



Technology Report for January 2026 School Board Meeting Highlighting December 2025 Activities

Department: Technology
HR|Business Services Committee: 01.12.2026
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Manager's Minutes:

- The district's core switch was replaced over holiday break. The new device occupies significantly less space in the district's leased datacenter. It will also offer a longer serviceable life and consume less power than the equipment it replaced.
- An online faxing system has been implemented for all of the district's fax numbers

What We're Working On:

- Notice was given to reduce our footprint of leased space at our rented datacenter location. This change will be effective in fall of this year and will reduce recurring expenses for the department.
- We've begun preparing documents for filing in the coming E-Rate season. E-Rate is the federal program that pays for certain Internet and in-district network products and services at schools and libraries.
- Classroom teachers and our tech team continue review of several new interactive flat panel displays deployed in pilot classrooms.
- Google Gemini was enabled for all staff as the new calendar year began, after educators were provided with additional AI training.

Staffing Report:

- The department currently has three vacancies across our network and security teams:
 - Network Architect position has been vacant since early September
 - Security Analyst position vacant since late October
 - Network Engineer I position since January 2, 2026
- We have pending job offers out for two of these three positions
- We'll begin interviewing for the Network Engineer position in January