

NORTHLAND LEARNING CENTER

Joint Powers Board Agenda

Regular Meeting

September 18th, 2024

10:00 am

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A. Call to Order

B. Roll Call

1. Chris Lindholm will attend via Zoom from his office at the Cook County School.
2. Anne Oelke will attend via Zoom from her office at Ely School.
3. Beth Shermoen will attend via Zoom from her office in International Falls.
4. Peter Hardy will attend via Zoom from his office in Nett Lake.

C. Approve Agenda

D. CONSENT AGENDA

- D.1 Minutes from October 16, 2024, Regular meeting
- D.2 July-September 2024 Board bills/Treasurer's Report
- D.3 Targeted Services
 - D3.1 Lindsey Stachovich, Teacher, ISD 2142 Cherry
 - D3.2 Ashley Leseman, Teacher, ISD 2142 Cherry
 - D3.3 Hanna Lucas, Teacher, ISD 2142 Cherry
 - D3.4 Jamie Herzmann, Teacher, ISD 2142 Cherry
 - D3.5 Kim Yuretich, Teacher, ISD 695 Chisholm
 - D3.6 Lisa Sodren, Teacher, ISD 712 Mt. Iron-Buhl
- D.4 Credit Recovery
 - D4.1 Kim Yuretich, Teacher, ISD 695 Chisholm
 - D4.2 Autumn Boedeker, Teacher, ISD 696 Ely
 - D4.3 Rachel Swanson, Teacher, ISD 712 Mt. Iron-Buhl
 - D4.4 Zach Swart, Teacher, ISD 2142 Cherry
 - D4.5 Jennifer Kaufenberg, Teacher, ISD 2142 Northeast Range
 - D4.6 DeeAnn Sandberg, Teacher, ISD 2142 North Woods

- D4.7 Melissa Fernandez, Teacher, ISD 2142 South Ridge
- D4.8 Alicia Benson, Teacher, ISD 2142 South Ridge
- D4.9 Paul Brainard, Teacher, ISD 2909 Rock Ridge
- D.5 Approve: Cassandra Schick, Indigenous Education Advocate
- D.6 New Hire: Vincent Muccio, Paraprofessional
- D.7 Hire: Sarah Callister, Paraprofessional
- D.8 Contract: Larry's Sand and Gravel

E. ACTION ITEMS

- E.1 Approve: Additional account at Miner's National Bank for Construction
- E.2 Increase Rachel Partis, Virtual Psychologist, hours from 20-30 hours
- E.3 Easement Assessment through Mt. Iron

F. DISCUSSION/INFORMATION

- F.1 Building update

G. Director's Report

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COMMENTS

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- D.5 Approve: Cassandra Schick, Indigenous Education Advocate
 Ms. Schick is currently an Elementary EBD Focus Teacher at the NLC. This Advocate position is an additional compensated position and is \$725 annually.
- D.6 New hire: Vincent Muccio, Paraprofessional
 Mr. Muccio is currently employed as a Human Service Technician, State of Minnesota Department of Human Services. His salary will be 100% of the AFSCME Contract.
- D.6 Hire: Sarah Callister, Paraprofessional
 Ms. Callister previously worked as a paraprofessional and then Check and Connect at the Northland Learning Center. She is currently in school to obtain her license in special education. Her salary will be 100% of the AFSCME Contract.
- D.7 Contract: Larry's Sand and Gravel
 Snow removal at the main NLC building has increased from \$150/hour to \$170/hour.

 Bridge to Independence snow removal will be \$90/hour

 Salt and sanding has increased from \$80 each time to \$100 each time.

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- E.1 Add additional account at Miner's National Bank for Construction
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- E.3 Easement Assessment through Mt. Iron
 \$500,000 over a 20-year period. \$27,000 a year.

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