

Mission: The Ludington Area School District, in partnership with parents and community, will educate and empower students to adapt and succeed in their future.

Building & Site Committee Meeting

Date: October 16, 2020

Time: 7:00 a.m.

Place: Ludington Area School District Administration Office
809 E. Tinkham Avenue, Ludington, Michigan

- 1) CALL TO ORDER & ROLL CALL
 Mike Nagle Bret Autrey Stephanie Reed
- 2) CITIZEN PARTICIPATION
- 3) AGENDA MODIFICATION
- 4) DISCUSSION ITEMS
 - a) Review Owner, Architect, Construction Team Meeting Notes
 - b) Review Architectural Field Report on Elementary School Project
 - c) Review Construction Progress Update from Construction Manager
 - d) Application for Gas Service at New Elementary School - DTE Energy
 - e) New Elementary School Technology Systems Bid Award
 - f) Update on Traffic Light and Right of Way Easement Acquisition
 - g) Update on Extended COVID-19 Continuity of Learning Plan
 - h) Updates from Other Committees
- 5) OTHER ITEMS OF BUSINESS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS
- 6) ADJOURNMENT

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Memorandum - Office of the Superintendent

To: Board of Education
FROM: Jason Kennedy, Superintendent
RE: Building & Site Committee Meeting ~ Agenda Notes

CITIZEN PARTICIPATION

Review Board Policy 0167.3: Public Participation at Board Meetings

The Board of Education recognizes the value of public comment on educational issues and the importance of allowing members of the public to express themselves on District matters.

To permit fair and orderly public expression, the Board shall provide a period for public participation at every regular meeting of the Board and publish rules to govern such participation in Board meetings. The rules shall be administered and enforced by the presiding officer of the meeting.

The presiding officer shall be guided by the following rules:

- A. Public participation shall be permitted as indicated on the order of business, or at the discretion of the presiding officer.
- B. Participants must be recognized by the presiding officer and will be requested to preface their comments by an announcement of their name, address, and group affiliation, if and when appropriate.
- C. Each statement made by a participant shall be limited to three (3) minutes duration.
- D. No participant may speak more than once.
- E. Participants shall direct all comments to the Board and not to staff or other participants.
- F. The presiding officer may:
 1. interrupt, warn, or terminate a participant's statement when the statement is too lengthy, personally directed, abusive, obscene, or irrelevant;
 2. request any individual to leave the meeting when that person does not observe reasonable decorum;
 3. request the assistance of law enforcement officers in the removal of a disorderly person when that person's conduct interferes with the orderly progress of the meeting;
 4. call for a recess or an adjournment to another time when the lack of public decorum so interferes with the orderly conduct of the meeting as to warrant such action;
 5. waive these rules with the approval of the Board when necessary for the protection of privacy or the administration of the Board's business.
- G. The portion of the meeting during which the participation of the public is invited shall be limited to thirty (30) minutes, but the timeframe will be extended, if necessary, so that no one's right to address the Board will be denied.
- H. Tape or video recordings are permitted. The person operating the recorder should contact the Superintendent prior to the Board meeting to review possible placement of the equipment, and agrees to abide by the following conditions:
 1. No obstructions are created between the Board and the audience.
 2. No interviews are conducted in the meeting room while the Board is in session.

3. No commentary, adjustment of equipment, or positioning of operators is made that would distract either the Board or members of the audience while the Board is in session.
- I. Each Board agenda will include the following statement, "Public participation shall be permitted only as indicated on the order of business."

Revised: January 21, 2019

Legal: M.C.L.A. 15.263(4)(5)(6), 380.1808

DISCUSSION ITEMS

Review Owner, Architect, Construction Team Meeting Notes

We will review the most recent owner, architect, and construction team meeting notes for the elementary school project as a way to continue to keep the building and site committee apprised of the work and progress at the elementary school project site.

Architectural Field Report on Elementary School Project

We will review the most recent Architectural Field Report on the Elementary School Project that was completed by Jon DenOuden from GMB Architecture + Engineering. Jon is a construction administrator with GMB Architecture + Engineering, and his role is to provide construction management oversight as an employee of the architect to ensure that the project is being constructed according to the architectural design, as specified. This is another layer of oversight to ensure that the project is moving forward and according to design specifications.

Review Construction Progress Update from Construction Manager

We will review the monthly construction progress update that has been provided to the District by the Christman Company. This was provided to the District on October 5, 2020 and posted to the District's website..

Application for Gas Service at New Elementary School - DTE Energy

The application for gas service at the new elementary school has been submitted to DTE Energy. Installation of gas service at the elementary site is critical to the installation of a temporary heat source so that work can continue on the project through the winter months.

New Elementary School Technology Systems Bid Award

We will review the bid report and recommendations submitted to the District by Communications by Design and discuss the awarding of the new elementary school technology systems bids to Parkway Electric of Holland, MI and Moss of Grand Rapids, MI. The action item will read:

To approve contracts with Parkway Electric of Holland, Michigan in the amount of \$255,550.00, inclusive of combined award and warranty bid alternates, for new elementary public address and clock systems, and with Moss of Grand Rapids, Michigan in the amount of \$259,790.21 inclusive of combined award and warranty bid alternates, for new elementary building access and video monitoring systems, to be paid with funds from the 2019 bond proceeds.

Update on Traffic Light and Right of Way Easement Acquisition

A letter and good faith offer to acquire the necessary easements at the corner of Jebavy Dr. and Bryant Rd. have been signed and submitted to the Mason County Road Commission for submission to the property owners. Details of the good faith offers will be discussed.

Update on Extended CoVID-19 Continuity of Learning Plan

On August 20, 2020, Governor Whitmer signed House Bill 5913 into law as Public Act 149. Section 98a states that in order to receive state aid for 2020-2021, districts must provide for instruction under an extended COVID-19 Learning Plan ("Plan") that has been approved by an intermediate district or authorizing body. The Plan does not replace the District's/PSA's COVID-19 Preparedness and Response Plan, it is an additional plan that includes new assurances and sections on educational goals, instructional delivery, grading, and equitable access.

Section 98a(1)(c) states, "Thirty days after the approval of the plan under subsection (2), and every 30 days thereafter, the district must, at a meeting of the board or board of directors, as applicable, of the district, reconfirm how instruction is going to be delivered during the 2020-2021 school year. Public comment must be solicited from the parents or legal guardians of the pupils enrolled in the district during a meeting described in this subdivision." Section 98a(1)(i) states, "The district shall publicly announce its weekly interaction rates under this subdivision at each reconfirmation meeting described in subdivision (c) and make those rates accessible through the transparency reporting link located on the district's website each month."

We will review the Extended Continuity of Learning Plan Reconfirmation Meeting template and reconfirm how instruction is going to be delivered during the 20/21 school year, accept public comment during the meeting from parents and/or guardians on the Extended Learning Plan, and review weekly 2-way interaction rates. We will also discuss any changes to the plan. We will also complete each of these tasks at the Board meeting on Monday so that the Board can reconfirm the District's Extended Continuity of Learning Plan.

Updates from Other Committees

We will review updates from each of the other committees in preparation for the Board meeting on October 19, 2020.