

Business Meeting

Tuesday, July 21, 2026 7:30 PM

Fridley Community Center, 6085 7th Street NE, Fridley, MN 55432

A. Call to Order, Pledge of Allegiance	Presenter: Board Chair
B. Approval of Agenda with Suggested Motions and Resolutions	Presenter: Board Chair
B.1. Suggested Motions and Resolutions	
C. Superintendent Report	
D. Business Action Items	
D.1. Motion: Revision of Policy 598 School Admission	Presenter: Board Chair
D.2. Resolution: Approval of Long Term Facilities Maintenance Plan	
D.3. RESOLUTION: Ehlers borrowing	
E. Consent Agenda	Presenter: Board Chair
E.1. Minutes of the School Board Business Meeting and Work Session Held on June 16, 2026	
E.2. New Contracts, Amendments, Leaves of Absence, Terminations, Resignations, and Retirements	
F. Important Future School Board Dates	Presenter: Board Chair
F.1. High School Fall Sports Begin on August 11th - head to the FPS website for information and registration	
F.2. Fall Sports registration also means time for Sports Physicals - student athletes can get those completed on August 13th from 3 to 6 p.m.	
F.3. Fridley Public Schools Board Meeting August 18, 2026 Work Session, 5:30 PM Public Comment, 7:00 PM Business Meeting, 7:30 PM Fridley Community Center	
G. Adjournment	Presenter: Board Chair

598 SCHOOL ADMISSION POLICY

I. PURPOSE

The purpose of this policy is to provide guidance to professional staff, parents and students regarding expectations for the admission of students.

II. GENERAL STATEMENT OF POLICY

Admission to Fridley Public Schools is free and open to all district residents, and to those who desire to participate in the Enrollment Options Program who are between the ages of 5 and 21 years. Kindergarten admission will be granted to students that are at least 5 years of age by September 1 of the calendar year in which the child desires to enter school. First grade admission will be granted to students that are at least 6 years of age by September 1 of the calendar year in which the child desires to enter school. Early entrance to kindergarten and first grade will be considered under the following circumstances:

A. Early entry to kindergarten or first grade may be granted when professional staff and parents believe it to be in the best interest of the student. Physical development, maturity, and emotional factors shall be considered as well as scholastic achievement and aptitude.

B. A kindergarten child moving into the school district during the academic year from another school district may be allowed to continue his/her education in kindergarten in the Fridley School Public Schools.

C. Early entry to first grade will be granted to students that obtained early-entry to kindergarten and completed the requirements of that program successfully.

III. DEFINITIONS

A. *Early Entrance* refers to the practice of admitting kindergarten students that are younger than 5 years of age or first grade students that are younger than 6 years of age by September 1 of a given academic calendar year.

B. *Professional Staff* refers to a team comprised of a principal, teachers, school psychologist and director of educational services.

IV. EARLY ENTRANCE REQUIREMENTS

Fridley Public Schools has established the following criteria for early admission to kindergarten and first grade.

A. Children considered for early entrance to kindergarten must be 5 years of age on or before December 1st in the year of early entrance.

B. Children considered for early entrance to grade one must be 6 years of age on or before December 1st in the year of early entrance.

V. DIRECTIVES AND GUIDELINES

The superintendent shall develop guidelines which articulate the processes and procedures for school admission within the elementary, middle, and high schools. These guidelines should define the application, data collection, decision-making, and notification processes.

Legal References:

Minn. Stat. § 124D.03 (Enrollment Options Program)

Minn. Stat. § 120A.01 (Admission to Public School)

School Board Action:

Adopted as Policy 598 May 20, 2008

Revised July 16, 2013

Reviewed – No Changes / Approved at December 20, 2022 Meeting

School Board Resolution
Independent School District No. 14
Adopting the School District's Fiscal Year (FY) 28
Long-Term Facilities Maintenance Ten-Year Plan

Whereas, to qualify for Long-Term Facilities Maintenance revenue, Minnesota Statutes, subdivision 4 states a school district or intermediate district must annually adopt and approve a ten-year facilities plan by July 31 for commissioner approval.

Whereas, the school district has developed a ten-year Long-Term Facilities Maintenance plan consistent with this law.

School Board Member _____ moved for resolution adoption and the motion was duly seconded by School Board Member _____ and, upon vote being thereon, the following voted in favor of the motion:

And the following voted against _____.

Therefore, be it resolved that, the School Board of Independent School District No. 14 approves and adopts the attached ten-year Long-Term Facilities Maintenance plan for FY 25 on the 21st day of July, 2026.

School Board Clerk Signature

 Division of School Finance 400 NE Stinson Blvd Minneapolis, MN 55413		Long-Term Facility Maintenance Ten-Year Expenditure Application (LTFM) - Fund 01 and Fund 06 Projects Only										ED - 02478-12	
Instructions: Enter estimated, allowable LTFM expenditures (<i>Fund 01 and/or Fund 06 only</i>) under Minnesota Statutes 2025, section 1238.595, subd. 10. Enter by Uniform Financial and Accounting Reporting Standards (UFARS) finance code and by fiscal year in the cells provided.													
District Info. District Name: Fridley Public Schools District Number: 14 District Contact Name: Rochelle Cox Contact Phone #: 763-438-4138		(REQUIRED) Enter Information District Info. (REQUIRED) Enter Information Date: 7/21/2026 Email: cox@isd14.org											
Expenditure Categories		Fiscal Year (FY) Ending June 30											
		2026 (base year)	2027	2028	2029	2030	2031	2032	2033	2034	2035	2036	
Health and Safety - this section excludes project costs in Category 2 of \$100,000 or more for which additional revenue is requested for Finance Codes 358, 363 and 366.													
Finance Code Category (1)													
347	Physical Hazards	\$38,760	\$38,000	\$38,000	\$38,000	\$38,000	\$38,000	\$39,000	\$40,000	\$40,000	\$40,000	\$40,000	
349	Other Hazardous Materials	\$15,000	\$15,000	\$15,000	\$15,000	\$15,000	\$15,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	
352	Environmental Health and Safety Management	\$84,000	\$85,000	\$85,000	\$85,000	\$85,000	\$85,000	\$85,000	\$85,000	\$85,000	\$85,000	\$85,000	
358	Asbestos Removal and Encapsulation	\$70,000	\$70,000	\$70,000	\$70,000	\$70,000	\$70,000	\$70,000	\$70,000	\$70,000	\$70,000	\$70,000	
363	Fire Safety	\$20,600	\$21,200	\$21,800	\$22,500	\$23,200	\$23,900	\$24,600	\$25,300	\$25,300	\$25,300	\$25,300	
366	Indoor Air Quality	\$40,800	\$42,400	\$43,700	\$45,000	\$46,400	\$47,800	\$49,200	\$50,700	\$50,700	\$50,700	\$50,700	
Total Health and Safety Capital Projects - Category (1)		\$269,160	\$271,600	\$273,500	\$275,500	\$277,600	\$279,700	\$267,800	\$271,000	\$271,000	\$271,000	\$271,000	
Health and Safety - Projects Costing \$100,000 or more per Project/Site/Year - Additional Revenue													
Finance Code Category (2)													
358	Asbestos Removal and Encapsulation	\$0	\$475,785	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	
363	Fire Safety	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	
366	Indoor Air Quality	\$723,750	\$962,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	
Total Health and Safety Capital Projects \$100,000 or More - Category (2)		\$723,750	\$1,437,785	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	
Remodeling for Approved Voluntary Pre-K under Minnesota Statutes, section 124D.151													
Finance Code Category 3 (a)													
355	Remodeling for prekindergarten (Pre-K) instruction approved by the commissioner.	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	
Total Remodeling for Approved Voluntary Pre-K Projects - Category 3(a)		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	
Remodeling for Gender-Neutral Single-User Restrooms													
Finance/Course Codes Category 3 (b) LTFM REVENUE EFFECTIVE FY 2025 and Beyond													
Finance Code 384 and Course Code 684 MUST USE BOTH	Remodeling for gender-neutral single user restroom per site.	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	
Total Remodeling for Gender-Neutral Single User Projects - Category 3(b)		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	
Accessibility													
Finance Code Category (4)													
367	Accessibility	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	
Total Accessibility Projects - Category (4)		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	
Deferred Capital Expenditures and Maintenance Projects													
Finance Code Category (5)													
368	Building Envelope	\$137,000	\$50,000	\$25,000	\$50,000	\$122,000	\$30,000			\$0	\$0	\$0	
369	Building Hardware and Equipment	\$2,700				\$50,000	\$50,000	\$50,000	\$50,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	
370	Electrical		\$65,000							\$0	\$0	\$0	
379	Interior Surfaces	\$1,243,750	\$664,205	\$40,000	\$75,000	\$75,000	\$75,000			\$0	\$0	\$0	
380	Mechanical Systems		\$150,000					\$150,000		\$0	\$0	\$0	
381	Plumbing	\$287,290	\$20,000		\$20,000	\$20,000	\$20,000	\$20,000	\$20,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	
382	Professional Services and Salary	\$50,000	\$50,000	\$50,000	\$50,000	\$50,000				\$0	\$0	\$0	
383	Roof Systems (normally below \$100,000 unless the school chooses not to receive additional revenue for \$100K or more roofing project/site/year - pending 2025 Legislation)	\$150,000			\$100,000			\$100,000	\$100,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	
384	Site Projects	\$115,000		\$75,000		\$75,000		\$75,000	\$75,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	
Total Deferred Capital Expenditures and Maintenance Projects - Category (5)		\$1,985,740	\$999,205	\$190,000	\$295,000	\$392,000	\$175,000	\$395,000	\$245,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	
Deferred Capital Expenditures for Roofing Projects - Additional Revenue for \$100,000 or more project/site/year													
Finance Code Category (6)													
383	Roofing Systems - Additional Revenue												
		\$0	\$370,000	\$700,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	
Total Annual 10-Year Plan Expenditures		\$2,978,650	\$3,078,590	\$1,163,500	\$570,500	\$669,600	\$454,700	\$662,800	\$516,000	\$271,000	\$271,000	\$271,000	
Fund Balance Section													
Fund 01		FY 26 and 27 Revenue Projection Model Revenue											
Beginning Fund Balance 01-467-XX		\$0	\$317,976	-\$1,784,078	-\$1,728,448	-\$1,580,043	-\$1,526,539	-\$1,253,409	-\$1,183,129	-\$960,275	-\$486,120	-\$10,390	
LTFM Fiscal Year Revenue - Levy		\$592,998	\$991,953	\$1,430,395	\$461,547	\$471,146	\$452,493	\$455,929	\$456,684	\$457,686	\$459,255	\$1,037,202	
LTFM Fiscal Year Revenue - AID if Applicable		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$272,522	\$267,123	\$290,502	\$292,315	\$297,336	\$302,634	\$302,640	\$105,056	
LTFM Fiscal Year Revenue Other		\$0	\$0	-\$196,100	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	
LTFM Transfer IN from Fund 06 if applicable (see transfer guidance tab)		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	
LEVY Page 10, Line 422	LTFM Deduction for applicable Cooperative/Intermediate Member District Levy	\$12,159	\$15,416	\$15,165	\$15,165	\$15,165	\$15,165	\$15,165	\$15,165	\$15,165	\$15,165	\$15,165	
LTFM Transfer OUT from Fund 01 if applicable (see transfer guidance tab)		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	
LTFM Transfer OUT if applicable - Special Legislation		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	
LTFM Estimated Fiscal Year Expenditures		\$262,863	\$3,078,590	\$1,163,500	\$570,500	\$669,600	\$454,700	\$662,800	\$516,000	\$271,000	\$271,000	\$271,000	

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FRIDLEY PUBLIC SCHOOLS — INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT 14
SCHOOL BOARD BUSINESS MEETING — MINUTES
Tuesday, June 16, 2026

Work Session: 5:30 PM

Business Meeting called to order at: 7:30 p.m.

A. Call to Order, Pledge of Allegiance

Roll Call

Ms. Auna: not present	Ms. Jones: present	Mr. Karnopp: present
Ms. Schreiner: present	Ms. Starck: present	Ms. Yang: present
Ms. Shobe: not present	Mr. Bah: not present	

B. Approval of Agenda with Suggested Motions and Resolutions

Motion by Director Schreiner, seconded by Director Jones, to approve the agenda for June 16, 2026.

All those in favor: 5 All opposed: 0 Motion: Passed

C. Superintendent Report

Additional item raised during the Superintendent Report: approval of the Custodial Agreement.

Motion by Director Starck, seconded by Director Schreiner, to approve the Custodial Agreement.

All those in favor: 5 All opposed: 0 Motion: Passed

D. Business Action Items

a. Approval of the 2026-2027 School Year Calendar Adjustments

Motion by Director Jones, seconded by Director Schreiner, to approve the 2026-2027 School Year Calendar Adjustments.

All those in favor: 5 All opposed: 0 Motion: Passed

b. Approval of the Fiscal Year 2026-2027 Adopted Budget

Motion by Director Yang, seconded by Director Schreiner, to accept the approval of the Fiscal Year 2026-27 Adopted Budget.

All those in favor: 5 All opposed: 0 Motion: Passed

c. Resolution: Certification of Updated District Population Estimate

Certified population estimate: 701 residents.

Motion by Director Jones, seconded by Director Schreiner, to approve the certification of updated district population estimate.

Roll call vote — Ms. Auna: yes Ms. Jones: yes Mr. Karnopp: yes Ms. Schreiner: yes Ms. Starck: yes Ms. Yang: yes

Motion: Passed

d. Resolution Accepting Gifts

WHEREAS, School Board Policy 706 establishes guidelines for the acceptance of gifts to the District; and
WHEREAS, Minnesota Statute 465.03 states the School Board may accept a gift, grant, or devise of real or personal property only by the adoption of a resolution approved by two-thirds of its members;

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the School Board of Fridley Public Schools accepts with appreciation the following gifts received by the School District:

The following persons donated to Fridley Middle School for the 8th grade send-off:

- Josefina Arce
- Rashidatu Barway
- Lisa Boberg
- Muhammed Conta
- Tiffany Demo
- Lauren Gilbert
- Stephanie Haage
- Tosin Imade
- Stacy Nealy
- Angie Peterson
- Susana Salvin
- Laura Sisterman
- Melissa Spreeman
- May Vang
- Toni Vang

Motion by Director Yang, seconded by Director Jones, to accept the gifts and thank the donors for their contributions.

Ms. Auna: yes Ms. Jones: yes Mr. Karnopp: yes Ms. Schreiner: yes Ms. Starck: yes Ms. Yang: yes

Motion: Passed

E. Consent Agenda

Motion by Director Schreiner, seconded by Director Jones, to approve the consent agenda including the minutes of the closed meeting, business meeting, and work session held on May 19; New Contracts, Amendments, Leaves of Absence, Resignations, Retirements, and Terminations; Language Access Plan; QComp Annual Plan; the curriculum for social studies, secondary literacy intervention, and Grade 9/10 language and literature curriculum; and the MSHSL Membership.

All those in favor: 5 All opposed: 0 Motion: Passed

F. Written Information

a. First Reading of Policies

- Policy 598 — School Admission

G. Important Future School Board Dates

- District Holiday — No School: June 19, 2026
- District Holiday — No School: July 3, 2026 (corrected)

- Fridley Public Schools School Board Meeting — July 21, 2026, Fridley Community Center — 5:30 PM Work Session, 7:00 PM Public Comment, 7:30 PM Business Meeting

H. Adjournment

Motion by Director Starck, seconded by Director Schreiner, to adjourn the meeting at 8:52 p.m..

All those in favor: 5 All opposed: 0 Motion: Passed

School Board Clerk

Personnel Changes 2026-2027

New Contracts and Amendments per Master Agreements (2026-2027)

- Erick Antonio De La Cruz, Spanish, Hayes, BA/Step 1, effective 8/24/26
- Samantha Bantuas, ECSE Teacher, FCC ECSE, BA/Step 3, effective 8/24/26
- Sarah Bovitz, ECSE/Screening Teacher (.8 FTE), FCC, MA/Step 10
- Eula Canazares, Special Education Teacher, VISTA Middle, BA/Step 2, effective 8/24/26
- Judy Denuyo, Special Education Teacher, VISTA Autism, BA/Step 3, effective 8/24/26
- RoseMary Handley, Grade 2, Hayes, BA/Step 5, effective 8/24/26
- Dylan Haynes, Paraeducator, Hayes, Step 2, effective 9/1/26
- Alicia Johnon, Student Services Coordinator, Vista Middle, effective 7/1/26
- Nu Lee, Assistant Principal, Hayes Elementary, Principal/Level 2, effective 7/1/26
- Leah Lincuna, Special Education Teacher, Hayes, MA/Step 17, effective 8/24/26
- Queenie Lista, Special Education Teacher, VISTA Autism, BA/Step 3, effective 8/24/26
- Beth Olsen, Paraeducator, Hayes, Step 5, effective 9/1/26
- Jillian Ziedler, Health Assistant, Fridley Middle, B21/Step 3, effective 8/24/26

Return from Leave of Absence

- Gail Pfluger, Human Resources Specialist, DO, effective 7/2/26
- Stephen Keeler, Director of Community Education, effective 7/9/26

Status Changes (2026-2027)

- Greg Beeck, Assistant Principal, Hayes to VISTA Elementary, effective 7/1/26
- Kayla Bryson-Rivera, Administrative Assistant to Activities Office, Fridley High to Administrative Assistant (.8/.2), VISTA HS/Activities Office, effective 7/1/26
- Zohra Deriche, Paraeducator, Hayes to VISTA Elementary, effective 9/1/26
- Rita Inyama, Grade 3, Hayes to Special Education Teacher, VISTA MS, effective 8/24/26
- Angaelika Iverson, Principal, Hayes to VISTA Elementary, effective 7/1/26
- Mark Jacobs, Assistant Principal, VISTA Secondary to VISTA Middle, effective 7/1/26
- Kelly McConville, Principal, Fridley High to VISTA High, effective 7/1/26
- Mark Mickelson, Senior Officer of Security, District Office to Facilities Manager, effective 7/1/26
- Ademola Oke, Building Sub, Stevenson to Special Education Teacher, effective 8/24/26
- Afolabi Runsewe, Principal, Fridley Community Center to VISTA Autism Center, effective 7/1/26

Resignations (2026-2027)

- Tabitha Barton, Nutrition Services Assistant, Fridley Middle, effective 6/10/26
- Norman Bell, Assistant Principal, VISTA High, effective 7/10/26
- Gina Garcia, Lunch Paraeducator, Hayes, effective 6/10/26
- Jason Harvey, Security and Emergency Specialist, District office, effective 6/10/26

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- Kai Hauglid, Custodian, Fridley Middle, effective 6/19/26
- Hannah Johnson, English/AVID, Fridley High, effective 6/12/26
- Osvaldo Ocampo Dominguez, Custodian, Hayes, effective 6/30/26
- Jason Oman, Security and Emergency Specialist, VISTA, effective 6/10/26

Retirements (2025-2026)

- James Young, Paraeducator, Fridley High, effective 6/10/26

Positions Ending (2026-2027)

- Keyonna Hamlin, Paraeducator, VISTA, effective 6/10/26

Contract End (2025-2026)

- Courtney Green, Senior Program Coordinator, Fridley Community Center, effective 6/30/26