

**Spring Lake Park Schools** District Services Center 1415 81st Avenue NE Spring Lake Park, MN 55432

SCHOOL BOARD REGULAR MEETING Spring Lake Park Schools School Board Spring Lake Park, MN Tuesday, September 13, 2022

# A. CALL TO ORDER AND PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Chairperson Hennen called the meeting to order at 7:00pm. All board members were present including Amy Hennen, Tony Easter, Sarah Bowe, Marilynn Forsberg, Michael Kreun, Melody Skelly, Sam Villella, along with Superintendent Dr. Jeff Ronneberg and Student Council Representatives Maria Horst, Emilia Holm, Kennedy Cuddihy.

## B. AGENDA APPROVAL

*Motion by Easter, seconded by Bowe*, to approve the agenda as presented. *Motion carried unanimously with all members voting yes.* (7-0)

- C. <u>SOME FUTURE EVENTS</u> (Please check the District Calendar and Resource Guide or the District website at www.springlakeparkschools.org for a complete list of monthly events)
  - Tuesday, September 27, 2022: School Board Work Session, 6:00 p.m.
  - Tuesday, October 11, 2022: School Board Regular Meeting, 7:00 p.m. with Communication to the Board and Administration at 6:45 p.m.

## D. CONSENT AGENDA

*Motion by Forsberg, seconded by Bowe*, to approve the following items of the consent agenda:

- 1. <u>Minutes</u> of the August 8, 2022 Regular School Board Meeting and August 23, 2022 School Board Work Session
- 2. <u>Bills Paid</u> for July 2022

BILLS PAID			
Jul-22			
Fund	To	tal Payments	
General	\$	3,428,715	
Food Service		57,925	
Community Education		121,008	
Debt Service		1,820,925	
Trust and Agency		5,400	
Building Construction		-	
Internal Service Funds		54,991	
OPEB Debt Services		23,483	
OPEB Trust Account		-	
TOTAL	\$	5,512,447	

# 3. Personnel Items

# **EMPLOYMENTS**

<u>Name</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>Start</u> <u>Date</u>	<u>New,</u> <u>Growth or</u>
				<u>Replace</u>
Rachel Andes	CV	Grade 1 Teacher	08/29/2022	Replace
Karim Arrazola	NP	Functional Paraprofessional	09/06/2022	Replace
Tatum Baker	NP	SPED Paraprofessional - ASD	09/06/2022	Replace
Michael Barnes	CV	Grade 4 Teacher	08/29/2022	Replace
Kimberly Berroa	WW	Grade 5 Spanish Teacher	08/29/2022	Replace
Jolene Blood	WW	Behavior Specialist	08/29/2022	Replace
Christine Carlson	WCSI	Behavior Specialist	08/29/2022	Replace
Rachel Cathey	NP	Theater Arts Specialist	08/29/2022	Replace
Angela Clarke	LH	Instructional Paraprofessional	09/06/2022	Replace
Emily Dukowitz	NP	Special Education Paraprofessional - ASD	09/06/2022	Replace
Kara Ehlert	SLPHS	Science Teacher	08/29/2022	Replace
Grant Gagner	PT	Grade 3 Teacher	08/29/2022	Replace
Sara Gramer	LH	Gifted and Talented Teacher	08/29/2022	Replace
Per Gulbranson	SLPHS	Art Teacher	08/29/2022	Replace
Ashley Hanzel	PT	Academic Specialist - LD	08/29/2022	Replace
Alexander Herlofsky	SLPHS	Special Education Teacher - SEB	08/29/2022	Replace
David Jacobson	SLPHS	English Language Arts Teacher	08/29/2022	Replace
Walfrid Johnson	NP	Special Education Teacher - ASD	08/29/2022	Replace
Tyler Lee	SLPHS	Physics Teacher (0.6 FTE)	08/29/2022	Replace
Cassandra McIntire	WW	Special Education Paraprofessional - DCD	09/06/2022	Replace
Katie Miskowic	PT	Academic Specialist K-4	08/29/2022	Replace
Pang Zong Moua	PT	Grade 2 Teacher	08/29/2022	Replace

Johnathan Nelson	SLPHS	Physical Science Teacher	08/29/2022	Replace
Ivonne Padilla	DSC	Executive Assistant to the Superintendent	08/22/2022	Replace
Luke Pauly	SLPHS	Mathematics Teacher	08/29/2022	Replace
Asjha Quade	CV	Grade 4 Teacher – LTS	08/29/2022	Replace
John Seal	WCSI	Academic Specialist – ELA	08/29/2022	Replace
Abigail Sickel	CV	Grade 1 Teacher	08/29/2022	Replace
Maria Soto-Vargas	WCSI	Kindergarten Teacher	08/29/2022	New
Anthony Zappia	DW	Child Care Assistant Teacher	08/30/2022	Replace
Yvette Zeece	WW	Special Education Teacher - SEB	08/29/2022	Replace

#### **TERMINATIONS/RESIGNATIONS/SEPARATIONS FROM EMPLOYMENT**

<u>Name</u>	<b>Location</b>	Employee Group	Note
Emily Blessinger	CV	Teachers	Resi
Sara Dehn	NP	Paraprofessionals	Resi
Brenna Driscoll	WW	Teachers	Resi
Nicole Gilbert	PT	Child Care Professionals	Resi
Julie Hasling	SLPHS	Teachers	Resi
Wendy Hatchner	SLPHS	Teachers	Retir
Julia Helmeid	NP	Paraprofessionals	Resi
Alexander Herlofsky	SLPHS	Paraprofessionals	Resi
Rebecca Hiatt	SLPHS	Teachers	Resi
Samantha Imig	WCSI	Child Care Professionals	Resig
David Jacobson	SLPHS	Paraprofessionals	Resi
Rocio Juarez Castellano	WW	Paraprofessionals	Resi
Jiyoung Kim	CV	Teachers	Resi
Rachel Lanquist	WCSI	Teachers	Resi
Maria Lewis	WW	Teachers	Resi
Danielle McGill	DW	Unaffiliated	Resi
Tamiko Montgomery	SLPHS	Teachers	Resig
Madison Pawlyshyn	SLPHS	Paraprofessionals	Resi
Savannah Pearson	WCSI	Teachers	Resi
Cheryl Ruby-Nei	PT	Paraprofessionals	Resi
Kristen Schuppan	NP	Paraprofessionals	Resi
Elise Schwartz	CV	Community Services	Resi
Stephanie Shun	SLPHS	Teachers	Resi
Taiwo Sodunke	PT	Teachers	Resi
Elizabeth Wackman	SLPHS	Teachers	Resi
Lillian Wigen	PT	Paraprofessionals	Resi
Heidi Zisla	PT	Teachers	Resi

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#### **LEAVES OF ABSENCE**

<u>Name</u>	<u>Location</u>	Employee Group	Notes
Amy Khang	DSC	Unaffiliated	August 29, 2022 - September 29, 2022
Amanda Moravec	PT	Teachers	August 29, 2022 - June 9, 2023
LeAnne Pampusch	DSC	ECFE/ABE Teachers	August 2, 2022 - October 31, 2022
Amy Reznicek	PT	Teachers	August 29, 2022 - August 25, 2023

Motion carried unanimously with all members voting yes (7-0)

#### E. DISCUSSION, REPORTS, INFORMATION ITEMS

<u>Certificate of Excellence in Financial Reporting from the Association of School Business Officials-International:</u> Spring Lake Park District 16 is a multiple year recipient of this award, most recently for its Comprehensive Annual Financial Report for Fiscal year ended June 30, 2021. Ms. Amy Schultz, Director of Business Services, shared that this is the 16<sup>th</sup> year receiving this award and thanked Chris McGee for the leadership and beyond work necessary for the district to be eligible for this award. Chairperson Hennen thanked and congratulated the Business Services Team.

#### F. DISCUSSION, REPORTS, INFORMATION ITEMS

1. <u>2022-23 District Operational Plan (DOP)</u>: Dr. Ronneberg, Superintendent of Schools, Dr. Hope Rahn, Director of Learning and Innovation, and Erika Taibl, Director of Marketing and communications, provided a brief overview of the 2021-2022 district results and an overview of the three key projects: Innovative and personalized learning, continue to strengthen student supports and interventions, and enhance partnerships with families. Under the Innovative and Personalized Learning project, Dr. Rahn shared that our commitment is to ensure we know each student by name, strength, interest and need leading to personalized work and learning experiences leading to each student's success in learning. Under the Continue to Strengthen Supports and Interventions project, Dr. Rahn shared that this project continues the work of strengthening the continuum of student supports and interventions matched to student academic, social, emotional, and/or behavioral needs through the creative, flexible and differentiated application of human, material and time resources. Under the project of Enhance Partnerships with Families, Ms. Taibl shared the importance of our staff, students and families being partners in student engagement and success. SLP wants to strengthen our partnerships between school and home. Ms. Rahn shared that the DOP meets the Minnesota Department of Education's World's Best Workforce plan requirements. Director Kreun thanked everyone that spoke this evening for the hard work everyone has done in supporting all our students.

 Superintendent's Report – Dr. Ronneberg shared some highlights of the beginning of the school year as he visited all the schools during the first few days of school. He shared some of the highlights from the "Start your Engines" community event, that activities and athletics are underway, homecoming week is from September 26-30, and the Industry Rountable is on October 13 from 3:30pm-5pm.

## G. ACTION ITEMS

## 1. Acknowledgment of Gifts

*Motion by Skelly, seconded by Easter*, to approve the following resolution:

WHEREAS School Board Policy 706 establishes guidelines for the acceptance of gifts to the District; and

WHEREAS Minnesota Statute 465.03 states that a School board may accept a gift of real or personal property by the adoption of a resolution approved by two-thirds of its members.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the School Board of Spring Lake Park Schools accepts with appreciation the gifts as shown.

Roll call: Ayes: Kreun, Hester, Forsberg, Skelly, Bowe, Villela, Hennen. Nays: none

Resolution was adopted. (7-0)

Donation Summary for September 13, 2022, School Board Meeting

## **Monetary Donations**

Description	Value	Donor	Purpose/To
Monetary	\$ 15.00	The Blackbaud Giving Fun	Westwood Middle School
Monetary	\$ 15.00	The Blackbaud Giving Fun	Spring Lake Park High School
Monetary	\$ 5,000.00	TCO-Infinite Health	Athletics & Activities
		Collaborative	
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#### **Non-Monetary Donations**

Description	Donor	Purpose/To	
Trumpet	Anthony and Traci Genia	Westwood Middle School	
100 BOGO gift cards	Chick fil a	Spring Lake Park High School	
100 Nautical Bowl cards	Nautical Bowl	Spring Lake Park High School	
Fire/Rescue Vehicle	Blaine/Mounds View/SLP Fire	Spring Lake Park High School	
	Department		

### H. BOARD FORUM AND REPORTS

Member Forsberg gave an update on the recent Northeast Metro 916 meeting, shared that MSBA Fall tours are virtual now and are available to all school board members. Chairperson Hennen shared that she attended the AMSD meeting, and a PTO meeting at Westwood, and introduced Kennedy, Maria and Emilia to the positions of school board student representatives. Maria, Kennedy and Emilia introduced themselves and shared updates on activities and athletics taking place at the high school, including homecoming activities, and fall sports.

### I. CLOSED SESSION

Motion by easter, seconded by Bowe, to enter in to Closed Session to discuss employee negotiations. Motion carried unanimously with all members present voting yes. (7-0) Entered into closed session at 7:59pm.

*Motion by Forsberg, seconded by Villela*, to reconvene the meeting. *Motion carried unanimously with all members present voting yes.* (7-0). Meeting reconvened at 8:15pm.

## J. ADJOURNMENT

Motion by Skelly, seconded by Villela, to adjourn the meeting. Motion carried unanimously with all members voting yes. (7-0). Meeting adjourned at 8:17pm.

Date

Marilynn Forsberg, Clerk Spring Lake Park Schools Independent School District 16