SCHOOL DISTRICT OF WEST ALLIS-WEST MILWAUKEE, ET AL. (Room 613) (414-604-3005) 1205 S. 70th Street West Allis, WI 53214

COMMUNICATION & COMMUNITY RELATIONS BOARD COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES

December 16, 2024 5:00 PM

1. Call to Order

The meeting was called to order at 5:09 p.m.

2. Roll Call

The following were present at the meeting:

- Amy Deal, Chair
- Jeff Sikich, Committee Member
- Carolyn Hahn, Director of Communication and Engagement
- Joe Becker, School Board Member
- Shelly Strasser, Director of Recreation and Community Services
- EXCUSED Rebecca Lee, Vice Chair
- 3. Review and Add Any Modifications to the Agenda None
- 4. Approve Minutes from the Last Meeting Motion by Jeff Sikich, second by Carolyn Hahn to approve the minutes of the November 25, 2024, meeting.
- 5. Public Comments None
- 6. Old or Unfinished Business None
- 7. New Business
 - 7.1. Carolyn's Leave

Director of Communication and Engagement, Carolyn Hahn, will be on maternity leave starting December 27, 2024. While she is gone, Rachel Kruse, Student Engagement and Experience Specialist, will be covering for Ms. Hahn. There will not be a Communication and Community Relations committee meeting for the months of January and February.

7.2. Graduation Update

Communications staff met with Central principal, Mr. Summerfield and Hale principal, Mr. Lesar, to discuss the possibility of Hale holding graduation ceremonies in the Central Fieldhouse next June. Mr. Lesar will be meeting with students on the Senior Council to discuss the possibility of having graduation at Central. If students are interested in this option, a survey will be sent out to Hale families to determine if moving graduation to the Central Fieldhouse is something they'd like to do.

- 8. Items to be Considered for Future Discussion None
- 9. Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned at 5:13 p.m.