

Minutes of CURRICULUM COMMITTEE

The Board of Trustees

Gull Lake Community Schools

A Curriculum Committee meeting of the Board of Trustees of Gull Lake Community Schools was held on Friday, July 10, 2026, beginning at 8:04 AM in the Christopher L. Rundle Administration Building.

Roll Call: Assistant Superintendent of Curriculum & Instructional Technology Bobbi Jo Stoner, Chair and Board Secretary Mini Paulose-Murphy, Superintendent Drew Bordner, Board President Carole Mendez, Board Vice President Desiree LaDuke

Guests: Dan Tryles of Kingscott, Heidi Pfannes of Miller-Davis

1. Public Comments: None

2. Draft Minutes: The meeting minutes of June 12, 2026, were approved.

3. Student Engagement & Bond Planning

Dan Tryles and Heidi Pfannes provided an update on the Facilities/Bond Planning process. The Committee reviewed conceptual building renderings and discussed enrollment projections, classroom needs, site improvements, and financial implications.

Heidi presented preliminary cost estimates for additions and new construction, noting that the figures will be revised and presented at a future meeting. President Mendez reviewed the PFM financial analysis, explaining potential bond scenarios ranging from \$88 million to \$118 million without a tax increase due to an increase in district property values.

The Committee also discussed the need for a second Grades 3-5 building, the educational benefits of multiple learning pathways, and using the community survey to gauge support and inform future messaging.

4. GLHS Lunch Schedule Change

Assistant Superintendent Stoner presented the GLHS Lunch Schedule Change to the Committee. The School Improvement Team researched the transition to a two-lunch schedule and confirmed support from teachers, office staff, food service, and pupil accounting. The Committee was informed that instructional minutes will remain unchanged. The impact of the revised schedule was reviewed, and members were advised that the change will be announced at an upcoming Board meeting.

5. Committee Goals

This agenda item was tabled until next committee meeting.

6. Next Meeting: August 14, 2026 @ 8:00 a.m.