.0 Resource Room Teacher
Kennedy
Frost

Ayes: Acosta, Bonifield, Bradford, Burton, Centers, Jarvis, Johnson

Nays: None

Resignation

The Board was informed of the resignation of:

Danielle Daniels 11/30/22

#### Retirement

It was moved by Mrs. Acosta and supported by Mrs. Bradford that the Board of Education of the Livonia Public Schools School District adopt a resolution of appreciation for:

**Kathryn Lamont**, who will retire from the District on December 31, 2022, and has devoted 17.3 years of dedicated, loyal, and outstanding service to the Livonia Public Schools as a paraprofessional in the Transportation Department

Ayes: Acosta, Bonifield, Bradford, Burton, Centers, Jarvis, Johnson

Nays: None

## First Reading of Board Policies

Proposed changed to the policies below were reviewed by the Board and will be on the agenda of the next Regular Board meeting for a second reading and potential approval.

BOARD POLICY

INSTRUCTIONAL PROGRAM MARCH 16, 2015

SPECIAL EDUCATION PROGRAMS

The Board of Education provides special programs and services to meet the needs of its students with special needs. These programs and services will be coordinated by the Department of Student Services, which interprets and operates these services according

**IDDA** 

#### to law.

The School District will provide eligible students with Individualized Education Plans (IEP) programming and services to meet their needs. These programs and services will be coordinated by the Department of Student Services and its staff. The District will abide by all applicable laws, including State and Federal laws such as Michigan Administrative Rules for Special Education (MARSE) and Individuals with Disability Education Act (IDEA).

## BOARD POLICY IDDD INSTRUCTIONAL PROGRAM PROGRAMS FOR THE GIFTED ACADEMICALLY TALENTED

The Board of Education shall encourage the staff to seek out those organizational arrangements, teaching methods and other instructional provisions for providing the appropriate learning and development of all academically talented and otherwise gifted students. To this end, pilot programs may be established, and studies and research conducted to ascertain appropriate curricular and instructional means for accomplishing the above objective.

The School District will provide academically talented students access to learning opportunities both in general education classrooms and in magnet programs, to meet their needs. These programs and services will be coordinated by the directors of elementary and secondary education with the support of the Academic Services Department.

Staff may conduct studies and research to ascertain appropriate curricular and instructional opportunities and programming for academically talented students.

### BOARD POLICY II INSTRUCTIONAL PROGRAM DATE

#### SYSTEMWIDE ASSESSMENT STANDARDIZED TESTING PROGRAM

The purpose of the systemwide assessment program is to plan appropriate instructional activities for each student in addition to providing the School District and each school essential information on the growth and achievement of our learners.

The School District will select and administer a series of aptitude, diagnostic and standardized achievement assessments, which provide information related to a student's learning potential as well as longitudinal achievement data on individual learners and cohorts of students in the District. Other appropriate assessments may be used for diagnostic purposes.

The School District shall assess learning based on the current standards and curriculum being used in classrooms across the District. This includes, but is not limited to, school improvement assessments, common course and grade level assessments, and unit tests. These assessments, along with standardized assessments, provide a broader picture of a student's abilities and attainment of standards. In addition, surveys and student focus groups provide a "picture" of students' thoughts, feelings and attitudes.

BOARD POLICY INSTRUCTIONAL PROGRAM TESTING PROGRAMS

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The Board of Education expects the staff to select and administer a series of mental capacity tests and standardized achievement tests, particularly in the areas of the so-called basic skills and study skills, as one source of data indicating the nature of the students' potential and of their longitudinal achievement as they progress through the schools. Other appropriate tests may be used on an optional basis for diagnostic

#### purposes.

Although it is the general attitude of this Board that reasonable limits should be placed on the administering of tests to students, it is permissible to administer selected so-called external tests to those students desiring to take the same for college entrance, scholarships, academic competition, and college placement.

The Board of Education encourages the staff to examine continually the values which reflect the objectives of the School System, the needs of students, and the circumstances in society which indicate the necessity for new or different educational experiences. As a result of such study and reexamination, the staff is further encouraged to seek better means for assessing learning in such areas as the cognitive abilities including inductive thinking, the process of inquiry, critical thinking, and the process of problem-solving. Also, it is expected that assessment means should be found or devised through which data may be gathered regarding learning in the so-called "affective domain," including such factors as feelings, attitudes, and appreciations. LEGAL REF.:

## BOARD POLICY INSTRUCTIONAL PROGRAM

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USE AND DISSEMINATION OF TEST ASSESSMENT RESULTS

All parents and students 18 and over have full access to all educational records or data relating to the student. Student records will not be released to a third party without prior written consent of the parents or the student if over 18, with exceptions made for other school officials and governmental education agencies or as otherwise provided by law.

The District will provide all parents/guardians and students who are over 18, full access to personal educational data. Student records will not be released to a third party without prior written consent of the parent/guardian or student (if over 18), with the exceptions made for Livonia Public Schools staff, governmental educational agencies or other persons, as provided by law.

#### Adjournment

President Burton adjourned the meeting at 7:59 p.m.

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