

FOR CONSENT

INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT 273
Special Meeting, December 22, 2023

SUBJECT: COMMENDATION OF JANIE SHAW

Be it Resolved, That

The School Board

Commend and recognize Janie Shaw for her service on the Edina School Board from January 2020 through December 2023.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION

The Board hereby expresses its sincere appreciation, and that of the staff and residents of the School District, for Janie Shaw's four years of devoted service to the Edina Public Schools and its affairs during the period 2020 through 2023.

Janie Shaw has served the district in many different capacities. Throughout her tenure on the board, Janie has exemplified unwavering commitment in various crucial roles. Her contributions as Board Treasurer and Board Clerk have enriched the board's operations and positively impacted the entire school community.

Janie also served on many different Board committees during her tenure on the board: Finance and Facilities, Teaching and Learning, Legislative Action Committee and Governance. This truly showcases her willingness to serve where needed and lend her leadership to a broad array of positions. She has also served as Board liaison to many organizations. These include, but are not limited to, the Talent Development Committee, the City of Edina/Edina Public School Partnership, and the Special Services Advisory Committee. Additionally, she has been the Board liaison to several of our schools during her tenure on the board.

Beyond her official responsibilities, Board Member Shaw has consistently demonstrated a passion for making sure each and every student is able to discover their possibilities and thrive. During her time on the board, Janie was involved in many critical decisions

for Edina Public Schools, including hiring Superintendent Stanley, developing the district's most recent strategic plan, and navigating the district's COVID-19 pandemic response. Her exceptional service, unwavering dedication, and lasting contributions have led to the betterment of Edina Public Schools.

The Board members congratulate Janie Shaw and extend a collective and individual "thank you" for a job well done!