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BOARD OF EDUCATION

Special Meeting - Monday, October 23, 2023 - 4:00 PM
Creekside
16000 41st Ave N.
Plymouth, MN 55446

Minutes of Special Meeting Meeting

A Special Meeting Meeting of the Board of Education of Wayzata Public Schools was held Monday, October 23, 2023, beginning at 4:00 PM in the Creekside 16000 41st Ave N. Plymouth, MN 55446.

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AGENDA SECTION: Call to Order

ITEM: Roll Call Attendance

COMMENTS BY: Sarah Johansen, Board Chair

	PRESENT	ABSENT
Milind Sohoni	_____	_____
Linda Cohen	_____	_____
Heidi Kader	_____	_____
Bonita Lucky	_____	_____
Cheryl Polzin	_____	_____
Sheila Prior	_____	_____
Sarah Johansen	_____	_____
Chace Anderson, ex-officio	_____	_____



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AGENDA SECTION: Approval of Agenda and Consent Agenda Items

ITEM: Approval of Agenda and Consent Agenda Items

COMMENTS BY: Sarah Johansen, Board Chair

Recommended Action: Approve the full agenda as presented.

Motion by: _____

ROLL CALL

Passed: _____

Second by: _____

Failed: _____

Abstentions: _____

WAYZATA PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Independent School District 284
Wayzata, Minnesota

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AGENDA SECTION: Administrative Reports and Recommendations

ITEM: School Start and End Times Recommendations for 2024-25

COMMENTS BY: Chace B. Anderson, Superintendent

Recommended changes to school start and end times for the 2024-2025 school year were presented and discussed at the October 9, 2023 Regular School Board meeting. As discussed at the October 9 school board meeting, this school start and end time recommendation accomplishes the following:

- Allows for closer alignment of instructional minutes at the elementary and secondary levels that will impact the number of planning days needed at the elementary level in the future.
- Increases instructional time for middle school and high school students.
- Allows for more flexible scheduling for the three middle schools and the high school to accommodate any potential modifications to scheduling models/patterns.
- Ensures a larger amount of accumulated time for the middle schools and high school during the school year to minimize the possible impact of inclement weather days (snow days) and needing to add school days back to the calendar if school needs to be cancelled often during the winter months.

These start and end times have been reviewed by our transportation team professionals and we have been assured that this plan can be implemented in a cost-neutral manner. Elementary start and end times are not impacted by this recommendation and will not change.

SUBJECT: SCHOOL START/END TIMES EFFECTIVE WITH THE 2024-2025 School Year

<u>Tier I</u>	<u>Start Time</u>	<u>End Time</u>	<u>Duration</u>
Greenwood Elementary School	7:45 am	2:25 pm	6:40
Kimberly Lane Elementary School	7:45 am	2:25 pm	6:40
Meadow Ridge Elementary School	7:45 am	2:25 pm	6:40
North Woods Elementary School	7:45 am	2:25 pm	6:40
Oakwood Elementary School	7:45 am	2:25 pm	6:40
Plymouth Creek Elementary School	7:45 am	2:25 pm	6:40

<u>Tier II</u>	<u>Start Time</u>	<u>End Time</u>	<u>Duration</u>
Birchview Elementary School	8:30 am	3:10 pm	6:40
Gleason Lake Elementary School	8:30 am	3:10 pm	6:40
Sunset Hill Elementary School	8:30 am	3:10 pm	6:40
Wayzata High School	8:15 am	3:20 pm	7:05

<u>Tier III</u>	<u>Start Time</u>	<u>End Time</u>	<u>Duration</u>
Central Middle School	9:05 am	4:10 pm	7:05
East Middle School	9:05 am	4:10 pm	7:05
West Middle School	9:05 am	4:10 pm	7:05

RECOMMENDED ACTION: Approve the recommended school start and end times for the 2024-2025 school year.



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AGENDA SECTION: Adjourn

ITEM: Adjourn

COMMENTS BY: Sarah Johansen, Board Chair

This agenda item brings closure to the School Board meeting.

Recommended Action: Call the meeting to a close.

Motion by: _____ **Yes:** _____ **Passed:** _____

Second by: _____ **No:** _____ **Failed:** _____

Time of Adjournment: _____ 5 _____