

INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT 273  
OFFICIAL MINUTES OF THE WORK SESSION OF MARCH 28, 2023

WORK SESSION  
5:00 PM

Edina Community Center  
ECC 350

SCHOOL BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT:

ABSENT:

Ms. Erica Allenburg  
Mr. Dan Arom  
Mr. Michael Birdman  
Ms. Karen Gabler  
Ms. Julie Greene  
Ms. Regina Neville

Ms. Janie Shaw

PRESIDING OFFICER: Chair Erica Allenburg

5:04 PM - 6:40 PM

ADMINISTRATIVE STAFF PRESENT:

Dr. Stacie Stanley, Superintendent  
Dr. Randy Smasal, Assistant Superintendent  
Jody De St. Hubert, Director of Teaching and Learning  
Daphne Edwards, Director of Marketing and Communications

Bethany Van Osdel, Assistant Director of Teaching and Learning

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Ms. Erica Allenburg, Chair

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Ms. Karen Gabler, Clerk

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DISCUSSION

- A. Comprehensive Literacy Plan 6-12
- B. Stakeholder Voice and Input Continuum For Governance Update/Discussion

LEADERSHIP AND COMMITTEE UPDATES

SUPERINTENDENT UPDATES

ADJOURNMENT

The meeting was adjourned at 6:40 PM. The minutes and resolutions are open to public inspection on the district website, and on file at the district office, 5701 Normandale Road.

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Comprehensive Literacy Plan 6-12: Staff presented information about the secondary comprehensive literacy plan. Staff and board members discussed commitments of the plan and measurement of the plan's success.

Stakeholder Voice and Input Continuum For Governance Update/Discussion: Board members discussed various stakeholders, feedback, input

LEADERSHIP AND COMMITTEE UPDATES

Member Gabler volunteered to take over the board-member supported Sunshine Fund to recognize or honor life events of board and cabinet members.

Member Greene shared an LAC update.

Chair Allenburg spoke about an upcoming Somali parent event at the University of Minnesota where she had been invited to speak. Member Arom will also attend.

SUPERINTENDENT UPDATES

Dr. Stanley thanked community members for writing to legislators saying that legislators have reported receiving hundreds of calls, emails, letters in support of schools funding bills.

ADJOURNMENT

At 6:40 PM, Member Birdman motioned, and Member Gabler seconded to adjourn the meeting. All members voted Aye.