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**School Board Meeting Agenda Item**

Topic: Administrative Reports  
 Contact(s):  
 Presenter(s): Karsten Anderson, Superintendent

Nature of Action Requested by Board

Board action   
 Board information or scheduled report

Background Information

<p>Prom 2022</p>	<p>Paul Hartmann reported that prom was a great success on May 7<sup>th</sup>. Paul expressed the following:</p> <p>“I want to thank all of the individuals that helped to plan and supervise RWHS Prom this past weekend. From all accounts, it was indeed a success. There are many hours that go into planning an event like this and those that were able to help work were student focused while keeping general order.</p> <p>We had a packed Sonju Gym for our first indoor grand march since the spring of 2019. Our students and community appreciate your work!</p> <p>Huge thank you to Nicky Larson, Jason Dankers, Carol Amberg, Demi Brunkhorst, Molly Kiefer, Joanie Heineman, Kristin Bray, Courtney Peter, Lisa Hanson, Taylor Becker, Megan Hanten, Alicia Redman, Bill Redman, Phil White, Brianna Smith, Frank Norton, Dan McMahon, and our student Prom Crew.”</p>
<p>Employee Recognition Celebration</p>	<p>Due to COVID-19, we were unable to hold our yearly celebration to recognize employees celebrating 25 years in the district and those who retired in the 2019-2020 and the 2020-2021 school years.</p> <p>We are making plans to hold an in-person event at the end of the 2021-2022 school year.</p> <p>This celebration will take place on Friday, June 3, 2022, at 7:30 a.m. in the high school cafeteria, and recognize all employees that retired or reached 25 years of service in the 2019-2020, 2020-2021 and 2021-2022 school years.</p>

RWHS Student Discipline	<p><u>Bathrooms</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Additional supervision is provided in hallways near bathrooms. Only two students are allowed in bathrooms at a given time during instructional time.</li> </ul> <p><u>Hallways</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Students are now required to carry paper passes when in hallways during instructional time.</li> <li>• At a recent meet and confer session with teachers, concerns were expressed about hallway behavior between 11:30-1:30. George Nemanich will work with high school admin and teachers on addressing this concern.</li> <li>• One class of older students have a different transition time than other 9<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> graders; this often leads to disruptive behavior when 7<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> graders are in class. A teacher will be assigned to escort that class to the next period and use a different route to the class.</li> </ul> <p><u>General</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Concerns have been expressed about follow-up to educators who submit referrals. The district will review options for allowing teachers to access referrals and related consequences.</li> <li>• The district will review the 500-series of policies to see if any changes should be made to policies, procedures, or implementation.</li> <li>• To reduce the number of teachers using personal leave on the same day, Superintendent Anderson will remind teachers of limits in the teacher agreement.</li> <li>• The district will explore the possibility of providing de-escalation training for all teachers during workshop week.</li> <li>• The district will review MTSS processes to better meet the needs of students.</li> <li>• Principal Nemanich will begin reviewing how educational structures should change to accommodate needs of students.</li> </ul>
TBMS Principal	7 individuals have been invited to interview for the TBMS Principal position.
Teacher Placement	The district will be emailing an initial draft of teacher placements for the upcoming school year. The first draft only includes continuing contract teachers. After they have a chance to review the draft, updates will be made to include all teachers.
Staffing Update	<p><b><u>Open as of May 9, 2022:</u></b></p> <p><b>Other - Current</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1 @ School Nurse – SES</li> <li>1 @ ECFE Parent Educator – Colvill</li> <li>1 @ Head Cook – Summer Food Program</li> <li>2 @ Cook – RWHS</li> <li>1 @ 6 hr Summer Food Program Cook</li> <li>4 @ 4.5 hr Summer Food Program Cook</li> <li>1 @ Custodian – RWHS</li> </ul>

	<p><b>Teaching Vacancies 22/23 School Year</b>  1 @ Business Education – RWHS  1 @ Industrial Technology – RWHS  1 @ Computer – TB  1 @ FACS – TB/RWHS  1 @ Physical Education – TB</p> <p><b><u>Other Vacancies Open 22/23 School Year:</u></b>  <u>8 @ Coaching – Athletics</u>  <u>1 @ Head Cook – BES</u></p>
Substitutes	<p>Unfilled substitutes from May 2<sup>nd</sup> – May 6th:</p> <p>Paraprofessionals: Average of 7.2 unfilled absences per day.  Teachers: Average of 10.2 unfilled absences per day.</p>
Operating Levy Update	<p>In the last two weeks, we have had one presentation to the public.  There is no additional documentation to provide.</p>
Status of COVID-Related Federal Grants	<p>Here is a status report on COVID-related Federal grants:</p> <p><u>ESSER III General Allocation:</u>  Approved: \$1,684,503  Received: \$297,024.77</p> <p><u>ESSER III Learning Recovery:</u>  Approved: \$421,126  Received: \$8798.36</p> <p><u>Emergency Connectivity Fund</u>  Approved: \$455,849  Received: \$0</p> <p><u>COVID Testing</u>  Approved: \$146,433  Received:\$74,450.80</p> <p>ARP Homeless Children and Youth  Approved: \$6,968  Received: \$0</p> <p>ESSER III Lost Instructional Time  Approved: \$131,486  Received: \$0</p> <p>ESSER III Pandemic Enrollment Loss  Approved: \$139,878  Received: \$4102.77</p>