February 11, 2025 at 6:30 PM - School Board - Study Session Notes

1. CONVENE 6:31pm

Presenter: Colin Cox, Board Chair

School Board Members Present: Colin Cox, Abdihakim Ibrahim, Virginia Mancini, Taylor Williams, Anne Casey, Sarah Davis and Superintendent Hines. Also present were members of the Cabinet.

School Board Members Not Present: Celia Anderson

2. LAND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

Presenter: Colin Cox, Board Chair

Description: We are gathered on the land of the Dakota and Ojibwe peoples. I ask you to join me in acknowledging the Dakota and Ojibwe community, their elders both past and present, as well as future generations. St. Louis Park Public Schools also acknowledges that it was founded upon exclusions and erasures of many Indigenous Peoples, including those on whose land this school district is located. This acknowledgement demonstrates a commitment to dismantling the ongoing legacies of colonial power and the district's desire to support the ongoing work of local Indigenous communities to thrive in our schools.

3. DISCUSSION ITEMS

3A. CIP Progress - Site Updates

Presenters: Dr. Lafayette, Director of Assessment, Research, and Evaluation, Melissa Kalinowski, Middle School Principal LaNisha Paddock, High School Principal María Graver, Principal of Aquila Elementary School Clarence Pollock, Principal of Susan Lindgren Elementary School Aaron Monson, Principal of Peter Hobart Elementary School Patrice Howard, Director of Community Education Krystal DeGraw, Assistant Director of Student Services Erika Scott, Early Learning Supervisor Kim Rosholt, Kids Place Preschool Supervisor

3B.Policy Development - First Reading of Policy 409 Employee Publications, Instructional Materials, Interventions and Creations.

Presented by: Sarah Davis, Board Director & Policy Committee Chair

3C.Policy Development - First Reading of Policy 506 Student Discipline Presented by: Sarah Davis, Board Director & Policy Committee Chair

3D.Policy Development - First Reading of Policy 621 Read Act

Presented by: Sarah Davis, Board Director & Policy Committee Chair

4. ADJOURNMENT

Meeting adjourned at 9:20 p.m.

Submitted by: Jazmin Hankerson, Executive Assistant to the Board

Signed: Chair	Clerk
Date	Date