

BOARD REPORT

TO: Board of Education

FROM: Superintendent Dave Bernhardson
Director of Business Services Heather Aune
District Office Coordinator Tracy Lutt



DATE: Monday, July 13, 2026

TOPIC/PURPOSE OF REPORT: November 3, 2026 Election Update

REFERENCE TO POLICY/STRATEGIC PLAN: Policy 201 Legal Status of the School Board

RECOMMENDED BOARD ACTION: Information Item

DATE FOR BOARD ACTION: No Board Action Required

REPORT

Director of Business Services Heather Aune and District Office Coordinator Tracy Lutt will provide an update on the November 3, 2026, election.

The School Board will be asked to approve a Resolution Relating to Election of School Board Members and Calling the School District General Election. If approved, an election will be held on Tuesday, November 3, 2026, to elect three school board members to four-year terms.

The filing period for school board candidates opens at 8:00 a.m. on Tuesday, July 14, 2026, and closes at 5:00 p.m. on Tuesday, July 28, 2026. Additional information is available on the district website and at the district office.

The School Board will be asked to consider approval of a Capital Projects Levy renewal. If approved by the Board, the Capital Projects Levy Review and Comment will be submitted to the Minnesota Department of Education (MDE). If subsequently approved by MDE and the Board adopts the resolution calling a special election, the Capital Projects Levy renewal question will appear on the November 3, 2026, ballot for voter consideration.