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Agenda V.B.4. December 9, 2021

To:Board of EducationDr. Theresa Battle, superintendent

From: Lisa Rider, executive director of business services

Date: December 2, 2021

Re: Combined Precincts

Recommendation: that the Board adopts a resolution establishing combined polling places for certain multiple precincts and designating hours during which the polling places will remain open for voting for school district elections not held on the day of a statewide election.

205A.11 PRECINCTS; POLLING PLACES.

Subd. 2. Combined polling place.

(a) When no other election is being held in a school district, the school board may designate combined polling places at which the voters in those precincts may vote in the school district election.

(b) By December 31 of each year, the school board must designate, by resolution, combined polling places. The combined polling places designated in the resolution are the polling places for the following calendar year, unless a change is made:

(1) pursuant to section 204B.175; or

(2) because a polling place has become unavailable.

(c) If the school board designates combined polling places pursuant to this subdivision, polling places must be designated throughout the district, taking into account both geographical distribution and population distribution. A combined polling place must be at a location designated for use as a polling place by a county or municipality.