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REGULAR MEETING
OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION
Maxfield Education Center
32789 W. Ten Mile Rd.
Farmington, MI 48336
Tuesday, November 17, 2026
6:00 PM

AGENDA

I. **CALL TO ORDER**
   - A. Roll Call
   - B. Pledge of Allegiance

II. **ITEMS FROM THE PRESIDENT**
   - A. Approval of the Agenda
   - B. Announcements

III. **PUBLIC COMMENTS**

IV. **ITEMS FROM THE SECRETARY**
   - A. Correspondence

V. **LEGISLATIVE UPDATE**

VI. **DISTRICT UPDATES**
   - A. Superintendent's District Update
     1. Introduction of Director of Secondary Curriculum, Instruction and Assessment — Drew LaCroix
   - B. Student Round Table
   - C. School Spotlights
   - D. CTE Update

VII. **REPORTS FROM BOARD COMMITTEES**
   - A. November 10, 2026 - Finance/Facilities Committee Meeting Update
   - B. November 10, 2026 - Policy Board Governance Committee Meeting Update

VIII. **DISCUSSION ITEMS**
   - A. District Fund Balance Review

IX. **PUBLIC COMMENTS**

X. **ACTION ITEMS**
   - A. Schools of Choice — Approval of Recommendations for the 2027–28 School Year

XI. **ITEMS FROM THE TREASURER**

A. Expenditures

XII. **CONSENT AGENDA**

A. Approval of Minutes

1. October 20, 2026, Special Meeting
2. October 20, 2026, Closed Session Meeting
3. October 20, 2026, Regular Meeting
4. November 10, 2026, Finance/Facilities Committee Meeting
5. November 10, 2026, Policy Board Governance Committee Meeting

XIII. **REPORTS FROM BOARD LIASONS**

XIV. **ADJOURNMENT**

***PUBLIC COMMENTS** are intended to provide individuals an opportunity to address the Board of Education. In the interest of fairness, the Board requests each speaker to limit his or her comments to three (3) minutes.*

***ANY PERSON** with a disability who needs accommodation for participation in this meeting should contact the Superintendent's office at 248-489-3338 at least three (3) business days in advance of the meeting to request assistance.*

***ALL MEETINGS**, with the exception of closed sessions, are open to the public. Regular Board of Education meetings and most pre-meetings of the Board of Education are live-streamed on the District's YouTube Channel.*

The official minutes of the Board of Education are stored and available for inspection
in the Lewis Schulman Administration Building of the Farmington Public School District.

II. ITEMS FROM THE PRESIDENT

II.A. Approval of the Agenda

- **MOTION:** I move that the Board of Education approve the November 17, 2026, Regular Meeting Agenda, as presented.

II.B. Announcements

II. ITEMS FROM THE PRESIDENT

II.A. Approval of the Agenda

Request to amend the agenda for the November 17, 2026, Regular Meeting as follows:

➢ **MOTION:** I move to amend the November 17, 2026, Regular Meeting Agenda by adding Item VI.A.2., Introduction of Assistant Superintendent of Human Resources - Kelly Kaminski, under Item VI.A., Superintendent Update, and to approve the agenda as amended.

II.B. Announcements

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III. PRESIDENT'S STATEMENT BEFORE PUBLIC COMMENTS (1).

We will now move into the public comment portion of our meeting.

The Board of Education welcomes and values the opportunity to hear from our community. Public comment is an important part of our commitment to listening and community engagement.

Each speaker will have up to XXX minutes to address the Board, with a countdown timer displayed on the screen. Please direct your comments to the Board and speak clearly into the microphone.

We encourage speakers to be mindful of the privacy of students, staff, and others when discussing sensitive or personal matters. Concerns involving specific individuals may also be addressed privately with district administration.

There are two opportunities for public comment during our meetings. You may speak during either opportunity, but only once per meeting.

While the Board listens respectfully, we generally do not respond or engage in discussion during public comment. This should not be interpreted as a lack of concern or attention. When appropriate, matters may be referred to the Superintendent or district administration for review and possible follow-up.

As a reminder, Board meetings are meetings conducted in public for the purpose of carrying out district business.

We appreciate your participation, your perspectives, and your commitment to our school community. Thank you for helping us maintain a respectful and productive environment.

IV. ITEMS FROM THE SECRETARY

The Board received the following communications:

- Invitations and updates regarding the International Baccalaureate (IB) program, including the October 16 IB Collaborative Science Project Symposium, the December 16 IB Graduation, and the November IB CASTLE newsletter.
- Email correspondence regarding the Board of Education Committee Assignments and Board Liaisons.
- A thank-you letter (received via USPS) regarding the Senior Adult Breakfast.
- Email correspondence regarding a research article supporting Direct Instruction.
- A request for a student appeal hearing.

The Board acknowledges all communications and responds as appropriate. A list of correspondence is included in the Board packet, which is available on the Farmington Public Schools website.

IV. ITEMS FROM THE SECRETARY

IV.A. Correspondence

10.19.26	You are invited! IB Collaborative Science Project Symposium - October 16, 2026
10.21.26	Committee Assignments and Board Liaisons
10.22.26	USPS - Thank You Letter re: Senior Adult Breakfast
10.28.26	IB Graduation Invitation - December 16, 2026
11.03.26	IB CASTLE News - November 2026 Edition - A bit late, but HUGE edition!
11.05.26	A ‘mountain of data’ supports Direct Instruction
11.12.26	Re: Request for an Appeal Hearing [redacted]

VI. DISTRICT UPDATES

VI.A. SUPERINTENDENT'S DISTRICT UPDATE

Presenter: Dr. Kelly M. Coffin, Superintendent, FPS

VI.A.1. Introduction of Director of Secondary Curriculum, Instruction and Assessment - Drew LaCroix

VI.B. STUDENT ROUND TABLE UPDATE

Presenter: Mariam Dukhan, President, SRT
With: George Hall, Vice President, SRT
With: Erin Mallon, Public Relations, SRT
With: Srihan Aravabhumi, Secretary, SRT
With: Nariah Wallace-Davis, FCHS Representative, SRT

VI.C. SCHOOL SPOTLIGHTS

Presenter: Rhonda Henry, Assistant Superintendent, FPS
With: Monica Niemiec, Principal, Farmington Central High School
With: Laura Koralewski, Principal, Gill Elementary School
With: Ben Smith, Principal, Kenbrook Elementary School

VI.D. CTE UPDATE

Presenter: Hallie Snyder, Director of Career Pathways & Workforce Innovation