

**LIVONIA PUBLIC SCHOOLS
BOARD OF EDUCATION**

**Regular Meeting
April 20, 2026 - 6:30 PM
Board Room
15125 Farmington Road
Livonia, Michigan 48154**

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- I. ROLL CALL: Madeline Acosta, Karen Bradford, Colleen Burton, Crystal Frank, Liz Jarvis, Mark Johnson, Dave MacFarland**
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**LIVONIA PUBLIC SCHOOLS
BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETING
April 20, 2026**

TOPIC: Recognition of State Champions Livonia United Girls Hockey

RECOMMENDATION:

Move that the Board of Education of the Livonia Public Schools School District adopt the attached resolution recognizing the Livonia United Girls High School Hockey team on its Division II State Championship title.

RATIONALE:

The Livonia United Girls High School Hockey team had an unprecedented season since being established nine years ago, finishing the regular season 14-2 and playing a perfect playoff season, leading to the State Championship victory in March 2026.

BUDGETARY INFORMATION:

None

RESOURCE PERSONNEL:

Stacy Jenkins

EXHIBITS:

Attached Resolution

**LIVONIA PUBLIC SCHOOLS
BOARD OF EDUCATION**

April 20, 2026

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, the Trustees of the Livonia Public Schools District Board of Education are desirous of publicly recognizing the outstanding accomplishments of students who distinguish themselves during the pursuit of their public education in the school district; and

WHEREAS, the Livonia United Girls High School Hockey Team, made up of players from Livonia Public Schools, coached by Janine Martinez and her coaching staff, has distinguished itself by achieving the 2026 Division II State Championship; and

WHEREAS, in achieving this honor, the Livonia United team, with an unprecedented season record of 14 wins and just 2 losses, captured its first Division II Championship title and finished the playoff season with a perfect 3 wins and 0 losses, resulting in the State Championship victory over Cranbrook at the Big Boy Ice Arena in Fraser, Michigan.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Trustees of the Board of Education do hereby commend and congratulate the Livonia United Girls High School Hockey Team for its outstanding accomplishments in athletics and wish the team members well in their future endeavors as they apply the discipline and perseverance needed to excel in sports to all areas of their lives.

Madeline Acosta, Secretary
Board of Education

**LIVONIA PUBLIC SCHOOLS
BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETING
April 20, 2026**

TOPIC: Consent Agenda

RECOMMENDATION:

Move that the Board of Education of the Livonia Public Schools School District approve the following consent agenda items, as recommended by the Superintendent:

- V.A. *Minutes of the Closed Session of March 23, 2026
- V.B. *Minutes of the Regular Meeting of March 23, 2026
- VI.A. *Adoption of Resolution for LPS Stormwater Program
- VI.B. *Approval of Water Main Agreement LCTC and ECC
- VII.A. *Approval of 2026-2027 Cooperative Agreements

RATIONALE:

The agenda for the Board of Education meeting has certain items designated and identified by an asterisk *. These items, identified in advance with the concurrence of all Board members present, will be acted upon in a single motion.

BUDGETARY INFORMATION:

None

RESOURCE PERSONNEL:

Andrea Oquist, Superintendent
William Green, Assistant Superintendent
Kein Etue, Director of Secondary Programs
Maegan Sprow, Director of Student Services

EXHIBITS:

Attached

Off/Supt/tg



Board of Education of the Livonia Public Schools School District

Meeting Location: LPS Admin Bldg., 15125 Farmington Rd., Livonia MI 48154

5:30 pm meeting / Patriot Room

Closed Session of the Board / March 23, 2026

BOARD ATTENDEES: Colleen Burton, President / Madeline Acosta, Secretary / Karen Bradford, Trustee / Liz Jarvis, Trustee / Mark Johnson, Trustee / Dave MacFarland, Trustee

ABSENT: Crystal Frank, Vice President

OTHERS PRESENT: Andrea Oquist, Superintendent / Jennifer Keatts, Assistant Superintendent / Kevin Etue, Director of Secondary Programs / Mike Reilly, Administrator of Public Safety

MEETING MINUTES:

Audience Communications: None

Appeal of Hearing: Those in attendance convened to consider an appeal on behalf of the parents of a secondary student following an expulsion hearing. The family was not present. Superintendent Oquist, Mr. Etue, Mrs. Keatts and Mr. Reilly presented the findings of the expulsion hearing to the Board of Education, which will vote on the student's expulsion at the March 23, 2026 Regular Meeting.

Off. Supt./MA./tg



Board of Education of the Livonia Public Schools School District

Meeting Location: LPS Admin Bldg., 15125 Farmington Rd., Livonia, MI 48154

6:30pm meeting / Board Room

Minutes of Regular Meeting / March 23, 2026

ROLL CALL: Colleen Burton, President / Madeline Acosta, Secretary / Karen Bradford, Trustee / Liz Jarvis, Trustee / Mark Johnson, Trustee / Dave MacFarland, Trustee

Absent: Crystal Frank, Vice President

President Burton Commenced the meeting at: 6:38pm

AGENDA:

III. COMMUNICATIONS:

- A. **Read Across America Resolution:** It was moved by Mr. MacFarland and supported by Mrs. Jarvis that the Board of Education of the Livonia Public Schools School District adopt a resolution in recognition of Read Across America during the month of March, 2026 in Livonia Public Schools.

Ayes: Acosta, Bradford, Burton, Jarvis, Johnson, MacFarland
Nays: None

- B. **Recognition of Franklin JV Pompon State Championship:** Mrs. Jenkins led the time of recognition and shared highlights of the team's winning season. Team coaches spoke on behalf of the team and shared pride, and gratitude for the hardworking and high achieving women who comprise this team. Coaches spoke of the girls' grit, dedication, passion and commitment to excellence and look forward to next season together.

C. **District Update from the Superintendent:** Superintendent Oquist shared highlights of activities and events happening around the District as well as many District points of pride. These highlights can be found each month on our District website under “District News”.

D. **Audience Communications:** Mayor Brosnan, Karen Bonano and Hunter Anderson of the Livonia Youth Commission reported the results of their in depth 2024 youth survey on the youth agenda in the city of Livonia. The 2024 survey identified 3 key areas of concern as reported by Livonia’s youth: stress & mental burn out, college / future planning, substance use and access. The Youth Commission is planning another survey for 2027 and asked for the same partnership and cooperation with LPS that they enjoyed in 2024.

IV. CONSENT AGENDA:

It was moved by Mrs. Jarvis and supported by Mrs. Bradford that the Board of Education of the Livonia Public Schools School District approve the following Consent agenda items:

*Minutes of the Regular Meeting of February 23,, 2026

Ayes: Acosta, Bradford, Burton, Jarvis, Johnson, MacFarland
Nays: None

VI. BUSINESS MATTERS:

A. **Approval of LPS Merchandise Purchase:** It was moved by Mr. Johnson and supported by Mrs. Jarvis that the Board of Education of the Livonia Public Schools School District approves the purchase of Livonia Public Schools merchandise from MBS Incorporated, South Lyon, Michigan for an amount not to exceed \$120,000.

Ayes: Acosta, Bradford, Burton, Jarvis, Johnson, MacFarland
Nays: None

B. **Approval of Purchase of LCTC Furniture and Equipment:** It was moved by Mrs. Bradford and supported by Mr. Johnson that the Board of Education of the Livonia Public Schools School District approve the purchase of furniture and equipment for LCTC’s Gaming Design Animation classroom, Computer Repair Lab and Engineering and Graphic Design Programs for a total amount of \$130,380.66. Purchases will be made from Interior Environments, Advanced Technologies Consultants and Midwest Laser.

Ayes: Acosta, Bradford, Burton, Jarvis, Johnson, MacFarland
Nays: None

C. **Approval of Purchase of Bus Tablets / Mounts:** It was moved by Mrs. Acosta and supported by Mrs. Bradford that the Board of Education of the Livonia Public Schools School District authorizes the purchase of 13 tablets and 67 mounting systems from Transfinder for a total cost of \$46,337.00

Ayes: Acosta, Bradford, Burton, Jarvis, Johnson, MacFarland
Nays: None

- D. **Approval of Fleet Replacement Purchase:** It was moved by Mr. MacFarland and supported by Mrs. Jarvis that the Board of Education of the Livonia Public Schools School District approve the purchase of Blue Bird propane school buses from Holland Bus Company for a total cost of \$982,511.00.

Ayes: Acosta, Bradford, Burton, Jarvis, Johnson, MacFarland
Nays: None

- E. **Approval of Furniture Purchase - 2026 Summer Bond:** It was moved by Mr. Johnson and supported by Mrs. Bradford that the Board of Education of the Livonia Public Schools School District accept the recommendation from its Owner's Representative, Plante Moran Realpoint, and approve the Phase Five Purchase of furniture for the LMCs and Idea Factories at Niji-Iro and Webster Elementary schools from NBS Commercial Interiors in an amount not to exceed \$434,000.

Ayes: Acosta, Bradford, Burton, Jarvis, Johnson, MacFarland
Nays: None

- F. **Approval of CO Paving Phase 3 Project:** It was moved by Mrs. Jarvis and supported by Mrs. Bradford that the Board of Education of the Livonia Public Schools School District accept the recommendation from its Owner's Representative, Plante Moran Realpoint, to approve Nagle Paving Company for the Central Office Phase 3 paving project in the total amount of \$1,211,000.

Ayes: Acosta, Bradford, Burton, Jarvis, Johnson, MacFarland
Nays: None

- G. **Approval of District-Wide Wireless Access Point Replacement Project:** It was moved by Mr. Johnson and supported by Mrs. Jarvis that the Board of Education of the Livonia Public Schools School District approves the recommendation from the Owner's Representative, IDS, to purchase and install new wireless access points throughout the district from Sentinel Technologies in the amount of \$2,811,309.24.

Ayes: Acosta, Bradford, Burton, Jarvis, Johnson, MacFarland
Nays: None

- H. **Approval of Change Order #2 Technology Bid:** It was moved by Mrs. Bradford and supported by Mrs. Acosta that the Board of Education of the Livonia Public Schools School District approve a change order for the Technology Bid #2 in the new amount of \$249,653.67 with Moss Audio Corporation, under the same terms and unit pricing established in the original RFP award.

Ayes: Acosta, Bradford, Burton, Jarvis, Johnson, MacFarland
Nays: None

- I. **Approval of Purchase of Plow Gator:** It was moved by Mrs. Acosta and supported by Mrs. Jarvis that the Board of Education of the Livonia Public Schools School District authorize the purchase of a Gator equipped with a plow attachment from Deere & Company, for a total cost of \$36,381.12.

Ayes: Acosta, Bradford, Burton, Jarvis, Johnson, MacFarland

Nays: None

- J. **Approval of Purchase of Tom Cat Auto Scrubber:** It was moved by Mr. MacFarland and supported by Mrs. Bradford that the Board of Education of the Livonia Public Schools School District authorizes the purchase of ten TomCat Auto Scrubbers from Coleman Wolf Supply for a total cost of \$97,115.90.

Ayes: Acosta, Bradford, Burton, Jarvis, Johnson, MacFarland

Nays: None

- K. **Approval of Sale of Property:** It was moved by Mr. MacFarland and supported by Mrs. Jarvis that the Board of Education of the Livonia Public Schools School District approve the sale of property located at 37234 Joy Rd., Livonia MI to Soave/Oro Construction, LLC for a total price of \$50,000.

Ayes: Acosta, Bradford, Burton, Jarvis, Johnson, MacFarland

Nays: None

VII. INSTRUCTION MATTERS:

- A. **Approval of Stevenson High School Spain Field Trip:** It was moved by Mrs. Jarvis and supported by Mr. Johnson that the Board of Education of the Livonia Public Schools School District approves the international (Spain) field trip for Global Education students at Stevenson High Schools.

Ayes: Acosta, Bradford, Burton, Jarvis, Johnson, MacFarland

Nays: None

- B. **Consider Expulsion of one Secondary Student:** It was moved by Mrs. Bradford and supported by Mr. MacFarland that the Board of Education of the Livonia Public Schools School District expel one secondary student for violations of the Livonia Public Schools' Board of Education policies..

Ayes: Acosta, Bradford, Burton, Jarvis, Johnson, MacFarland

Nays: None

VIII. PERSONNEL MATTERS:

- A. **Teacher for Approval:** It was moved by Mr. Johnson and supported by Mrs. Jarvis that the Board of Education of the Livonia Public Schools School District accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and offer employment to the following:

Rachel Adams / 1.0 FTE / Resource Room Teacher / Cleveland Elementary

Ayes: Acosta, Bradford, Burton, Jarvis, Johnson, MacFarland

Nays: None

- B. **Teachers for Tenure:** It was moved by Mrs. Bradford and supported by Mr. Johnson that the Board of Education of the Livonia Public Schools School District accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and acknowledge that tenure status has been granted to the following teachers:

Jennifer Cronin / March 3, 2026
Jessica Cycotte / March 4, 2026
Sarah Domingo / March 10, 2026

Ayes: Acosta, Bradford, Burton, Jarvis, Johnson, MacFarland
Nays: None

- C. **Leave of Absence:** It was moved by Mrs. Jarvis and supported by Mrs. Acosta that the Board of Education of the Livonia Public Schools School District accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and grant a leave of absence as follows:

Samantha Shoemake / 2026-2027 school year

Ayes: Acosta, Bradford, Burton, Jarvis, Johnson, MacFarland
Nays: None

- D. **Resignations:** As authorized in the Board of Education motion of June 23, 2025, the following resignations have been accepted by the Superintendent. Resignations do not require a Board vote:

Macey Burnette / April 17, 2026
Tara Forrester / March 23, 2026
Alaina Kennedy / March 19, 2026
Madison Lanzon / March 2, 2026

- E. **Retirements:** It was moved by Mrs. Acosta and supported by Mrs. Bradford that the Board of Education of the Livonia Public Schools School District accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and adopt resolutions of appreciation for services rendered by:

Mona Beydoun / Retiring June 4, 2026
Kerry Budai / Retiring June 8, 2026
Jan Bice / Retiring June 5, 2026
Joanne Carroll / Retiring June 12, 2026
Dennis Chapman / Retiring June 30, 2026
Judith Christie / Returning June 4, 2026
Linda Cohan / Retiring June 30, 2026
Kimberly Colaizzi / Retiring June 8, 2026
Colleen Cowher / Retiring June 4, 2026
James Elder / Retiring April 10, 2026
Paul Fairbrother / Retiring June 15, 2026
Dennis Gerathy / Retiring June 30, 2026
Colleen Hutchinson / Retiring June 8, 2026
Jennifer Knoph / June 5, 2026

Katherine Mikkelsen / June 5, 2026
Matthew Otto / June 5, 2026
Michele Richmond / June 4, 2026
Leah Smith / June 30, 2026
Barbara Spencer / March 5, 2026
Michele Tanderys / June 5, 2026
Robert Upton / June 5, 2026

Ayes: Acosta, Bradford, Burton, Jarvis, Johnson, MacFarland
Nays: None

IX. HEARING FROM BOARD MEMBERS:

- A. **Change to April Board Meeting Schedule:** It was moved by Mrs. Bradford and supported by Mr. Johnson that the Board of Education of the Livonia Public Schools School District amends the 2025-2026 Board Meeting Schedule by advancing all meetings in the April meeting cycle by one week. The Regular meeting originally scheduled @ 6:30pm on April 27, 2026 will be held at 6:30pm on April 20, 2026.

Ayes: Acosta, Bradford, Burton, Jarvis, Johnson, MacFarland
Nays: None

- B. **Second Reading Bylaws of the Board BHA - Code of Ethics:** It was moved by Mr. MacFarland and supported by Mrs. Jarvis that the Board of Education of the Livonia Public Schools School District accept the recommendation of the Board Policy Committee and adopt the following Board Policy language:

**BYLAWS OF THE BOARD
BOARD OPERATIONS
CODE OF ETHICS**

BHA

MARCH 23, 2026

As members of the Livonia Public Schools Board of Education, we shall promote the best interests of the school district as a whole, and will make decisions that place student learning and the success of all students first by adhering to the following educational and ethical standards:

As a Board member,

- I will make decisions in terms of the educational welfare of children and will seek to develop and maintain schools that meet the individual needs of all children regardless of their sex, race, color, national origin, religion, age, height, weight, marital status, handicap, disability, sexual orientation, sexual identity, or transgender status.
- I will be a personal advocate for the good work of the District.
- I will focus Board action on policy making, strategic planning, and designating and evaluating the Superintendent.
- I recognize that the role of the Board is to govern and oversee the management of the District. I will delegate authority to the Superintendent for the day-to-day operations of the District and will not seek to participate in the day-to-day operations.
- I will review and evaluate all Board Policies, Bylaws of the Board, and procedures and processes of the Board. I will work to make desired changes so they will be current, relevant, and in accordance with state and/or federal laws. When

requested, I will review all Administrative Procedures brought forth and give input to the Superintendent; however, I recognize that the Board does not vote to approve Administrative Procedures.

- I will follow established Board Operating Procedures.
- I will come to Board meetings prepared to discuss and take action on all agenda items. I will read and study the Board meeting information and seek clarification, if needed, prior to each Board meeting.
- I will give the Superintendent and Board President notification of my concerns prior to the Board meetings, so that the concerns can be properly addressed.
- I understand that I have not only the right, but the duty, to express my views and opinions and ask questions at the Board table; and will make a good faith effort to understand the views of others.
 - I recognize that the Board must make decisions as a whole in public. I will base all decisions on the available facts and my independent judgment, and I will refuse to surrender my independent judgment to individuals or special interest groups.
- I will avoid being placed in a position of conflict of interest, and, if such a conflict is unavoidable, I will disclose such interest and abstain from voting on such matters.
- I will work with my fellow Board members toward consensus when making decisions. Once a decision is made, I will support the decision and its implementation.
- I recognize that while I am free to express my personal views, the Board President is the spokesperson for the Board and the Superintendent is the spokesperson for the District. This includes all written and spoken communications, including social media.
 - I will be respectful and listen to all ideas presented to the Board, be it from parents, staff, students, community members, other Board members, or other stakeholders. I will listen and then refer any person to appropriate personnel.
- I will communicate to other Board members and the Superintendent significant expression of public reaction to Board policies and school programs.
- I will exercise caution when communicating between and among Board members, including electronic communication, and will abide by the Open Meetings Act.
- I will hold confidential all matters that, if disclosed, would needlessly injure individuals, schools, or the district. I will keep confidential all information that is privileged under applicable law, including closed session discussions.
- I will stay informed about current educational issues by individual study and through participation in programs providing needed information; for example, those sponsored by my state and national school board associations. I will share what I have learned with my Livonia Public Schools' colleagues, formally or informally, so as to keep our Board apprised of current issues and topics.
- I will take no private or public action that will compromise the Board, the Administration, or the District.
- I will refrain from using my Board position for personal or partisan gain.
- I will support the hiring of those persons being recommended by the administration as the best qualified to serve as District staff.
 - I will support and protect District personnel in the proper performance of their duties.
- I will participate in the review, revision and signing of this Code of Ethics annually at the beginning of each calendar year.

As Board President,

- I will ensure that persons addressing the Board follow established guidelines as outlined in Board policy.

- I will advise persons addressing the Board to do so in a respectful manner and not allow rude, or indecent behavior, profane or indecent discourse, or otherwise willfully disruptive behavior to be directed to the Board, Superintendent, Cabinet members or others during Board meetings.
- I will not permit disruptive behavior and will advise attendees as such. If needed, I may order the disruptive person to be removed from the meeting.
- I will ensure that all Board members are given an opportunity to express their views. I will work toward building consensus among all Board members.
- I will follow parliamentary procedure, to the extent that it does not conflict with Board policy or state law.

MCL 380.1808

Ayes: Acosta, Bradford, Burton, Jarvis, Johnson, MacFarland
 Nays: None

C. First Reading Board Policy IDCA - Summer School Program: The Board Policy Committee reviewed changes to the following Policy which the Board then recommended for a second reading:

**BOARD POLICY
 INSTRUCTIONAL PROGRAM
 SUMMER SCHOOL PROGRAM**

**IDCA
 JUNE 20, 1988
 Reviewed 5/2014**

Summer school programs which comply with state and accrediting agency requirements may be offered in accordance with student needs and interests. **The Division of Instruction team will determine appropriate summer school programs with approval by the Superintendent.**

Tuition may be charged as approved by the ~~Board of Education.~~ **Superintendent and/or designee.**

D. First Reading Board Policy JBD - Homeless Students: The Board Policy Committee reviewed changes to the following Policy which the Board then recommended for a second reading:

**BOARD POLICY
 STUDENTS
 HOMELESS STUDENTS**

**JBD
 APRIL 16, 2018**

The Board of Education of Livonia Public Schools is committed to ensuring that students experiencing homelessness have equal access to the same free and appropriate public education as all other students. Students who meet the definition of 'homeless children and youths' under the *McKinney-Vento Homeless Assistance Act** will ~~be provided a free and appropriate public education in the same manner as all other students of the District and will~~ not be stigmatized or segregated on the basis of their status as homeless. Students eligible under the *McKinney-Vento Homeless Assistance Act** will be provided services and may participate in programs comparable to other students in the District. Board policy, administrative guidelines, and practices will not be interpreted or applied in such a way as to inhibit the enrollment, attendance, participation, or school success of eligible students.

The ~~s~~Superintendent will appoint a liaison for homeless children, who will perform the duties as assigned by the ~~s~~Superintendent. Additionally, the liaison will coordinate and collaborate with the State Coordinator for the Education of Homeless Children and Youth as well as with community and school personnel responsible for the provision of education and related services to eligible homeless children and youths.

LEGAL REF.:*McKinney-Vento Homeless Assistance Act (42 U.S.C. 11431 et seq.)

~~The term "homeless children and youth" is~~

~~(A) Individuals who lack a fixed, regular, and adequate nighttime residence and~~

~~(B) Includes--~~

~~(i) Children and youths who are sharing the housing of other persons due to loss of housing, economic hardship, or a similar reason; are living in motels, hotels, trailer parks, or camping grounds due to the lack of alternative adequate accommodations; are living in emergency or transitional shelters; or are abandoned in hospitals;~~

~~(ii) Children and youths who have a primary nighttime residence that is a public or private place not designed for or ordinarily used as a regular sleeping accommodation for human beings;~~

~~(iii) Children and youths who are living in cars, parks, public spaces, abandoned buildings, substandard housing, bus or train stations, or similar settings; and~~

~~(iv) Migratory children who qualify as homeless for the purposes of this subtitle because the children are living in circumstances described in clauses (i) through (iii).~~

- E. **First Reading Board Policy KM - Visits to Schools:** The Board Policy Committee reviewed changes to the following Policy which the Board then recommended for a second reading:

**BOARD POLICY
GENERAL PUBLIC RELATIONS
VISITS TO SCHOOLS**

KM

NOVEMBER 13, 2017

Parents/guardians and other visitors having legitimate business to conduct are welcome in our the schools. For the protection of the health, safety, and welfare of the students and staff, all visitors shall remain in the secured vestibule and follow the security protocols in order to gain access into the main office for first report to the school's main office for visitation approval.

Visits to classrooms by parents/guardians and other citizens must should be arranged in advance, have the approval of the building principal/administrator; be arranged in advance; and not disrupt the educational process.

Visitors from other school districts systems should must make appropriate arrangements in advance through the Office of the Superintendent or his/her designee.

CROSS REF.: KMACUnauthorized Persons on School Property

- F. **First Reading Board Policy KMA - Unauthorized Persons on School Property:** The Board Policy Committee reviewed changes to the following Policy which the Board then recommended for a second reading:

**BOARD POLICY
GENERAL PUBLIC RELATIONS
UNAUTHORIZED PERSONS ON SCHOOL PROPERTY**

KMA

JUNE 20, 1988

Reviewed 8/2014

For the protection and safety of students and staff, the protection of school property, and the general necessity of an the efficient administration of school buildings, no person shall loiter on school grounds or in any school building.

Students who are under suspension or have been expelled from school are not allowed on school property or in any school building and shall not be admitted to any school activity or event function. If a student is serving an in-school suspension, the student is not allowed on school property outside of the normal school day hours.

Any persons causing any disturbance to school programs or school activities shall be **directed** ~~requested~~ by the building administration to leave the school property **immediately** ~~at once~~. If a person refuses to leave, he/she shall be considered to be trespassing, and the police shall be called.

LEGAL REF: MCL 380.1808 (**Revised School Code**); and City of Livonia ~~Misdemeanor~~ Ordinance No. ~~145~~ **Title 9; Chapter 9**

- G. **Hearing From Board Members:** Mr. Johnson commented that he enjoyed participating in this year's March Into Reading activities around the district and thanked the Livonia Police Department for contributing a great number of books to the district's classrooms during reading month, just as they had in 2025. Mrs. Jarvis shared information with the Robotics competition happening April 3-4 and encouraged parents to bring young students to catch future vision. Mrs. Bradford wished the LPS community a safe and fun spring break.

President Burton adjourned the meeting at 8:52PM

Off./Supt./MA/tg

**LIVONIA PUBLIC SCHOOLS
BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETING
April 20, 2026**

Topic: Adoption of Resolution for LPS Stormwater Management Plan

Move that the Board of Education of the Livonia Public Schools School District approves the enclosed resolution for the district's Stormwater Management Plan.

Rationale

Livonia Public Schools is committed to strong environmental practices. Approval of this resolution will support the implementation and continuation of the district's Stormwater Management Plan.

Budgetary Information

None.

Resource Personnel

William Green, Assistant Superintendent of Operations and District Services

Exhibits

Attached

WG/as

**Livonia Public Schools
Board of Education
Resolution in Support of Stormwater Management Plan**

WHEREAS Livonia Public Schools owns and operates facilities within the boundaries of the Detroit Urbanized Area which discharges stormwater through a municipal separate storm sewer system (MS4) to surface waters of the State of Michigan; and

WHEREAS The Michigan Department of Environment, Great Lakes, and Energy maintains oversight and regulatory authority for compliance with the terms and conditions of the NPDES Municipal Separate Storm Sewer System discharge permit; and

WHEREAS Livonia Public Schools has applied for and received permit coverage to discharge stormwater from Livonia Public Schools facilities to the MS4; and

WHEREAS Livonia Public Schools agrees to comply with the NPDES Municipal Separate Storm Sewer System discharge permit requirements, and

WHEREAS Livonia Public Schools has developed a Stormwater Management Program Plan (SWMP) outlining the policies, procedures, and best management practices to be employed by the district to comply with the permit requirements, and

WHEREAS the conditions of the NPDES Municipal Separate Storm Sewer System discharge permit require Livonia Public Schools to develop policies and procedures that prohibit illicit discharges to their stormwater system and to implement appropriate enforcement procedures and actions to detect and eliminate such illicit discharges, and

WHEREAS Livonia Public Schools agrees to prohibit the discharge of non-stormwater discharges into the storm drain system, including but not limited to pollutants or waters containing any pollutants, and

WHEREAS Livonia Public Schools agrees to eliminate illicit discharges and illicit connections, and

WHEREAS Livonia Public Schools agrees to prohibit the construction, use, maintenance or continued existence of illicit connections to the storm drain system. This prohibition expressly includes, without limitation, illicit connections made in the past, regardless of whether the connection was permissible under law or practices applicable or prevailing at the time of connection, and

WHEREAS Livonia Public Schools agrees to obtain a Part 91 permit from the appropriate state, county, or local governmental soil erosion permitting agency for new development and redevelopment projects that disturb one or more acres, and

WHEREAS Livonia Public Schools agrees to obtain an NPDES construction site stormwater permit from the Michigan Department of Environment Great Lakes and Energy for new development and redevelopment projects that disturb five or more acres, and

WHEREAS Livonia Public Schools agrees to use post-construction stormwater run-off controls are necessary to maintain or restore stable hydrology in receiving waters by limiting surface runoff rates and volumes and reducing pollutant loadings from sites that undergo development or significant redevelopment.

THEREFORE, be it resolved that Livonia Public Schools will enforce the above listed policies and procedures for illicit discharge elimination and control of stormwater runoff as part of the overall Livonia Public Schools Stormwater Management Program Plan.

Duly passed and approved by the Livonia Public Schools Board of Education, Wayne County, Michigan this _____ day of _____, _____.

Approved:

Attest:

President

Secretary

**LIVONIA PUBLIC SCHOOLS
BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETING
April 20, 2026**

Topic

Approval of Water Main Agreements – Livonia Career Technical Center (LCTC) and Livonia Early Childhood Center (LECC)

Recommendation

Move that the Board of Education of the Livonia Public Schools School District approves the Water Main Agreements for the Livonia Career Technical Center (LCTC) and the Livonia Early Childhood Center (LECC).

Rationale

These agreements will support efficient, long-term management of the water infrastructure at both facilities. Board approval is required to move forward with the Water Main Agreements for LCTC and LECC.

Budgetary Information

None.

Resource Personnel

William Green, Assistant Superintendent of Operations and District Services

Exhibits

Attached

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**LIVONIA PUBLIC SCHOOLS
BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETING
April 20, 2026**

Topic

Approval of Coolidge Water Main Repairs

Recommendation

Move that the Board of Education of the Livonia Public Schools School District approve the recommendation from the Owner's Representative, Plante Moran Realpoint, to proceed with the water main replacement at Coolidge Elementary School in the amount of \$220,938, plus \$34,062 in contingency, for a total project cost of \$255,000. We further authorize the Superintendent or her designee to negotiate and execute the final contract with the recommended contractor, D'Angelo Brothers Inc., Farmington Hills, Michigan.

Rationale

The water main at Coolidge Elementary School requires replacement to prevent significant future issues and ensure reliable operation of the building's water system.

Budgetary Information:

Sinking Fund

Resource Personnel:

William Green, Assistant Superintendent of Operations and District Services

Exhibits:

Attached

WG/as

April 10, 2026

Mr. William Green
Assistant Superintendent of District Services
Livonia Public Schools
15125 Farmington Road
Livonia, MI 48154

RE: Sinking Fund Projects
Contract Award Recommendation for the 2026 Water Main Project
Coolidge Elementary

Dear Mr. Green:

This letter transmits an update from Plante Moran Realpoint (PMR) as it relates to the assignment to assist and advise Livonia Public Schools (LPS) in its selection of a Prime Contractor for the Project listed above. This update represents the mutual efforts of PMR, Spalding DeDecker, LPS administration and staff (the Team) to present a framework in order to identify, evaluate and recommend a Prime Contractor firm for this Project.

On March 24, 2026, Construction Documents were formally issued and made available. An advertisement for bids was published in a local newspaper and also posted to the required State of Michigan website.

On April 9, 2026, three (3) bid proposals were received for the Project, and were reviewed and evaluated by the team. A post bid interview with the apparent low bidder was conducted on April 10, 2026, with various members of the Team participating. The scope of work, schedule, and other particulars regarding the work were reviewed and clarified.

Upon completion of the interview, and after subsequent clarifications and discussions, the Team is **recommending D'Angelo Brothers Inc.** for contract award as they are the lowest responsible bidder for the Project.

Including hard construction of \$220,938.00 and construction contingency of \$34,062.00, the total Project award **recommendation equals \$255,000.00.**

The amount includes Bid Alternate 1 to increase the size of the water main to allow for potential future connection to the south of the facility for redundant feeds to the facility.

For the Prime Contractor, the costs for this work will be detailed in AIA Contract A105 – 2017 Standard Form of Agreement between Owner and Contractor, pending final review and approval of terms by district legal counsel.

The Team is available at the Board’s convenience to answer any questions regarding bidding, the proposals, interview process, or the recommendation herein. Please direct all questions through me via email at Brian.Weber@plantemoran.com.

Sincerely,

PLANTE MORAN REALPOINT



Brian Weber
Senior Vice President

Enclosures: Cost Summary
Spalding DeDecker Recommendation Letter
Bid Tabulation



**SINKING FUND
2026 WATER MAIN PROJECTS
COST SUMMARY**

| | Hard Construction | | |
|---------------------|--------------------------|-------------------|------------------|
| Project | Budget | Actual | Variance |
| Coolidge Elementary | \$ 250,000 | \$ 220,938 | \$ 29,062 |
| Totals | \$ 250,000 | \$ 220,938 | \$ 29,062 |

| | Construction Contingency | | |
|---------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------|-------------------|
| | Budget (10%) | Actual (15%) | Variance |
| Project Contingency | \$ 25,000 | \$ 34,062 | \$ (9,062) |
| Totals | \$ 25,000 | \$ 34,062 | \$ (9,062) |

| | Total Project Costs | | |
|---------------|----------------------------|-------------------|------------------|
| | Budget | Actual | Variance |
| Project Total | \$ 275,000 | \$ 255,000 | \$ 20,000 |
| Totals | \$ 275,000 | \$ 255,000 | \$ 20,000 |

April 10, 2026

Mr. William Green
Assistant Superintendent of District Services
Livonia Public Schools
15125 Farmington Road
Livonia, MI 48154

Re: Livonia Public Schools - Coolidge Elementary Water Main Improvements
Award Recommendation Letter
SD Job No.: NP25-150

Dear Mr. Green:

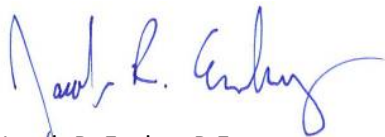
Based on our review of the received project bids, we find the low bidder, D'Angelo Brothers Inc., of Farmington Hills, Michigan, satisfactory to perform the work under this contract. Other bidding companies included Bidigare Contractors and Inner City Contracting. From our post-bid interview discussions with Vince D'Angelo of D'Angelo Brothers Inc., we find them to understand the proposed scope of work and project requirements.

Per our discussions, the recommended project scope of work includes the base bid scope along with alternate scope number 1, as outlined in the bid documents. Their total bid cost for the recommended scope of work totals \$220,938.00, including the base bid, alternate scope and the required bond. In addition to this hard construction cost, we also highly recommend approving a construction contingency to address unforeseen conditions or construction issues as they arise.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact our office at your convenience.

Sincerely,

SPALDING DEDECKER



Jacob R. Ensley, P.E.
Vice President | Project Manager

Proposal: Coolidge Water Main Replacement

Location: Livonia Public Schools Central Office

Date: April 9, 2026

| Contractor | Bid Bond | Eq. Opportunity | Fam. Dis. | Iran | Addendum 1 | Base Bid | Alternate 1 | Comments / Voluntary Alternates |
|---------------------------|----------|-----------------|-----------|------|------------|------------|-------------|---------------------------------|
| D'Angelo Brothers | Yes | Yes | Yes | Yes | Yes | \$ 185,438 | \$ 220,938 | |
| Bidigare Contractors, Inc | Yes | Yes | Yes | Yes | Yes | \$ 246,385 | \$ 266,685 | |
| Inner City Contracting | Yes | Yes | Yes | Yes | Yes | \$ 219,179 | \$ 301,104 | |
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**LIVONIA PUBLIC SCHOOLS
BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETING
April 20, 2026**

TOPIC: Approval of Cooperative Agreement for Livonia Career Technical Center

RECOMMENDATION:

Move that the Board of Education of the Livonia Public Schools School District approves the renewal of the Cooperative Education Program Agreements between the Livonia Career Technical Center and the following school districts for the 2026-27 school year:

Blended Learning
Northville Public Schools
Plymouth Canton Community Schools
Plymouth Christian Academy
Wayne-Westland Community Schools

RATIONALE:

Cooperative Agreements are mutually beneficial contracts that allow sending districts additional student programming and authorizes the LPS to receive a proportional amount of that student's basic funding allowance.

BUDGETARY INFORMATION:

Based on an enrollment of 15 students from non-LPS districts, the Cooperative Agreements will generate approximately \$120,000.

RESOURCE PERSONNEL:

Kevin Etue, Director of Secondary Programs & District Services

EXHIBITS:

None

**LIVONIA PUBLIC SCHOOLS
BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETING
April 20, 2026**

TOPIC: Approval of Cooperative Agreement for Livonia Transition Program

RECOMMENDATION:

Move that the Board of Education of the Livonia Public Schools School District approve the renewal of the Cooperative Education Program Agreements between the Livonia Transition Program and the following school districts for the 2026-2027 school year:

Crestwood School District
Garden City Public Schools
Northville Public Schools
Redford Union Schools
Romulus Public Schools
South Redford Public Schools
Van Buren Public Schools

RATIONALE:

Cooperative Agreements are mutually beneficial contracts that allow sending districts additional student programming and authorizes the LPS to receive a proportional amount of that student's basic funding allowance.

BUDGETARY INFORMATION:

Based on an enrollment of 32 students from non-LPS districts, the Cooperative Agreements will generate approximately \$576,256.

RESOURCE PERSONNEL:

Maegan Sprow, Director of Student Services

EXHIBITS:

None

COOPERATIVE EDUCATION PROGRAM AGREEMENT

Special Education Livonia Transition Program (LTP) 2026-2027

THIS AGREEMENT is entered into this 1st day of July 2026, between XXX (hereinafter referred to as “XXX”) and Livonia Public Schools (hereinafter referred to as “Livonia”).

1. **PURPOSE.** XXX Schools and Livonia and their respective Boards of Education have determined that it is in the best interests of both XXX Schools to permit certain XXX Schools students to receive special education services provided by and through Livonia in accordance with the terms of this Cooperative Education Program Agreement, and consistent with the pertinent provisions of the Revised School Code of 1995 and the State School Aid Act of 1979, as amended. It is further the purpose of this Agreement to permit special education students from XXX Schools to utilize classroom positions at the Livonia Transition Program (hereinafter referred to as “LTP”).

2. **TERM.** The term of this Agreement shall be from July 1, 2026, through June 30, 2027, subject to Paragraph 3 of the Agreement.

3. **RENEWAL.** This Agreement will not be automatically renewed for any periods. XXX Schools and Livonia agree, however, to use their best efforts to negotiate in good faith a renewal hereof, but in the event a renewal does not occur, this Agreement shall terminate upon the expiration of the term in Paragraph 2 above.

4. **XXX Schools STUDENTS.** XXX Schools hereby agrees to permit selected students of XXX Schools to enroll at the LTP of Livonia, and Livonia hereby agrees to such enrollment, for the purpose of special education. The number of XXX Schools students allowed to enroll at the LTP will be limited to 10 students unless agreed to by Livonia. Students who have violated the “Weapons–Free School Zone Requirements” and/or have been expelled are prohibited from enrolling. While in attendance such students shall be subject to the Livonia Student Code of Conduct.

5. **MEMBERSHIP.** For the purpose of state aid eligibility, the students enrolled and attending the LTP shall be recorded in membership by Livonia and XXX Schools according to state approved pupil accounting practices. It is the responsibility of LPS, only, to assure that XXX Schools students are counted in Livonia’s membership count on the necessary official state aid membership count days as determined by the State of Michigan.

6. **PAYMENT FOR COOPERATIVE EDUCATION SERVICES.** For each XXX Schools student enrolled and attending the LTP on the official state aid membership count date of each school year subject to this Agreement, XXX Schools agrees to accept and to pay an invoice or invoices issued by Livonia to XXX Schools in the amount equivalent to \$8,400 per student. One-half to be paid for the first semester of the 2026-2027 school year and the second in second semester. XXX Schools hereby agrees to remit payment of said invoice(s) within thirty (30) business days of receipt of same. Within the discretion of Livonia, the failure of XXX Schools to remit timely payment of such invoice(s) may result in the discontinued enrollment and attendance of XXX Schools students in the LTP.

XXX Schools's payment obligations under this Section of the Agreement are independent of the amounts Livonia receives in state aid under the Revised State School Aid Act of 1979, as amended.

7. **STUDENT MISCONDUCT.** At the discretion of the LTP administrator, and consistent with due process requirements, a XXX Schools student may be suspended, or permanently removed from the LTP and permanently denied access to the LTP if the student; (a) violates any of the prohibited acts listed under Policy JD of the Livonia Student Code of Conduct; (b) violates the LTP's rules or regulations; (c) engages in misconduct which interferes with the good order of the LTP, the proper functioning of the educational process or the health and safety of students. The LTP administrator shall be the person solely responsible for determining if a student has engaged in misconduct warranting suspension or permanent removal from the LTP.

10. **ENTIRE AGREEMENT.** This is the entire Agreement of the parties, there being no other written or verbal agreements in substitution for these terms or in supplementation of same.

11. **AMENDMENT.** This Agreement may be amended only upon written mutual agreement of the parties and/or required by the Revised School Code and/or State School Aid Act.

12. **TRANSPORTATION.** Transportation of XXX Schools students to and from the Livonia Transition Program is the sole responsibility of XXX Schools.

13. **TERMINATION.** This Agreement shall be null and void only to the extent that any provision included herein is prohibited by state law.

14. **NOTICE.** For all purposes under this Agreement, notices shall be in writing to the Superintendents of the respective XXX Schools.

15. **THIS AGREEMENT** has been authorized by the Board of Education of XXX Schools at a public meeting held on the ____ day of _____, 2026, and the Board of Education of Livonia Public Schools on the 20th day of April 2026.

WITNESSES:

_____ **Schools**

_____ By:

_____ Its:

Superintendent _____

WITNESSES:

LIVONIA PUBLIC SCHOOLS

_____ By:

Andrea Oquist _____

_____ Its:

Superintendent _____

**LIVONIA PUBLIC SCHOOLS
BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETING
April 20, 2026**

TOPIC: Granting Tenure Status to Specified Teachers

RECOMMENDATION:

Move that the Board of Education of the Livonia Public Schools School District accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and acknowledge that tenure status has been granted to the following teachers, effective on the respective date:

| <u>Name</u> | <u>Date</u> |
|----------------|----------------|
| Julie Kubek | April 4, 2026 |
| Lisa Cleveland | April 11, 2026 |

RATIONALE :

These teachers have successfully completed the District's requirements for probationary teachers including years of service, evaluations, and overall performance, as well as student growth. We have carefully reviewed all the supporting documents and based upon our review, as well as the recommendations of building principals, these individuals have achieved tenure status with the Livonia Public Schools.

RESOURCE PERSONNEL:

Phillip Francis, Deputy Superintendent
Lawrence Grezak, Director of Human Resources

EXHIBIT:

None

**LIVONIA PUBLIC SCHOOLS
BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETING
April 20, 2026**

TOPIC: Leave of Absence

RECOMMENDATION:

Move that the Board of Education of the Livonia Public Schools School District accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and approve the request for a leave of absence as listed below:

| <u>Name</u> | <u>Date effective</u> |
|-------------|-----------------------|
| Anna Burris | April 14, 2026 |

BUDGETARY INFORMATION:

None

RESOURCE PERSONNEL:

Phillip Francis, Deputy Superintendent
Lawrence Grezak, Director of Human Resources

EXHIBIT:

None

**LIVONIA PUBLIC SCHOOLS
BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETING
April 20, 2026**

TOPIC: Resignations

RECOMMENDATION:

As authorized in the Board of Education motion of June 23, 2025, the following resignations have been accepted by the Superintendent:

| <u>Name</u> | <u>Date Effective</u> |
|---------------------|-----------------------|
| Marissa D'Orazio | March 30, 2026 |
| Douglas Putnam | April 7, 2026 |
| Stephanie Scroggins | March 24, 2026 |

BUDGETARY INFORMATION:

None

RESOURCE PERSONNEL:

Phillip Francis, Deputy Superintendent
Lawrence Grezak, Director of Human Resources

EXHIBIT:

None

**LIVONIA PUBLIC SCHOOLS
BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETING
April 20, 2026**

TOPIC: Resolution of Appreciation for Employees Who are Retiring

RECOMMENDATION:

Move that the Board of Education of the Livonia Public Schools School District adopt the attached resolutions of appreciation for services rendered by:

**Ann BeBeau
Tracy Bailey
Perah Baker
Maureen Castiglione
Deborah Cordisco
Timothy Gabel
Kelly Granowicz
Eric Hoeft
Karen Hoffman
Renee Kish
Peter Mazzone
Antonio Mercer
Kenneth Wilson
Ronald Zapalski**

BUDGETARY INFORMATION:

None

RESOURCE PERSONNEL:

Phillip Francis, Deputy Superintendent
Lawrence Grezak, Director of Human Resources

EXHIBIT:

Attached resolutions

**LIVONIA PUBLIC SCHOOLS
BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETING
April 20, 2026**

RESOLUTIONS

Ann BeBeau

WHEREAS, It has been brought to the attention of the Board of Education of the Livonia Public Schools School District that Ann BeBeau will retire from the district on June 10, 2026; and,

WHEREAS, Ann BeBeau has devoted 31 years of dedicated, loyal, and outstanding service to the students of Stevenson High School as a teacher; and,

WHEREAS, She has made many contributions to the educational profession and has touched the lives of countless students during her tenure with the Livonia Public Schools;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED That the Board of Education does hereby congratulate Ann BeBeau on her years of service to the educational profession and expresses publicly its sincere appreciation and offers its best wishes for her retirement.

Tracy Bailey

WHEREAS, It has been brought to the attention of the Board of Education of the Livonia Public Schools School District that Tracy Bailey will retire from the district on June 15, 2026; and,

WHEREAS, Tracy Bailey has devoted 29 years of dedicated, loyal, and outstanding service to the students of Grant Elementary and Cooper Upper Elementary as a teacher; and,

WHEREAS, She has made many contributions to the educational profession and has touched the lives of countless students during her tenure with the Livonia Public Schools;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED That the Board of Education does hereby congratulate Tracy Bailey on her years of service to the educational profession and expresses publicly its sincere appreciation and offers its best wishes for her retirement.

Perah Baker

WHEREAS, It has been brought to the attention of the Board of Education of the Livonia Public Schools School District that Perah Baker will retire from the district on June 30, 2026; and,

WHEREAS, Perah Baker has devoted 29.8 years of dedicated, loyal, and outstanding service working as a teacher consultant in the Student Services Department and servicing students at Churchill High School, the Livonia Career Technical Center and in the Franklin Transition Program as a special education teacher; and,

WHEREAS, She has made many contributions to the educational profession and has touched the lives of countless students during her tenure with the Livonia Public Schools;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED That the Board of Education does hereby congratulate Perah Baker on her years of service to the educational profession and expresses publicly its sincere appreciation and offers its best wishes for her retirement.

Maureen Castiglione

WHEREAS, It has been brought to the attention of the Board of Education of the Livonia Public Schools School District that Maureen Castiglione will retire from the district on June 5, 2026; and,

WHEREAS, Maureen Castiglione has devoted 31 years of dedicated, loyal, and outstanding service to the students of Hayes Elementary as a teacher; and,

WHEREAS, She has made many contributions to the educational profession and has touched the lives of countless students during her tenure with the Livonia Public Schools;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED That the Board of Education does hereby congratulate Maureen Castiglione on her years of service to the educational profession and expresses publicly its sincere appreciation and offers its best wishes for her retirement.

Deborah Cordisco

WHEREAS, It has been brought to the attention of the Board of Education of the Livonia Public Schools School District that Deborah Cordisco will retire from the district on June 4, 2026; and,

WHEREAS, Deborah Cordisco has devoted 27.5 years of dedicated, loyal, and outstanding service to the Livonia Public Schools as a special education paraprofessional at the Livonia Career Technical Center; and,

WHEREAS, She has given conscientious, careful, and loyal service to the students, staff, and community during her tenure with the Livonia Public Schools;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED That the Board of Education does hereby express its deep appreciation to Deborah Cordisco for her countless contributions to our school system and extends best wishes for an enjoyable and rewarding retirement.

Timothy Gabel

WHEREAS, It has been brought to the attention of the Board of Education of the Livonia Public Schools School District that Timothy Gabel will retire from the district on June 11, 2026; and,

WHEREAS, Timothy Gabel has devoted 32 years of dedicated, loyal, and outstanding service to the students of Stevenson High School as a teacher; and,

WHEREAS, He has made many contributions to the educational profession and has touched the lives of countless students during his tenure with the Livonia Public Schools;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED That the Board of Education does hereby congratulate Timothy Gabel on his years of service to the educational profession and expresses publicly its sincere appreciation and offers its best wishes for his retirement.

Kelly Granowicz

WHEREAS, It has been brought to the attention of the Board of Education of the Livonia Public Schools School District that Kelly Granowicz will retire from the district on June 6, 2026; and,

WHEREAS, Kelly Granowicz has devoted 32 years of dedicated, loyal, and outstanding service to the students of Churchill High School as a teacher; and,

WHEREAS, She has made many contributions to the educational profession and has touched the lives of countless students during her tenure with the Livonia Public Schools;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED That the Board of Education does hereby congratulate Kelly Granowicz on her years of service to the educational profession and expresses publicly its sincere appreciation and offers its best wishes for her retirement.

Eric Hoeft

WHEREAS, It has been brought to the attention of the Board of Education of the Livonia Public Schools School District that Eric Hoeft will retire from the district on May 29, 2026; and,

WHEREAS, Eric Hoeft has devoted 38 years of dedicated, loyal, and outstanding service to the Livonia Public Schools as a custodian at Tyler Elementary, Frost Middle School and Holmes Middle School; and,

WHEREAS, He has given conscientious, careful, and loyal service to the students, staff, and community during his tenure with the Livonia Public Schools;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED That the Board of Education does hereby express its deep appreciation to Eric Hoeft for his countless contributions to our school system and extends best wishes for an enjoyable and rewarding retirement.

Karen Hoffman

WHEREAS, It has been brought to the attention of the Board of Education of the Livonia Public Schools School District that Karen Hoffman will retire from the district on June 5, 2026; and,

WHEREAS, Karen Hoffman has devoted 25 years of dedicated, loyal, and outstanding service to the students of Emerson Middle School as a teacher; and,

WHEREAS, She has made many contributions to the educational profession and has touched the lives of countless students during her tenure with the Livonia Public Schools;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED That the Board of Education does hereby congratulate Karen Hoffman on her years of service to the educational profession and expresses publicly its sincere appreciation and offers its best wishes for her retirement.

Renee Kish

WHEREAS, It has been brought to the attention of the Board of Education of the Livonia Public Schools School District that Renee Kish will retire from the district on June 4, 2026; and,

WHEREAS, Renee Kish has devoted 19 years of dedicated, loyal, and outstanding service to the students of Rosedale Elementary, Roosevelt Elementary and Hayes Elementary as an elementary student assistance provider and elementary support teacher; and,

WHEREAS, She has made many contributions to the educational profession and has touched the lives of countless students during her tenure with the Livonia Public Schools;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED That the Board of Education does hereby congratulate Renee Kish on her years of service to the educational profession and expresses publicly its sincere appreciation and offers its best wishes for her retirement.

Peter Mazzoni

WHEREAS, It has been brought to the attention of the Board of Education of the Livonia Public Schools School District that Peter Mazzoni will retire from the district on June 30, 2026; and,

WHEREAS, Peter Mazzoni has devoted 26 years of dedicated, loyal, and outstanding service to the students of Churchill High School and Frost Middle School as a teacher and assistant principal and principal at Stevenson High School; and,

WHEREAS, He has made many contributions to the educational profession and has touched the lives of countless students during his tenure with the Livonia Public Schools;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED That the Board of Education does hereby congratulate Peter Mazzoni on his years of service to the educational profession and expresses publicly its sincere appreciation and offers its best wishes for his retirement.

Antonio Mercer

WHEREAS, It has been brought to the attention of the Board of Education of the Livonia Public Schools School District that Antonio Mercer will retire from the district on April 24, 2026; and,

WHEREAS, Antonio Mercer has devoted 31.6 years of dedicated, loyal, and outstanding service to the Livonia Public Schools as a custodian and building supervisor at Taylor Elementary, Cass Elementary, Hoover Elementary and at Central Office; and,

WHEREAS, He has given conscientious, careful, and loyal service to the students, staff, and community during his tenure with the Livonia Public Schools;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED That the Board of Education does hereby express its deep appreciation to Antonio Mercer for his countless contributions to our school system and extends best wishes for an enjoyable and rewarding retirement.

Kenneth Wilson

WHEREAS, It has been brought to the attention of the Board of Education of the Livonia Public Schools School District that Kenneth Wilson will retire from the district on June 30, 2026; and,

WHEREAS, Kenneth Wilson has devoted 32.3 years of dedicated, loyal, and outstanding service to the Livonia Public Schools as a custodian and building supervisor at Adams Elementary, Cass Elementary and Niji Iro Immersion Elementary; and,

WHEREAS, He has given conscientious, careful, and loyal service to the students, staff, and community during his tenure with the Livonia Public Schools;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED That the Board of Education does hereby express its deep appreciation to Kenneth Wilson for his countless contributions to our school system and extends best wishes for an enjoyable and rewarding retirement.

Ronald Zapalski

WHEREAS, It has been brought to the attention of the Board of Education of the Livonia Public Schools School District that Ronald Zapalski will retire from the district on June 6, 2026; and,

WHEREAS, Ronald Zapalski has devoted 28.5 years of dedicated, loyal, and outstanding service to the students of Stevenson High School and Churchill High School as a teacher; and,

WHEREAS, He has made many contributions to the educational profession and has touched the lives of countless students during his tenure with the Livonia Public Schools;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED That the Board of Education does hereby congratulate Ronald Zapalski on his years of service to the educational profession and expresses publicly its sincere appreciation and offers its best wishes for his retirement.

**LIVONIA PUBLIC SCHOOLS
BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETING
April 20, 2026**

TOPIC: Change to 2025-2026 Board Meeting Schedule

RECOMMENDATION:

Move that the Board of Education of the Livonia Public Schools School District amend the 2025–2026 Regular Board Meeting Schedule as follows:

- May 18, 2026 @ 6:30 pm moves to May 26, 2026 @ 6:30 pm.
- June 22, 2026 @ 6:30 pm moves to June 15, 2026 @ 6:30 pm.

RESOURCE PERSONNEL:

Andrea L. Oquist, Superintendent

EXHIBITS:

Attachment - Revised Regular Meeting Schedule

Off/Supt/tg



2025-2026 Board of Education Meetings

15125 Farmington Rd., Livonia, MI / 734-744-2510

*Meetings scheduled on Mondays except where noted.
 *Meeting changes during the year noted in **in red**.

| STUDY SESSIONS/ WORKSHOPS 5:30 P.M. (Except where noted) | COMMITTEE MEETINGS 6:30 P.M. (Except where noted) | REGULAR BOARD MEETINGS 6:30 PM (Except where noted) |
|--|---|--|
| | | July 21, 2025 (Annual organizational mtg.) |
| August 11, 2025 Special Mtg. 5:30pm, Study Sess. 5:45pm (*COW to follow) | August 11, 2025 | August 18, 2025 |
| September 8, 2025 Study | September 15, 2025 Special Meeting 6pm | September 22, 2025 |
| October 6, 2025 Study Grant LMC | October 13, 2025 | October 20, 2025 |
| November 3, 2025 Study Buchanan LMC | November 10, 2025 November 11, 2025 Special Mtg. @ 7pm | November 17, 2025 |
| December 1, 2025 Special @ 5:15 | December 8, 2025, COW @ 5:30pm | December 15, 2025 |
| December 1, 2025 Study @ 5:30 | December 8 Closed Session @ 6:30 pm | |
| January 12, 2026 Study Churchill LMC | January 20, 2026 Special Mtg. @ 6pm COW Meeting 6:15pm | January 26, 2026 |
| February 2, 2026 Study Kennedy LMC | February 9, 2026 | February 23, 2026 |
| Workshop March 2, 2026 | March 16, 2026 | March 23, 2026 |
| March 9, 2026 Study | | March 23 – CLOSED SESSION @ 5:30pm |
| April 6, 2026 Study | April 13, 2026 | April 20, 2026 |
| May 4, 2026 Study - Johnson | May 11, 2026 | May 26, 2026 |
| June 1, 2026 Study | June 8, 2026 | Public Hearing June 15, 2026, 6:15pm |
| June 22, 2026 Study | | June 15, 2026 |

Amended 2025-2026 BOE Meeting Calendar 4.26

**LIVONIA PUBLIC SCHOOLS
BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETING
April 20, 2026**

TOPIC: Second Reading & Adoption of Board Policy

RECOMMENDATION:

Move that the Board of Education of the Livonia Public Schools School District accept the recommendation of the Board Policy Committee and adopt Board Policy language per the attached document, for:

Board Policy IDCA – Summer School Program

RATIONALE:

The Board Policy Committee has met with staff to review proposed language for the above policy and is recommending approval by the entire Board. This language was submitted for first reading at the Board meeting of March 23,2026.

BUDGETARY INFORMATION:

None

RESOURCE PERSONNEL:

Kevin Etue, Director of Secondary Program
Theresa O'Brien, Chief Academic Officer

EXHIBITS:

Attached Policy

Off/Supt/tg

BOARD POLICY

IDCA

INSTRUCTIONAL PROGRAM SUMMER SCHOOL PROGRAM

APRIL 20, 2026

Summer school programs which comply with state and accrediting agency requirements may be offered in accordance with student needs and interests. The Division of Instruction team will determine appropriate summer school programs with approval by the Superintendent.

Tuition may be charged as approved by the Superintendent and/or designee.

**LIVONIA PUBLIC SCHOOLS
BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETING
April 20, 2026**

TOPIC: Second Reading & Adoption of Board Policy

RECOMMENDATION:

Move that the Board of Education of the Livonia Public Schools School District accept the recommendation of the Board Policy Committee and adopt Board Policy language per the attached document, for:

Board Policy JBD – Homeless Students

RATIONALE:

The Board Policy Committee has met with staff to review proposed language for the above policy and is recommending approval by the entire Board. This language was submitted for first reading at the Board meeting of March 23, 2026.

BUDGETARY INFORMATION:

None

RESOURCE PERSONNEL:

Phillip Francis, Deputy Superintendent

EXHIBITS:

Attached Policy

Off/Supt/tg

BOARD POLICY

JBD

STUDENTS HOMELESS STUDENTS

APRIL 20, 2026

The Board of Education of Livonia Public Schools is committed to ensuring that students experiencing homelessness have equal access to the same free and appropriate public education as all other students. Students who meet the definition of 'homeless children and youths' under the *McKinney-Vento Homeless Assistance Act** will not be stigmatized or segregated on the basis of their status as homeless. Students eligible under the *McKinney-Vento Homeless Assistance Act** will be provided services and may participate in programs comparable to other students in the District. Board policy, administrative guidelines, and practices will not be interpreted or applied in such a way as to inhibit the enrollment, attendance, participation, or school success of eligible students.

The Superintendent will appoint a liaison for homeless children, who will perform the duties as assigned by the Superintendent. Additionally, the liaison will coordinate and collaborate with the State Coordinator for the Education of Homeless Children and Youth as well as with community and school personnel responsible for the provision of education and related services to eligible homeless children and youths.

LEGAL REF.:

*McKinney-Vento Homeless Assistance Act (42 U.S.C. 11431 et seq.)

**LIVONIA PUBLIC SCHOOLS
BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETING
April 20, 2026**

TOPIC: Second Reading & Adoption of Board Policy

RECOMMENDATION:

Move that the Board of Education of the Livonia Public Schools School District accept the recommendation of the Board Policy Committee and adopt Board Policy language per the attached document, for:

Board Policy KM – Visits to Schools

RATIONALE:

The Board Policy Committee has met with staff to review proposed language for the above policy and is recommending approval by the entire Board. This language was submitted for first reading at the Board meeting of March 23, 2026.

BUDGETARY INFORMATION:

None

RESOURCE PERSONNEL:

Stacy Jenkins, Administrator of Communications

EXHIBITS:

Attached Policy

Off/Supt/tg

BOARD POLICY

KM

GENERAL PUBLIC RELATIONS VISITS TO SCHOOLS

APRIL 20, 2026

Parents/guardians and other visitors having legitimate business to conduct are welcome in our schools. For the health, safety, and welfare of the students and staff, all visitors shall remain in the secured vestibule and follow the security protocols in order to gain access into the main office for visitation approval.

Visits to classrooms by parents/guardians and other citizens must, have the approval of the building principal/administrator; be arranged in advance; and not disrupt the educational process.

Visitors from other school districts must make appropriate arrangements in advance through the Office of the Superintendent or his/her designee.

**LIVONIA PUBLIC SCHOOLS
BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETING
April 20, 2026**

TOPIC: Second Reading & Adoption of Board Policy

RECOMMENDATION:

Move that the Board of Education of the Livonia Public Schools School District accept the recommendation of the Board Policy Committee and adopt Board Policy language per the attached document, for:

Board Policy KMA – Unauthorized Persons on School Property

RATIONALE:

The Board Policy Committee has met with staff to review proposed language for the above policy and is recommending approval by the entire Board. This language was submitted for first reading at the Board meeting of March 23, 2026.

BUDGETARY INFORMATION:

None

RESOURCE PERSONNEL:

Stacy Jenkins, Administrator of Communications

EXHIBITS:

Attached Policy

Off/Supt/tg

BOARD POLICY

KMA

GENERAL PUBLIC RELATIONS UNAUTHORIZED PERSONS ON SCHOOL PROPERTY

APRIL 20, 2026

For the protection and safety of students and staff, the protection of school property, and the general necessity of the efficient administration of school buildings, no person shall loiter on school grounds or in any school building.

Students who are under suspension or have been expelled from school are not allowed on school property or in any school building and shall not be admitted to any school activity or event. If a student is serving an in-school suspension, the student is not allowed on school property outside of the normal school day hours.

Any persons causing any disturbance to school programs or school activities shall be directed by the building administration to leave the school property immediately. If a person refuses to leave, he/she shall be considered to be trespassing, and the police shall be called.

LEGAL REF.: MCL 380.1808 (Revised School Code); and City of Livonia Ordinance, Title 9; Chapter 9

**LIVONIA PUBLIC SCHOOLS
BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETING
April 20, 2026**

TOPIC: First Reading of Board Policies

RECOMMENDATION:

The Board Policy Committee has reviewed changes for the following Instructional Program Board Policies:

Instructional Program:

- **Board Policy ICC - Research and Pilot Studies**
- **Board Policy IDAA - Career Technical Education and Enrollment**
- **Board Policy IDG - Adult Education**

RATIONALE:

These are the first readings of these policies and are provided for Board review and possible adoption at a future meeting.

BUDGETARY INFORMATION:

None

RESOURCE PERSONNEL:

Theresa O'Brien, Chief Academic Officer

EXHIBIT:

Attached

Off/Supt/tg

BOARD POLICY

ICC

INSTRUCTIONAL PROGRAM RESEARCH AND PILOT STUDIES

JUNE 20, 1988
~~Reviewed 5/2014~~
MAY 26, 2026

The Board of Education recognizes that, **in order for** if the educational program is to maintain necessary relevance to the rapidly changing society which it serves, provision must be made for the stimulation and development of awareness of changing needs, for time and opportunity to appraise the existing program, for planning needed changes, and for offering and/or requiring continuing in-service education of key personnel in the educational process.

The Board of Education encourages the professional staff to **participate in research and pilot studies that** carefully assess the program ~~and plan for research and pilot studies designed to~~ identify improved instructional opportunities for students. Such improvements should relate to the changes in their interest and needs, as reflected ~~from the society in which they live~~ **in college and career readiness.**

~~It also recognizes that responsibility in this area of change is shared by each professional staff member and calls for continuing effort on his/her part to maintain his/her own professional competencies. In other activities~~ **For studies** which significantly diverge from or exceed such curricular and instructional limits, proposals will be developed and **submitted** ~~transmitted~~ for approval by the superintendent, **or their designee, for approval** prior to implementation.

BOARD POLICY

INSTRUCTIONAL PROGRAM

~~VOCATIONAL EDUCATION PROGRAM~~

CAREER TECHNICAL EDUCATION AND ENROLLMENT

IDAA

~~JUNE 20, 1988~~

Reviewed 5/2014

MAY 26, 2026

~~The school district shall operate a vocational education program.~~

The school-District **will** offer high school students' opportunities to take Career Technical Education (CTE) courses. **The District is dedicated to fostering an inclusive environment where every student has the opportunity to thrive and succeed in CTE pathways. Enrollment in CTE programs will be open to all students based on program availability, and student interest. The District will actively support participation and success for all learners regardless of race, color, national origin, ethnicity, gender, age, disability, sexual orientation, socioeconomic status, language proficiency, or family background. English Language Learners and students receiving Special Education services will be fully supported and will not encounter barriers to enrollment or participation in any CTE program.**

CTE courses provide students with the skills and knowledge they need for post-secondary education and careers. CTE programs will be offered at each high school and at the Livonia Career Technical Center. All CTE courses shall be organized in accordance with Michigan Department of Education Career and Technical Education Standards and Perkins Core Performance Areas.

BOARD POLICY

IDG

**INSTRUCTIONAL PROGRAM
ADULT EDUCATION**

**NOVEMBER 17, 2014
MAY 26, 2026**

~~The Board of Education believes that learning is a continuous process and that adult education is important to the development and enrichment of individuals and the community.~~

~~Classes shall be offered for credit toward a high school diploma as well as those which will supplement and broaden personal educational goals within budget limitations and/or enrollment in programs.~~

The District may offer classes to support the completion of a high school diploma through credit recovery, High School Equivalency Prep for a GED, and courses for acquiring English language and personal math skills based on the District budget.

LEGAL REF.: MCL, 380.1277; R340.311