

Dated 2/24/25

Red Wing Public Schools American Indian Parent Advisory Committee/American Indian Parent Council

Non-Concurrence Resolutions 2024-2025

WHEREAS, Minnesota Statutes (M.S.) 124D.78 outlines expectations for parent and community participation in the education program for American Indian students;

WHEREAS, as per M.S. 124D.78, subd.2., in a letter to the school board dated February 24th, 2025, the Native American Parent Committee issued a resolution of non-concurrence with educational programming for American Indian children as well as the following recommendations;

1. Immediately add Dedicated Staff- Native American Education Liaison

- a) We also recommend planning for additional staffing increases as may be required with future student counts. There is enough work and students in our district to warrant a Director-level position.
- b) Start offering tutoring for all Native American students to support the academic success of all Native American students

2. Curriculum & Language Implementation as required by Indigenous Education For All

- a) Prioritize the language revitalization and provide Dakota Language learning from early childhood through high school.

3. Enhancing Bus Safety

- a) To ensure the safety and well-being of students during transportation to and from school.
- b) Collaborate with transportation services to ensure safety for students on buses and set expectations for customer service with parents.

4. Red Wing School District AIPAC/AIPC would like all student educational assessment data disaggregated by ethnicity and made available to us on yearly basis.

- a) For example, trend graduation rates, trend discipline data, trend special education data, trend math and reading assessments, and trend MCA data.

WHEREAS, as per M.S. 124D.78, subd.2., the school board must respond in writing within 60 days, in cases of non-concurrence, to each recommendation made by the parent committee and state its reasons for not implementing the recommendations.