

## SCHOOL BOARD ORGANIZATIONAL MEETING

## **ELECTION OF OFFICERS**

OFFICE Chairperson	PURPOSE The Chairperson presides at all meetings of the school board, countersigns all orders upon the Treasurer for claims allowed by the board, represents the school district in all actions, and performs all of the duties usually incumbent on such officer. Experience as an officer is preferred. In addition,  • Returns correspondence from community members • Consults with superintendent on emerging issues • Works with superintendent and vice-chair to set upcoming agendas week prior to board meeting	2018  Judy Schwartz	2019
Vice Chair	The Vice Chair keeps records of all meetings of the school board, oversees all elections conducted by the district. The Vice Chair shall perform the duties of the chair in the event of the chair's temporary absence. In addition,  • Works with superintendent and chair to set upcoming agendas week prior to board meeting	Julie McGraw	
Treasurer	<ul> <li>The Treasurer shall deposit the funds of the school district in the official depository, make all reports that may be called for by the school board, and performs all of the duties usually incumbent on such officer. In addition,</li> <li>Serves as the co-chair of the finance committee</li> <li>Reports to the board a summary of the finance committee meetings</li> <li>Serves on the finance sub-committee and recommends negotiation parameters to the full board</li> <li>Meets quarterly with the director of business services regarding the fiscal status of the district</li> </ul>	Stacey Stout	

## **COMMITTEE APPOINTMENTS**

COMMITTEE	<u>PURPOSE</u>	<u>2018</u>	<u>2019</u>
Facilities Committee	The purpose of the Facilities Committee is to assist the school board and administration to achieve safe, clean, well-maintained, and attractive buildings and grounds. The committee will consist of three board members, superintendent, business manager, head of buildings and grounds, technology director, and up to two teachers. The committee will review and comment on proposed capital projects for buildings and grounds, significant system or staffing changes, and the ten year facilities plan prior to final review or action by the board. This committee may be combined with the finance committee when the interests significantly overlap.	Mike Chevalier Kevin Donovan Julie McGraw	
Finance Committee	The purpose of the Finance Committee is to assist the school board and administration with long-range planning related to district finance. The committee will be co-chaired by the Treasurer and the director of business services. The committee will consist of three board members, superintendent, director of business services, up to three members of the community, and up to two teachers. The committee will identify long-range economic strategies and maintain district financial health.  This committee may be combined with the facilities committee when the interested significantly overlap.	Kevin Donovan Julie McGraw Stacey Stout	
Personnel Committee	The purpose of the Personnel Committee is to assist the school board and administration to maintain a quality work force and resolve employee grievances. The committee will consist of three board members, superintendent, human resources supervisor. The committee will resolve employee grievances, staff discipline, and evaluate the superintendent's performance prior to final review or action by the board.  The committee will meet at least twice annually and as needed.	Lucy Payne Judy Schwartz Stacey Stout	
Policy Committee	The purpose of the Policy Committee is to assist the school board and administration in updating the district's policy manual. The committee will consist of three board members, superintendent, the administrative assistant, and up to two teachers. The committee will review new and current policies prior to reading and action by the board and establish a policy review rotation cycle.  The committee will meet at least twice annually and as needed.	Mike Chevalier Lucy Payne Judy Schwartz	

# ADVISORY BOARD APPOINTMENTS

ADVISORY BOARD	PURPOSE	2018	<u>2019</u>
Association of Metropolitan School Districts (AMSD)	<ul> <li>The Association of Metropolitan School Districts exists to represent member school districts in the legislative process and to initiate and support legislation in the best interests of public education, member school districts, students, and works to achieve funding equity.</li> <li>Monthly meetings on the first Friday of the month 7:30 am-9:00 am</li> <li>Annual Conference (usually on policy in December)</li> <li>At the next full board meeting must report back to the full board an abbreviated account of the meeting</li> </ul>	Mike Chevalier	
Minnesota School Boards Association (MSBA) Legislative Committee Liaison	During the legislative session, the Minnesota School Boards Association Legislative Liaisons will serve as the contact person for MSBA's legislative effort. Legislative Liaisons should stay current on key education issues and provide reports to his/her board at each meeting during the legislative session.  • Winter conference (usually a Thursday and Friday) in January • Spring Legislative/Lobbying day at the Capitol • At the next full board meeting must report back to the full board an abbreviated account of the meeting	Lucy Payne	
Minnesota State High School League (MSHSL)	<ul> <li>This individual serves as the district representative for Minnesota State High School League.</li> <li>• Must meet with school's activity director to review Information from the League office.</li> <li>• At the next full board meeting must report back to the full board an abbreviated account of the meeting</li> <li>• Rarely is there a MSHSL meeting</li> </ul>	Lucy Payne	

### **GOVERNING BOARD APPOINTMENTS**

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Integration District: Educational Equity Alliance	<ul> <li>The integration district partnership with North St. Paul-Maplewood-Oakdale School District was formed to address the Minnesota Desegregation Law.</li> <li>Meets 1-2 times per year</li> <li>Responsible for arranging, with superintendent, appropriate board training (i.e. SEED)</li> <li>At the next full board meeting must report back to the full board an abbreviated account of the meeting</li> </ul>	Kevin Donovan	
Mahtomedi Area Educational Foundation (MAEF)	<ul> <li>The mission of the Mahtomedi Area Educational Foundation is to recognize and develop the full potential of all people living and working within District 832 through teaching and learning.</li> <li>Meets monthly with usually three social obligations, but does not require a lot of preparation</li> <li>At the next full board meeting must report back to the full board an abbreviated account of the meeting</li> </ul>	Julie McGraw Barb Duffrin, ex-officio	Barb Duffrin, ex-officio
Metropolitan Educational Cooperative Service Unit (ECSU)	<ul> <li>The Metropolitan Educational Cooperative Services Unit provides cost-effective, high-quality education-based services and programs to school district.</li> <li>The ECSU has an annual meeting of the Representative Assembly</li> <li>At the next full board meeting must report back to the full board an abbreviated account of the meeting</li> </ul>	Kevin Donovan	
Northeast Metro 916 Governing Board	Northeast Metropolitan Intermediate School District-916, in cooperation with member school districts, provides programs and services to students including secondary vocational, special education, telecommunications, and other low-incidence specialties.  • Monthly board meetings  • Requires preparation and knowledge of the upcoming board issues  • There is an additional stipend  • District 916 requests a four year appointment	Judy Schwartz	

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### **OTHER COMMITTEES**

Calendar Committee – as needed <u>Kevin Donovan</u>		
Community Education Advisory Committee—quarterly <u>Stacey Stout</u>		
District Curriculum Advisory Committee - three times a year <u>Lucy Payne</u>		
Elementary PTO - once a month Mike Chevalier		
Special Education Parent Advisory Committee - three times a year _Julie McGraw		
Other Committees that may request board representation:		
Commencement Speaker		
Gifted and Talented Advisory Board: Julie McGraw		
Instructional Leadership Team/Data Assessment Team (Winter Vary by Building & Summer in August): Those available		
Q Comp _Mike Chevalier		

#### **ADDITIONAL DUTIES**

- Attendance on committees, governing boards, advisory boards, or other committee is required. In the event you are unable to attend, it is your responsibility to find someone to attend in your place.
- Communication: The Globe is a quarterly publication and our best source of community information. It is sent to every resident in the district, all the families who live out of the district, and all the staff who live out of the district. The article is around 400 words. Board Chair or designee Communication Specialist will edit.
- Every Other Month Staff Newsletter: There are nine issues and the school board will submit an article every other month. The articles are shorter than the Globe, about 200 + words. Board Chair or designee Communication Specialist will edit.