

**Minutes of COMMUNITY RELATIONS COMMITTEE
The Board of Trustees
Gull Lake Community Schools**

A COMMUNITY RELATIONS COMMITTEE meeting of the Board of Trustees of Gull Lake Community Schools was held on the 17th day of July 2024, beginning at 8:06 AM in the Christopher L. Rundle Administration Building.

Roll Call: Eddie Keene, Desiree LaDuke, John McCann, Superintendent Christopher Rundle

1. Public Comments: None

2. Approve Draft Minutes: The April 17, 2024 minutes were approved.

3. First Day of School Invites for Community Members

Vice President LaDuke presented ideas on how to connect with Community Members. One idea is to invite public safety, township, and village officials to greet students on the first day of school.

4. Ways to Connect with Schools/Parents

The Committee discussed ways for the Board to connect with the buildings and parents throughout the year. Vice President LaDuke will invite Board members with the opportunity to Adopt a School for the school year.

The GLMS and GLHS Student Cabinets will be reinstated by Superintendent Rundle this school year.

5. Board Member Name Tags

Vice President LaDuke will email the Board regarding Gull Lake Community Schools name tags. This would help with the identification of Board Members at District functions.

6. Community Connection Ideas

The Committee discussed ways to connect with our community partners. Suggestions were the Community Partners Breakfast, Trick or Treating in the park, the Rotary Spaghetti Dinner, Lions Club meetings, and connection with Richland Area Business Association (RABA).

7. Next Meeting: August 22, 2024 @ 8:00 a.m.

All future meetings will be held on the 3rd Thursday of the month at 8:00 a.m.