Roseville Area Schools
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Agenda
Regular School Board Meeting
Tuesday, January 14, 2025
6:30 PM

1. Call to Order, Roll Call
2. Oath of Office
3. Organization of the School Board
   - 3.a. Election of Chair
     Speaker(s): Acting School Board Chair
   - 3.b. Election of Clerk
     Speaker(s): School Board Chair
   - 3.c. Election of Treasurer
     Speaker(s): School Board Chair
   - 3.d. Reaffirmation of School Board Governance Policies
     Speaker(s): School Board Chair
4. Agenda Adjustments
5. Announcements, Comments, Recognitions
   - 5.a. Land Acknowledgment
   - 5.b. Boys and Girls Cross Country
   - 5.c. Girls Volleyball
6. Summary of Community Input Received for Action Items
7. Consent Agenda
   - 7.a. Minutes - Board Meeting of December 10, 2024
   - 7.b. Payment of Bills
   - 7.c. Personnel - Resignations, Appointments, Reductions
   - 7.d. Gifts
   - 7.e. Roofing Bids - Brimhall Elementary
8. Reports and Non-Action Items
   - 8.a. Multi-Tiered Systems of Support Overview
     Speaker(s): Jake Von De Linde and Sheila McCormick
   - 8.b. Policy 576: Use of Peace Officers and Crisis Teams to Remove Students with IEPs from School Grounds (revised) First Reading
     Speaker(s): Niceta Thomas
9. Action Items
   - 9.a. Policy 536: School-Sponsored Student Publications and Activities (new) Second Reading
     Speaker(s): Melissa Sonnek
   - 9.b. Reschedule January 28, 2025, School Board Meeting
     Speaker(s): School Board Chair
10. Board Reports
    Speaker(s): Board Members
11. Superintendent's Report
    Speaker(s): Superintendent Jenny Loeck
12. Adjournment

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Agenda Item: 3a

Agenda Topic: Election of School Board Chair
Meeting Date: January 14, 2025
Contact Person: Acting School Board Chair

Background:

Minnesota Statute 123B.14 states, in part, that "…on the first Monday of January of each year, or as soon thereafter as practicable, the board must meet and organize by selecting a chair, clerk, and a treasurer, who shall hold their offices for one year and until their successors are selected and qualify." It is recommended that the school board elect a chair who will serve until the first school board meeting in January of 2026.

Recommendation:

It is recommended that the school board elect a chair per Minnesota Statute.

__X__ Action Required _____ Informational – No Board Action Requested

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Agenda Item: 3b

Agenda Topic: Election of School Board Clerk
Meeting Date: January 14, 2025
Contact Person: School Board Chair

Background:

Minnesota Statute 123B.14 states, in part, that "…on the first Monday of January of each year, or as soon thereafter as practicable, the board must meet and organize by selecting a chair, clerk, and a treasurer, who shall hold their offices for one year and until their successors are selected and qualify." It is recommended that the school board elect a clerk who will serve until the first school board meeting in January of 2026.

Recommendation:

It is recommended that the school board elect a clerk per Minnesota Statute.

__X__ Action Required _____ Informational – No Board Action Requested

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Agenda Item: 3c

Agenda Topic: Election of School Board Treasurer
Meeting Date: January 14, 2025
Contact Person: School Board Chair

Background:

Minnesota Statute 123B.14 states, in part, that "…on the first Monday of January of each year, or as soon thereafter as practicable, the board must meet and organize by selecting a chair, clerk, and a treasurer, who shall hold their offices for one year and until their successors are selected and qualify." It is recommended that the school board elect a treasurer who will serve until the first school board meeting in January of 2026.

Recommendation:

It is recommended that the school board elect a treasurer per Minnesota Statute.

__X__ Action Required _____ Informational – No Board Action Requested

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Agenda Item: 3d

Agenda Topic: Reaffirmation of School Board Governance Policies
Meeting Date: January 14, 2025
Contact Person: School Board Chair

Background:

The school board has developed and adopted the following governance policies:

200 Governing Commitment
202 Governing Style
203 Annual Work Plan
204 Board Job Description
206 Officer Roles
208 Board Committees
209 Operating Procedures and Meeting Process
210 Code of Conduct
212 Conflict of Interest
214 Board Member Violations
216 Board/Superintendent Relationship
220 Superintendent/Staff Accountability
222 Authority Delegation to the Superintendent
224 Monitoring Superintendent Performance
226 Out-of-State Travel

Each year at the time of the school board organizational meeting, the school board governance policies are reviewed and reaffirmed.

Recommendation:

It is recommended that the school board reaffirm its governance policies.

__X__ Action Required _____ Informational – No Board Action Requested

MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING, SCHOOL BOARD, INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 623, 1251 West County Road B2, Roseville, MN 55113

December 10, 2024

Chair Todd Anderson called the school board meeting to order at 6:46 p.m. Board members present: Todd Anderson, Mike Boguszewski, Rose Chu, Mannix Clark, Kitty Gogins, Curtis Johnson. Board members absent: none. Also present: Jenny Loeck, superintendent of schools, and approximately eleven other visitors or staff who attended all or part of the meeting.

Announcements, Comments, Recognitions. Treasurer Clark read a land acknowledgment to begin the meeting. Cyndi Arneson, executive director of community education, shared a proclamation from the governor's office proclaiming October 24, 2024, as Lights On Afterschool Day.

Summary of Community Input Received for Action Items. The board received no community input regarding the evening's action items.

(26) Consent Agenda. Boguszewski moved, Gogins seconded acceptance of the consent agenda, including the minutes of the school board meeting on November 26, 2024; payment of bills; resignations, appointments, reductions, adjustments; gifts; and a contract with Centerline Charter Corporation to provide transportation services for the 2024-2025 school year. Ayes: Anderson, Boguszewski, Chu, Clark, Gogins, Johnson. Nays: none. Motion carried unanimously.

(27) Retirements. Chu moved, Johnson seconded the retirement of Terry Storsved with appreciation. Ayes: Anderson, Boguszewski, Chu, Clark, Gogins, Johnson. Nays: none. Motion carried unanimously.

Policy 536: School-Sponsored Student Publications and Activities (new) First Reading. Melissa Sonnek, associate superintendent, presented a draft of Policy 536: School-Sponsored Student Publications and Activities. Legislation requires school districts to adopt and publish a student journalist policy affirming that student journalists have the right to freedom of speech and freedom of the press in school-sponsored media.

(28) Policy 608: Graduation Requirements (revised) Second Reading. Gogins moved, Johnson seconded approval of Policy 608: Graduation Requirements. Ayes: Anderson, Boguszewski, Chu, Clark, Gogins, Johnson. Nays: none. Motion carried unanimously.

(29) Final Levy Certification. Boguszewski moved, Clark seconded approval of the final levy in the amount of $50,759,981.49 to fund the 2025-2026 school year. The levy is an increase of approximately $1,915,156, or 3.92% more than the current levy. Ayes: Anderson, Boguszewski, Chu, Clark, Gogins, Johnson. Nays: none. Motion carried unanimously.

(30) Resolution Filling a School Board Vacancy by Appointment. Chu moved, Gogins seconded adoption of the Resolution Filling a School Board Vacancy by Appointment.

Dr. Frank Shaw was appointed to fill the vacancy created by Director Johnson's resignation. Ayes: Anderson, Boguszewski, Chu, Clark, Gogins, Johnson. Nays: none. Motion carried unanimously.

Board Reports. Rose Chu visited the National Taiwan University of Science and Technology. Mike Boguszewski shared highlights from the Minnesota School Boards Association's Delegate Assembly. Mannix Clark attended a Community Education Advisory Council meeting. Kitty Gogins attended meetings of the Roseville Area Senior Program Advisory Council, the LGBTQ+ Advisory Council, and the Equity Leadership Advisory Council. Curtis Johnson toured Metropolitan State University's cybersecurity clinic. He also encouraged the community to attend an upcoming Roseville Area High School drama production. Todd Anderson attended RAHS' "An Evening of Chamber Music" performance.

Superintendent's Report. Dr. Loeck spoke about the upcoming holiday season and opportunities to provide support to those in need. She also expressed her gratitude to Director Johnson for his service on the school board.

The Chair declared the meeting adjourned at 7:27 p.m.

Signed _____
Clerk

Approved _____
Chair

December 10, 2024

Roseville Area Schools-- ISD #623

Meeting Date: January 14, 2025

PAYMENT OF BILLS:
-November 16 - November 30, 2024
That bills in the amount of: **$5,286,813.00** by the following funds be approved:

GENERAL	$4,260,560.62
FOOD SERVICE	$232,926.26
COMMUNITY SERVICE	$280,485.05
BUILDING FUND	$428,444.62
DEBT FUND	$0.00
READING RECOVERY	$0.00
AMSD	$13,508.84
OPEB DEBT	$0.00
DENTAL INS FUND	$29,035.35
NO SUBURBAN COLLABORATIVE	$39,887.31
EXTRA CURRICULAR-STU ACTIVITY	$1,964.95

RECOMMENDATION: That above payments are included in check numbers:

WIRE TRANSFERS	202400255	through	202400277
CHECKS	359266	through	359445
CAPITAL ONE AP CHECKS	8751	through	8798
ACH A/P	242510395	through	242510464

PAYMENT DISTRIBUTION BY FUND:

	GENERAL	FOOD SERVICE	COMMUNITY SERVICE	BUILDING CONSTRUCT	DEBT FUND	Delta Dental Self Insured	28-RR Fiscal Agent	29-AMSD Fiscal Agent	OPEB	N SUB COLL/ SCHLSHP	EXTRA CURR-STU ACTIVITY	TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS
WIRE TRANSFERS	$1,685,001.60	$39,617.82	$97,634.13			$29,035.35		$3,699.24			$0.00	$1,854,988.14
CHECKS	$437,492.53	$88,917.77	$12,581.76	$428,444.62	$0.00			$720.43		$39,887.31	$1,854.95	$1,009,899.37
CAPITAL ONE A/P	$81,303.31	$24,496.19	$885.52									$106,685.02
ACH A/P	$10,751.82	$309.93	$226.93								$110.00	$11,398.68
TRANSFER TO P/R	$2,047,594.88	$79,584.55	$169,291.71					$9,089.17				$2,305,560.31
VOID CHECKS	($1,583.52)	$0.00	($135.00)									($1,718.52)
TOTAL	**$4,260,560.62**	**$232,926.26**	**$280,485.05**	**$428,444.62**	**$0.00**	**$29,035.35**	**$0.00**	**$13,508.84**	**$0.00**	**$39,887.31**	**$1,964.95**	**$5,286,813.00**

BOND CONSTRUCTION FUNDS	November 1, 2024 Cash & Investments Balance	Revenue 11/1 to 11/30	Disbursements 11/1 to 11/30	Balance Remaining as of 11/30/24
	$8,598,891.32	$0.00	$1,350.00	$8,597,541.32

RECOMMENDATION: The above disbursements include check numbers:

CHECKS November 16 - November 30, 2024	through	$0.00	*Start with check #102727
WIRES	through	$0.00	
VOID CHECKS		$0.00	

Human Resources Information

7-C

Meeting Date

01/14/2025

Change of Position

Ochoa Balbas, Pablo Effective Date 01/06/2025

Roseville Area High School Multilingual Learner Paraprofessional

Hired working 6 hours/day effective January 6, 2025.

Extended Leave MS 122A.46

Plathe, Ronda Effective Date 08/25/2025

Falcon Heights Elementary School Elementary Teacher

Requesting an extended leave through the end of the 2030-2031 school year.

Hired-New Licensed Long Term Substitute

Thompson, Abby Effective Date 01/07/2025

Parkview Center School Special Education Teacher

Hired working 1.0 FTE as a long term substitute effective January 7, 2025, through February 19, 2025.

Uenoyaz, Tracie Effective Date 01/06/2025

Little Canada Elementary School Elementary Teacher

Hired working 1.0 FTE as a long term substitute effective January 6, 2025, through April 4, 2025.

Hired-Non-Licensed

Fitzsimmons, Michael Effective Date 01/08/2025

District Wide Custodial Services

Hired working 8 hours/day effective January 8, 2025.

Johnson, Nikki Effective Date 12/17/2024

District Center Accounts Payable Specialist

Hired working 8 hours/day effective December 17, 2024.

Human Resources Information

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Meeting Date

01/14/2025

Kelly, Noah Effective Date 12/09/2024

Roseville Area High School Special Education Paraprofessional

Hired working 7 hours/day effective December 9, 2024.

Trejo Sanchez, Adriana Effective Date 01/06/2025

Roseville Area Middle School Floating Nutrition Services Manager

Hired working 7 hours/day effective January 6, 2025.

Resignation-Licensed

Erickson, Sara Effective Date 12/20/2024

Parkview Center School Early Childhood Family Educator

Resigned effective December 20, 2024.

Jones, Lee Effective Date 01/14/2025

Roseville Area High School Science Teacher

Resigned effective January 14, 2025.

Resignation-Non-Licensed

Garland , Susan Effective Date 12/31/2024

Roseville Area Middle School Activities/Athletics Assistant

Resigned effective December 31, 2024.

Killian, Teghan Effective Date 12/11/2024

Parkview Center School Out of School Time Program Specialist

Resigned effective December 11, 2024.

Yang, Ashley Effective Date 12/13/2024

Emmet D. Williams Elementary Special Education Paraprofessional

Resigned effective December 13, 2024.

Human Resources Information

7-C

Meeting Date

01/14/2025

Termination

Hayes, Jamaal Effective Date 12/13/2024

Roseville Area High School Program Assistant

Terminated effective December 13, 2024.

Unpaid Leave

Bray, Ashley Effective Date 01/03/2025

Brimhall Elementary Program Assistant

Non-compensatory leave effective January 3, 2025, through April 6, 2025.

GIFTS TO SCHOOLS
2024/25

SCHOOL BUILDING	NAME/ADDRESS OF DONOR	GIFT	USE
Aŋpétu Téča Education Center	Andrea L. Garvey 2670 Oxford St. N. #237 Roseville, MN 55113	$500.00	Meals on Wheels
Aŋpétu Téča Education Center	Church of Saint John the Evangelist 380 Little Canada Road Little Canada, MN 55117	$2,000.00	Meals on Wheels
Aŋpétu Téča Education Center	Premier Banks 2866 White Bear Ave Maplewood, MN 55109	$500.00	Meals on Wheels
Aŋpétu Téča Education Center	Marilyn T. Lopez 1038 California Ave W St. Paul, MN 55117	$200.00	Meals on Wheels
Aŋpétu Téča Education Center	Caroline M. Czarnecki Trust 2680 Lexington Ave N Apt 322 Roseville, MN 55113	$5,000.00	Meals on Wheels and Roseville Area Senior Program
Aŋpétu Téča Education Center	Mary K. Volk 1728 Lindig St Falcon Heights, MN 55113	$200.00	Roseville Area Senior Program
Aŋpétu Téča Education Center	Vernon and Bonnie Eidman 2925 Lincoln Drive Apt 505 Roseville, MN 55113	$200.00	Roseville Area Senior Program
Aŋpétu Téča Education Center	David and Evelyn Breeden 3200 Johanna Blvd. Apt 402 Arden Hills, MN 55112	$200.00	Roseville Area Senior Program
Aŋpétu Téča Education Center	Arthur Wineman and Debbie Musolf 1359 Breda Ave St. Paul, MN 55108	$450.00	Roseville Area Senior Program
Edgerton Elementary School	Damon Anderson 2279 Folwell Ave St. Paul, MN 55108	School supplies	Students in need

Edgerton Elementary School	Bob Hallquist 1260 County Rd E East, Apt 2410 Vadnais Heights, MN 55110	Flute, clarinet, and cornet	Elementary band program
Harambee Elementary School	Wendy Thompson 2938 Mildred Dr Roseville, MN 55113	$1,400.00	Media center supplies
Little Canada Elementary School	YourCause/Blackbaud - on behalf of Sarah Richter 65 Fairchild St Charleston, SC 29492	$25.00	School needs
Parkview Center School	Harmony Home Care 848 Aspen Cir Little Canada, MN 55109	$113.92	Teacher wellbeing
Parkview Center School	YourCause/Blackbaud - on behalf of Sarah Mittel 65 Fairchild St Charleston, SC 29492	$500.00	PTSA
Roseville Area High School	Roseville Girls Basketball Booster Club 2138 Arcade St Maplewood, MN 55109	$655.06	Shooting shirts
Roseville Area High School	Bruce Seiber 3200 Shorewood Dr Arden Hills, MN 55112	$2,000.00	AVID program
Roseville Area High School	Applewood Pointe Co-op 1900 Rush Lake Trl Apt 305 New Brighton, MN 55112	$200.00	Caroling
Roseville Area High School	Susan Campion Bloomquist 3021 Little Bay Rd Roseville, MN 55113	$50.00	Boys basketball program
Roseville Area High School	Bevenity Causes - on behalf of Gary Gray 1300 Ingerson Road Arden Hills, MN 55112	$921.00	Alpine ski program
Roseville Area High School	Michael Grant 3612 170th Lane NE Andover, MN 55304	$4,000.00	Football attire

Roseville Area Schools	YourCause/Blackbaud - on behalf of Aaron Mastrian 65 Fairchild St Charleston, SC 29492	$50.00	District needs
Roseville Area Schools	Do Good Roseville 1161 Laurie Rd W Roseville, MN 55113	$912.66 Barnes & Noble gift card	Books for media centers

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Agenda Item: 7e

Agenda Topic: Roofing Bid Award – Brimhall Elementary Roof Replacement
Meeting Date: January 14, 2025
Contact Person: Shari Thompson

Background:

As part of the district's roof replacement plan, the proposed project for 2025 includes roof replacement at Brimhall Elementary School. The new roofing system will be a rubber roof (due to the extreme slope of the roof) with a twenty (20) year warranty on material and labor.

Five bids were opened on December 20, 2024. The lowest responsible bidder is Peterson Bros. Roofing with a bid total of $699,500.00. The administration recommends that the board award the contract to Peterson Bros. Roofing.

Cost/Funding	Cost: $699,500.00 Funding: Long-Term Facilities Maintenance (LTFM)
Timeline	Summer 2025

Recommendation:

It is recommended that the board award the contract to Peterson Bros. Roofing.

__X__ Action Required _____ Informational – No Board Action Requested

December 23, 2024

Roof Spec Inc.

2400 Prior Avenue North
St. Paul, MN 55113
(651) 639-0644
(651) 639-1828 (fax)
800-494-4085
www.roofspec.com

Mr. Todd Lieser
Roseville Area Public Schools – ISD #623
1251 County Road B2 W
Roseville, MN 55113

Phone: 651-635-1649
E-mail: todd.lieser@isd623.org

SUBJECT: RECOMMENDATION FOR AWARD
BRIMHALL ELEMENTARY SCHOOL
ROOF REPLACEMENT – AREAS E, F, AND G
1744 COUNTY B ROAD W
ROSEVILLE, MN 55113
RSI PROJECT #24-12829-02

Dear Mr. Lieser:

On the attached tabulation of bids received for the roof replacement of Areas E, F, and G at Brimhall Elementary School located at 1744 County B Road W, Peterson Bros. Roofing is the apparent low-bidder with a **base bid price of $699,500.00** for complete removal of the existing coal-tar pitch roof assembly and installation of a new, 4-ply built-up roof assembly to achieve a minimum of R-30 as required by Minnesota State Building Code.

During the opening of the Bids, the Contractor had indicated that they attended the pre-bid walkthrough, had received the Construction Documents, and had included all items in their bid, including everything contained within Addendum #1.

We recommend completing all work as described in the Construction Documents and awarding the base bid to Peterson Bros. Roofing for the roof replacement of Areas E, F, and G at Brimhall Elementary School for a Contract amount of $699,500.00 (Six Hundred Ninety-nine thousand five hundred dollars and zero cents).

If you should have any questions or require further information, please contact our office.

Respectfully,

RSI Building Envelope

Sean Gage
Senior Consultant
RRC, CDT, AWCI-CEI, Associate AIA

Enclosed: Bid Tabulation

All information is submitted as the confidential property of our clients. Any copies or extractions are reserved pending our written approval.

Project: Brimhall Elementary - Areas E, F, and G
Client: Roseville Area Public School - ISD #623
Project Address: 1744 County B Road W, Roseville, MN 55113
Bid Opening: Public
Bid Opening Date: Friday, Dec. 20, 2024

	Base Bid	Unit Pricing					Miscellaneous			Additional Documentation		
Bidding Contractor	Replacement Areas E, F, and G	#1: Replacement of metal decking (/Sq. Ft.)	#2: Additional Wood Blocking (/Bd. Ft.)	#3: Installation of rust inhibiting coating (/Sq. Ft.)	#4: Installation of additional liq. mem. Flashing (/Sq. Ft.)	#5: Interior sheet rock repair (/Sq. Ft.)	# of Addenda Received?	# of calendar days	Attended Pre-Bid?	Bid Security?	P&P Bonds?	Responsible Contractor Form?
J.A. Dalsin	$1,216,980.00	$23.60	$11.30	$6.10	$5.50	$575.00	1	90	Yes	Yes	No	Yes
Palmer West Const.	$706,700.00	$25.00	$4.00	$6.00	$25.00	$575.00	1	250	Yes	Yes	No	Yes
Peterson Bros.	$699,500.00	$28.50	$4.25	$3.00	$65.00	$575.00	1	Summer	Yes	Yes	No	Yes
Central Roofing	$765,560.00	$25.00	$4.00	$4.50	$100.00	$700.00	1	30	Yes	Yes	No	Yes
B.L. Dalsin	$713,574.00	$27.50	$7.00	$5.50	$100.00	$700.00	1	200	Yes	Yes	No	Yes

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Agenda Item: 8a

Agenda Topic: Multi-Tiered Systems of Support Overview
Meeting Date: January 14, 2025
Contact Person: Jake Von De Linde and Sheila McCormick

Background:

Jake Von De Linde, executive director of teaching and learning, and Sheila McCormick, MTSS coordinator, will present an introduction to multi-tiered systems of support. MTSS is a systemic, continuous improvement framework for ensuring positive social, emotional, behavioral, developmental and academic outcomes for every student.

Recommendation:

_____ Action Required __X__ Informational – No Board Action Requested

ROSEVILLE AREA SCHOOLS

Multi-Tiered Systems of Support

January 14, 2025

Grant Recipient

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

$296,000

What is MnMTSS?

MnMTSS stands for Minnesota Multi-Tiered Systems of Support. It is a systemic, continuous improvement framework for ensuring positive social, emotional, behavioral, developmental and academic outcomes for every student. MnMTSS provides access to layered tiers of culturally and linguistically responsive, evidence-based practices and relies on the understanding and belief that every student can learn and thrive. In addition, it engages an anti-bias and socially just approach to examining policies and practices and ensuring equitable distribution of resources and opportunity.

MTSS Framework Elevator Speech

ANTI-BIAS, SOCIALLY JUST APPROACH

Underlying belief that every student can learn and thrive

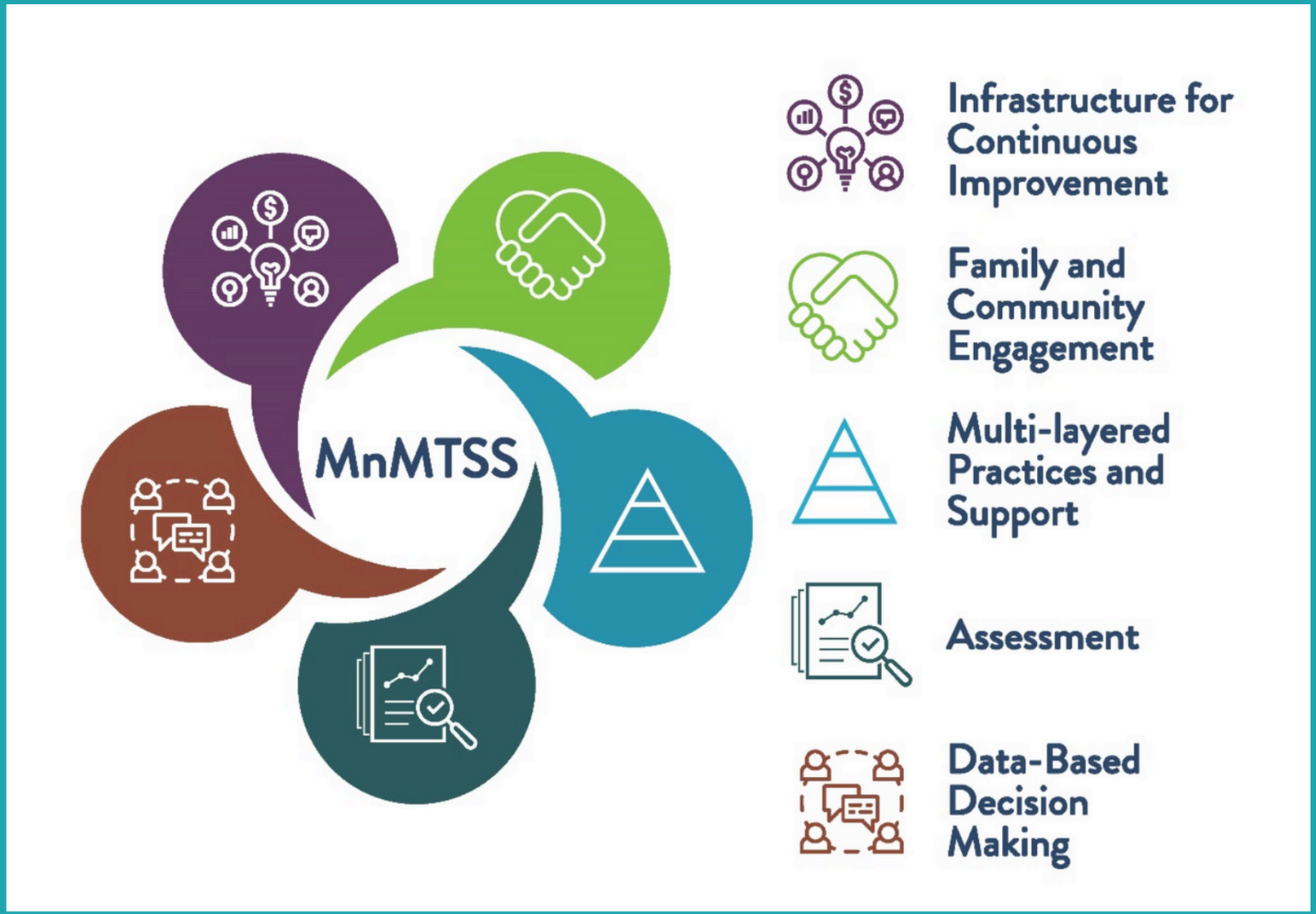
HOLISTIC

Addresses social, emotional, behavioral, developmental and academic needs

CONTINUOUS

Not a one time thing, continuously seeking improvement

MnMTSS Components



“Every system is perfectly designed to get the results it gets.”

-W. Edwards Deming

Our MnMTSS Journey

2016
Initial MTSS established in Roseville

Summer 2022
Participate in Introduction to MnMTSS course (6 sessions)

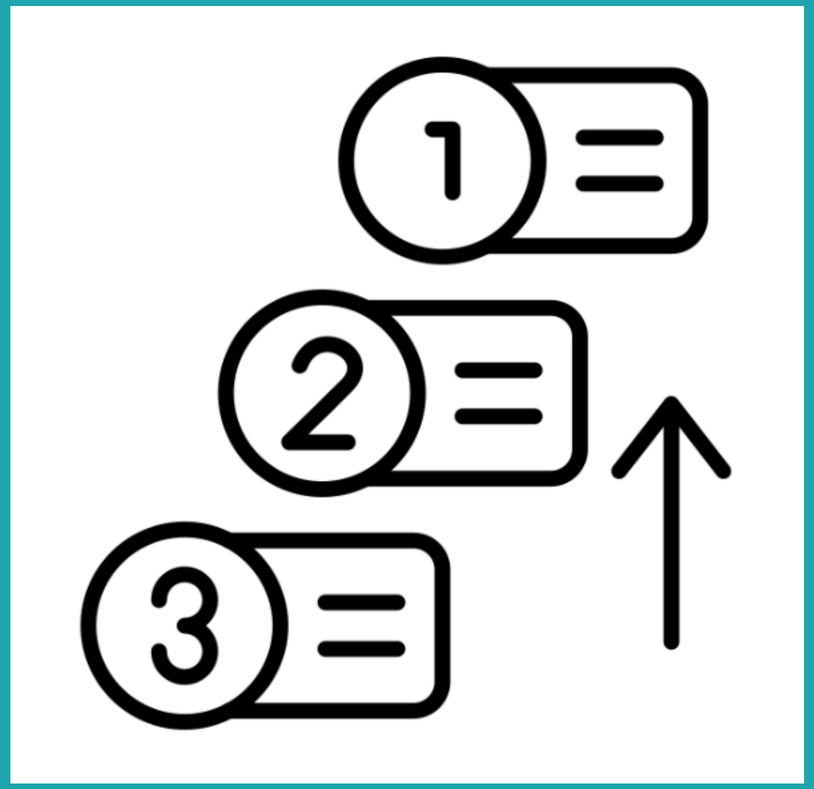
2022-2023
Participate in Implementation of MnMTSS course (9 sessions)

Spring 2023
Conduct SEMI-DLT self-evaluation to identify priority areas

Spring 2024
Grant from MDE awarded

Fall 2024
Full-Time MTSS Coordinator hired

Priority Areas for MnMTSS 2024-2026



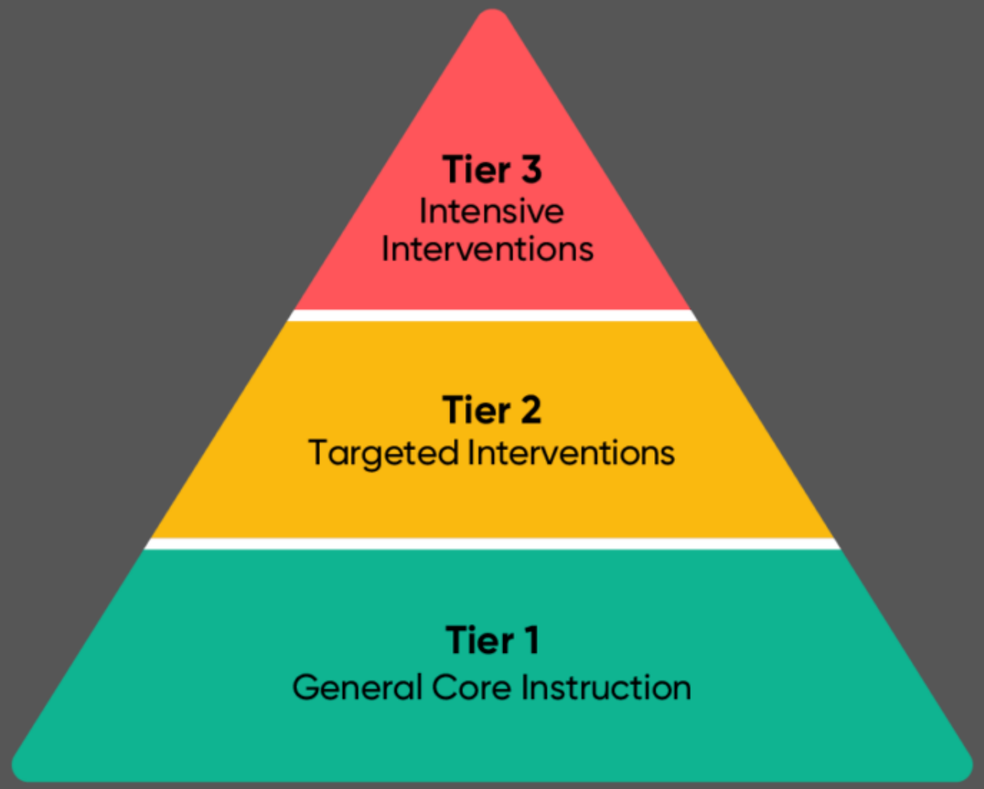
Infrastructure to Support Continuous Improvement

Multi-Layered Practices and Supports

Data-Based Decision Making

#1 Infrastructure to Support Continuous Improvement

Multi-Layered Practices and Supports



Designing a system for intensifying support based on student needs so that all students can be successful.

Data-Based Decision Making

- Identify student needs and appropriate support in a timely manner
- Identify how well our system is working and what should we do next?

Thank you!

Works Cited

Minnesota Department of Education. (n.d.). Multi-tiered system of supports (MTSS). Retrieved January 7, 2025, from https://education.mn.gov/mde/dse/mtss/

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Agenda Item: 8b

Agenda Topic: Policy 576: Use of Peace Officers and Crisis Teams to Remove Students with IEPs from School Grounds (revised) First Reading
Meeting Date: January 14, 2025
Contact Person: Niceta Thomas

Background:

Niceta Thomas, executive director of student services, will review recommended revisions to Policy 576: Use of Peace Officers and Crisis Teams to Remove Students with IEPs from School Grounds. This will be the first reading of the policy.

Recommendation:

_____ Action Required __X__ Informational – No Board Action Requested

ROSEVILLE AREA SCHOOLS
Independent School District No. 623

Policy 576 – Use of Peace Officers and Building Crisis Teams to Remove Students with IEPs From School Grounds

1.0 Purpose

The purpose of this policy is to describe the removal of a student with an individualized education program (IEP) from school grounds by a peace officer.

2.0 General Statement of Policy

The school district is committed to promoting learning environments that are safe for all members of the school community.

Students with IEPs are subject to the district-wide discipline policy, Policy 520, except where modified by the IEP team or pursuant to law. In alignment with Policy 520, the utilization of a preventive and positive approach to discipline creates and maintains a safe, secure, and quality educational environment in which learning can occur for all.

If a student with an IEP is in danger of harming ~~him/herself~~ themselves or others, restrictive procedures may be employed by appropriate school personnel. There may be circumstances where the building administrator must also seek the assistance of a peace officer or a crisis team to remove a student with an IEP from school property.

Adopted: 3/9/04
Revised: 2/13/18
Reviewed: 10/8/19

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Agenda Item: 9a

Agenda Topic: Policy 536: School-Sponsored Student Publications and Activities (new) Second Reading
Meeting Date: January 14, 2025
Contact Person: Melissa Sonnek

Background:

Melissa Sonnek, associate superintendent, will review Policy 536: School-Sponsored Student Publications and Activities. There were no requested changes from the first reading on December 10, 2024. This will be the second reading of the policy.

Recommendation:

It is recommended that the board approve Policy 536: School-Sponsored Student Publications and Activities as presented.

__X__ Action Required _____ Informational – No Board Action Requested

ROSEVILLE AREA SCHOOLS
Independent School District No. 623

Policy 536 – School-Sponsored Student Publications and Activities

1.0 Purpose

The purpose of this policy is to protect students' rights to free speech in production of school-sponsored media and activities while at the same time balancing the school district's role in supervising student publications and the operation of public schools.

2.0 General Statement of Policy

2.1 The school district may exercise editorial control over the style and content of student expression in school-sponsored publications and activities.

2.2 Expressions and representations made by students in school-sponsored publications and activities are not expressions of official school district policy. Faculty advisors shall supervise student writers to ensure compliance with the law and school district policies.

2.3 Students who believe their right to free expression has been unreasonably restricted in a school-sponsored media or activity may seek review of the decision by the building principal. The principal shall issue a decision no later than three (3) school days after review is requested.

2.3.1 Students producing school-sponsored media and activities shall be under the supervision of a faculty advisor and the school principal. School-sponsored media and activities shall be subject to the guidelines set forth below.

2.3.2 School-sponsored media may be distributed at reasonable times and locations.

3.0 Guidelines

3.1 Except as provided in 3.2 below, a student journalist has the right to exercise freedom of speech and freedom of the press in school-sponsored media regardless of whether the school-sponsored media receives financial support from the school or district, uses school equipment or facilities in its production, or is produced as part of a class or course in which the student journalist is enrolled. Freedom of speech includes freedom to express political viewpoints. Consistent with 3.2 below, a student journalist has the right to determine the news, opinion, feature,

and advertising content of school-sponsored media. The school district must not discipline a student journalist for exercising rights or freedoms under this paragraph or the First Amendment of the United States Constitution.

3.2 Student expression in school-sponsored media, a yearbook, or school-sponsored activity is prohibited when the material:

3.2.1 is obscene to minors;

3.2.2 is defamatory;

3.2.3 is profane, harassing, threatening, or intimidating;

3.2.4 constitutes an unwarranted invasion of privacy;

3.2.5 violates federal or state law;

3.2.6 causes a material and substantial disruption of school activities;

3.2.7 is directed to inciting or producing imminent lawless action on school premises or the violation of lawful school policies or rules, including a policy adopted in accordance with Minnesota Statutes, section 121A.03 or 121A.031;

3.2.8 advertises or promotes any product or service not permitted for minors by law;

3.29 expresses or advocates sexual, racial, or religious harassment or violence or prejudice; or

3.2.10 is distributed or displayed in violation of time, place, and manner regulations.

3.3 The school district must not retaliate or take adverse employment action against a student media adviser for supporting a student journalist exercising rights or freedoms under 3.1 above or the First Amendment of the United States Constitution.

3.4 Notwithstanding the rights or freedoms of this Article or the First Amendment of the United States Constitution, nothing in this Article inhibits a student media adviser from teaching professional standards of English and journalism to student journalists.

These professional standards may include, but are not limited to, the following:

3.4.1 assuring that participants learn whatever lessons the activity is designed to teach;

3.4.2 assuring that readers or listeners are not exposed to material that may be inappropriate for their level of maturity;

3.4.3 assuring that the views of the individual speaker are not erroneously attributed to the school;

3.4.4 assuring that the school is not associated with any position other than neutrality on matters of political controversy;

3.4.5 assuring that the sponsored student speech cannot reasonably be perceived to advocate conduct otherwise inconsistent with the shared values of a civilized social order;

3.4.6 assuring that the school is not associated with expression that is, for example, ungrammatical, poorly written, inadequately researched, biased or prejudiced, vulgar or profane, or unsuitable for immature audiences.

4.0 Posting

The school district must adopt a student journalist policy consistent with Minnesota Statues, section 121A.80 and post it on the district website.

Adopted:

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Agenda Item: 9b

Agenda Topic: Reschedule January 28, 2025, School Board Meeting
Meeting Date: January 14, 2025
Contact Person: School Board Chair

Background:

A special election has been scheduled for January 28, 2025, to fill a vacancy in House District 40B. Per Minnesota statute, “No special taxing district governing body, school board, county board of commissioners, city council, or town board of supervisors shall conduct a meeting between 6:00 p.m. and 8:00 p.m. on the day that an election is held within the boundaries of the special taxing district, school district, county, city, or town.”

It is our recommendation that the January 28th board meeting be rescheduled to Wednesday, January 29, 2025, at 6:30 p.m. The meeting will be held in the Fairview Room at Aŋpétu Téča Education Center. The community input listening session will be held at 6:00 p.m.

Recommendation:

It is recommended that the board reschedule the January 28, 2025, school board meeting to January 29, 2025.

__X__ Action Required _____ Informational – No Board Action Requested