

Public Meeting Notice

School District of West Salem

Notice is hereby given that a **Regular Board Meeting** of the Board of Education of the School District of West Salem will be held on **Monday, July 14, 2025, at 6:00 p.m.**, in the Marie Heider Meeting Room, located at 405 East Hamlin Street, West Salem, Wisconsin. 608-786-0700.

Live streaming of this meeting is available on our YouTube page:

<https://www.youtube.com/user/SDWestSalem/featured>

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I. Convene

- a. Meeting Notice verification
- b. Recitation of the Pledge of Allegiance and District Mission Statement
- c. Roll Call
- d. Approval of the agenda

II. Closed Session

The Board will discuss, consider and, if appropriate, take action pursuant to Wis. Stats §19.85(1) (e) deliberating or negotiating or bargaining reasons require a closed session; for the purposes of discussing the employee compensation with the West Salem Education Association for the 2025-2026 school year.

The Board may take action on closed session items after reconvening in open session.

III. Return to Open Session

The board, if appropriate, will return to open session following the closed session to take action on the items discussed in the closed session.

- a. Setting wages for the support staff for the 25-26 school year **[Admin]**
- b. Setting the wage for the co-curricular salary schedule for the 25-26 school year **[Admin]**
- c. Agreement with the West Salem Education Association for the 25-26 school year **[Work Eng & Dev]**

IV. Reports

- a. District Strategic Initiatives update by the Superintendent's Collaborative Team [a] and Ryan Rieber, Superintendent [b]
- b. Workforce Engagement & Development – Bob Gollnik, including negotiations with the West Salem Education Association
- c. Construction Project Update by ISG [c]

V. Connection with the Community

- a. Board reports by high school student representatives Lydia Jothen and Zeke Hyer
- b. Correspondence
- c. Public Comment at Board Meetings, Board Policy #0167.3. Citizens wishing to address the Board will be asked to register prior to the start of the Public Comment section of the Board Meeting. For detailed guidelines, please see the policy which is available on the district's website.

VI. Consent Agenda

- a. Minutes of the Regular Board Meeting of June 23, 2025 [d]
- b. Invoices to be paid [e]

- c. Co-curricular Recommendations: Head & Assistant Fall & Winter Dance Coaches, MS Assistant Cross Country, 3 Assistant Cross Country Coaches, 2 Assistant Volleyball Coaches [f]
- d. Hire: 1.0 FTE High School Social Studies Teacher [g]
- e. Resignation(s) [h]
- f. Donations [i]

VII. Discuss, Consider, and Take Action, if appropriate, regarding strategic initiatives

- a. Adoption of Academic Standards for 2025-2026 school year [j] **[Admin]**
- b. Nutrition Services report and set breakfast/lunch and school day milk program prices for the 25-26 school year [k] **[Admin]**
- c. Employee handbook for 25-26 [l] **[Admin]**
- d. Elementary student & parent handbook for 25-26 [m] **[Admin]**
- e. Middle school student & athletic handbook for 25-26 [n] **[Admin]**
- f. High school student handbook for 25-26 [o] **[Admin]**
- g. Technology handbook for 25-26 [p] **[Admin]**

VIII. List of to-do items/information requests [q]

****Live Stream Ends****

IX. Board Development/Board Retreat

- a. Strategic Plan Update
- b. Collaborate commitments
 - Board and district

X. Adjournment

•This meeting is a meeting of the Board of Education in public for the purpose of conducting the School District's business and is not to be considered a public hearing. There may be a time for public comment during the meeting as indicated in the agenda. Upon request to the Superintendent, submitted twenty-four (24) hours in advance, the District shall make reasonable accommodation including the provision of informational material in an alternative format for a disabled person to be able to attend this meeting.

Sent to: Board of Education, Administrative Team, West Salem Elementary, Middle and High School, La Crosse Tribune and Coulee News.

**The agenda as noted above was sent more than twenty-four hours prior to the meeting date. Due to this fact, the Agenda published in the newspaper (s) listed above may have been altered after delivery to the above listed newspapers (s). The most up to date Agenda information is also available on District Website:

<https://www.wsaalem.k12.wi.us/content/district/board-of-education/agendas-minutes>

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