

Welcome to Board Briefs, in which we summarize key agenda items from prior Board of Education meetings and address topics that were brought to the Board's attention. Full meeting minutes are typically not available until reviewed and approved by the Board at a subsequent meeting, but we hope that this summary of key items from the previous meeting will 'keep you in touch' with the notable actions of the Board. As always, our community is encouraged to attend our meetings. We welcome your questions and comments.

August 4, 2016 Board of Education Meeting

Bond Referendum Resolution Passed

The Board of Education passed a resolution authorization a bond referendum in the amount of \$20,820,000 to fund improvements of heating, ventilation, air conditioning, lighting, fire safety, plumbing septic and drainage; replacements of doors, windows and ceilings; construction of storage buildings; building envelope, lintel, casework and stair improvements; interior reconstruction and space reconfiguration; bleacher replacement; and parking, curb and sidewalk improvements.

The complete proposal is on file and available for public inspection at the office of the district clerk.

Fifth-Grade Sections Update

Superintendent of Schools Dr. Edward R. Fuhrman Jr. provided the Board with an update on the status of the number of sections for the incoming fifth-grade class. Since the last report to the Board in June, there has been an increase in fifth-grade enrollment. Administration would like to take another week to review the numbers before making a final decision.

YMCA After-School Program to Begin

The YMCA will be rolling out an after-school program shortly. Many of the former after-school program instructors will continue to offer their programs through the YMCA. The YMCA has expressed interest in also operating an adult education program. Dr. Fuhrman said he will explore this option.

Code of Conduct Public Hearing

A public hearing was held on the proposed changes to the district's Code of Conduct. The policy committee will review the comments received from the Board and community, particularly the sections dealing with prohibited student conduct, disciplinary intervention and questioning of students. Please see the agenda item and/or notice for a description of the proposed changes. The public hearing will resume on August 22, 2016.

The Board's next meeting is a regular meeting on Thursday, August 22 at 7:30 p.m.