

Memo

To: Board of Trustees
From: Rob Sauer
Date: February 4, 2026
Re: Superintendents Board Report

Updates

- I spent Friday, January 30th at the Capitol meeting with legislators, the state superintendent, the governor, and lieutenant governor. Most of the discussions were focused on pushing back on the possible 1% or 2% cuts to K-12 public education. The meetings went well and most seemed to be on the same page as far as not wanting to push forward with the possible cuts. It doesn't sound like those cuts will move forward. However, we will see a fiscal negative as a result of insurance increases, career ladder movement, inflation, etc...
- IDLA is facing a \$10 million cut to their budget. That equals 39% of their overall budget. We could see fewer course offerings for high school students. 10% of our student population accessed IDLA in the fall. This will have some impact on us, but not as much as it could be.