



St. Joseph County ISD

Building Better Futures for Children and Communities

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Board of Education Regular Meeting

June 17, 2024

4:30 p.m. Celebration for honored guests will be in the adjacent room and board meeting attendees are welcome.

5:00 p.m. Regular Meeting

St. Joseph County Intermediate School District Office, 62445 Shimmel Road, Centreville, MI

AGENDA

Call to Order

Pledge of Allegiance

Introduction of Visitors and Guests

Public Participation - *Per Board Policy #2504, this portion of the agenda is limited to 3 minutes per participant.*

PRESENTATIONS:

- Recognition of Amy Butler, LMSW, for being selected as the Regional School Social Worker of the Year.
- Recognition of Jo Cherry, for being selected as Michigan Placement Association Honoree of the year for 2023.
- Recognition of students, Devin Dague and Wyatt Carunchia. Devin completed a Teacher's Aide Registered Apprenticeship and Wyatt completed an IT Helpdesk Registered Apprenticeship

Public Hearing - PUBLIC TAX HEARING FOR 24-25 BUDGETS

This Hearing is an opportunity for the public to provide input and/or ask questions for the Board to consider regarding the 2024-25 ISD budgets.

Current St. Joseph County ISD tax levy:

General Fund - 0.2262

Special Education - 2.4333

Special Education, extra voted - 0.2919 (100% distributed to local school districts)

Career & Technical Education, voted - 0.9912

Total: 3.9426

General Fund Budget: As required in Section 624 of the Revised School Code, all local districts of education in St. Joseph County have reviewed the proposed 2024-25 ISD General Fund Budget. All nine boards passed a resolution in support of the budget in their May meetings.

CONSENT AGENDA:

The administration recommends the Board approve the Consent Agenda as presented:

1. Approval of Minutes of May 20, 2024 Regular Meeting

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2. Approval of Financial Report as of May 31, 2024
3. Approval of Monthly Expenditures:
 - a. General Fund in the amount of \$927,329.30
 - b. Career-Technical Education in the amount of \$1,169,625.57
 - c. Information Services in the amount of \$207,272.04
 - d. Special Education in the amount of \$2,013,772.36
4. Approve the hire and contract with the following staff, contingent upon successful return of criminal records check, misconduct form, and recipient of credentials:
 - a. Teri Jones, Early On Service Coordinator

NEW BUSINESS

Action Items

1. Recommend approval of the following Early Head-Start Child Care Partnership (EHS-CCP) information:
 - a. Program Report
 - b. Average Daily Attendance
 - c. Purchase Card Statements
 - d. PC Personnel Report

Information Only:

 - e. May 6, 2024 Policy Council Minutes
 - f. ACF-OHS-IM-24-01 Strategies and Recommendations for Supporting Mental Health
 - g. ACF-OHS-PI-24-03 New Eligibility Provisions for American Indian and Alaska Native Programs
 - h. ACF-OHS-PI-24-04 New Eligibility Provisions for Migrant and Seasonal Head Start Programs
2. Recommend approval of the 2023-24 Budget Revisions for General Fund, Career & Technical Education, Information Services, and Special Education and approval of the 2024-25 Budget Proposals for General Fund, Career & Technical Education, Information Services, and Special Education.
3. Recommend the transfer of \$250,000 from Special Education Fund to the Special Education Committed Fund Balance for Garage/Transportation Facility. *This would bring the fund balance of \$4,841,603 (22%) or 11% of Committed Funds.*
4. Recommend approval of the 2024-25 Non-Union Conditions of Employment
5. Recommend approval of 4% increase based on 23-24 hourly/salary amount for the 24-25 school year for all non-union employees and administration, including the superintendent.
6. Recommend approval of the appointment of Sarah Beckle, White Pigeon Community Schools, representative to the St. Joseph County Special Education Parent Advisory Committee (PAC) for a term of May 1, 2024-April 30, 2026.

Informational & Communication Items

1. Other Personnel Updates (Attachment #1)
2. Superintendent's Report (Drafted goals)
3. Reminder of next meeting: Organizational/Regular, Friday, July 12, 2024, 11:00 a.m.

Other

Adjournment

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