

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, August 10, 2020**, at **7:00 p.m.**, in the West Salem High School LMC located at 490 North Mark Street, West Salem, Wisconsin. Use Hamlin Street entrance, door #28.

*The health and safety of district employees, Board of Education and the community is our number one priority. Therefore, the district is taking precautionary measures consistent with the CDC and the La Crosse County Health Department recommendations. *Board members may participate via remote access. The room will be open to limited spectators. **Live streaming of this meeting is available on our YouTube page:** <https://www.youtube.com/user/SDWestSalem/featured>*

****Please Note: Face coverings must be worn when attending the meeting and social distancing measures should be followed.****

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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. Connection with the Community

- a. Board reports by high school student representatives Madisyn Haun and Maxwell Goetz
- b. Correspondence
- c. Citizen Participation at Board Meetings, Board Policy # 186. Citizens wishing to address the Board will be asked to register prior to the start of the Public Comments section of the Board meeting. For detailed guidelines, please see the policy which is available on the district's website.
- d. Reports
 1. Business Operations Committee-Tom Grosskopf: Heider Center funds and Heider Meeting Room
 2. Policy/Communication and Engagement-Sean Gavaghan: Title IX policies for students and employees
 3. CESA #4 Board of Control-Jane Halverson
 4. District Strategic Initiatives update by the Superintendent's Cabinet Team (a), and Ryan Rieber, Superintendent (b)

III. Consent Agenda

- a. minutes of the Regular Board Meeting of July 27, 2020 (c)
- b. invoices to be paid
- c. resignation[s] and retirement (d)
- d. hire: three 1.0 FTE elementary teachers (e)
- e. parent transportation contracts for the 20-21 school year (f)

IV. Discuss, Consider and Take Action, if Appropriate, regarding strategic initiatives

- a. summary of summer school (g) [Tea & Learn]

- b. 20-21 school year [**Tea & Learn**]
 - 1. Coulee Region Virtual Academy update
 - 2. back to school/reopening
 - 3. staffing
- c. co-curricular activities and WIAA sports seasons [**Policy/Com & Eng**]
- d. notification to the West Salem Hockey Association regarding the 2020-2021 ice season (h) [**Work Eng & Dev**]
- e. use of walking track and fitness center by the public [**Policy/Com & Eng**]
- f. support staff compensation update for the 2020-2021 school year [**Work Eng & Dev**]
- g. use of Heider Center funds for equipment in the Heider Center (i) [**Bus Op**]
- h. set a date and time for Special Board Meeting if needed

V. List of to do items / information requests (j)

VI. Closed Session

The Board will discuss, consider and, if appropriate, take action pursuant to Wis. Stats §19.85(1) (c) "Considering employment, promotion, compensation or performance evaluation data of any public employee over which the governmental body has jurisdiction or exercises responsibility," regarding the retirement for professional staff.

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

VIII. Adjournment

Please note that upon reasonable notice, efforts will be made to accommodate the needs of disabled individuals through appropriate aids and services. For additional information, or to request this service, please contact Ryan Rieber, School District of West Salem, 405 East Hamlin Street, West Salem, WI 54669, or call (608) 786-0700.

Notice of this meeting was given to the Coulee Courier, La Crosse Tribune, WLSU Radio 98 FM, WXOW TV-19, WKBT-TV, WKTY, WIZM, and is to be publicly posted at the Union State Bank, First Community Credit Union, St. Joe's Country Market, River Bank-Barre Mills, West Salem Post Office, Village of West Salem, at each school, on the district web site, and at the district office on **August 6, 2020**.