

**Agenda**  
Board of Education  
Leslie Public Schools

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Agenda for the **Regular Board Meeting**  
**of the Board of Education**  
to be held on **Monday, August 14, 2023**  
at **7:00 p.m.**  
**Leslie High School Library**  
4141 Hull Road, Leslie, Michigan

*This meeting is a meeting of the Board of Education in public for the purpose of conducting the School District's business and is not to be considered a public community meeting. There is a time for public participation during the meeting as indicated on the agenda.*

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- I. TO ORDER/WELCOME: President Dave Cowing**
- II. ROLL CALL: Secretary, Eric Isham**
- President, Dave Cowing \_\_\_\_\_      Trustee, Beth Yeider \_\_\_\_\_
- Vice-President, Bud Fifield \_\_\_\_\_      Trustee, Dominic Ambroggio \_\_\_\_\_
- Secretary, Eric Isham \_\_\_\_\_      Trustee, Brad Dunlap \_\_\_\_\_
- Treasurer, Deann Maynard \_\_\_\_\_      Superintendent, Scott Powers \_\_\_\_\_
- Others:
- III. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**
- IV. COMMENTS AND/CONCERNS OF CITIZENS**
- V. CONSENT AGENDA**

**A. Approval of Agenda, Minutes and Other Items:**

"Moved by \_\_\_\_\_, supported by \_\_\_\_\_  
that the Board of Education approve:

- The August 14, 2023 Agenda
- Minutes of the July 10, 2023 Regular Meeting,
- The bills in the amount of \$402,660.71 be approved for payment as presented
- The Pcard statement
- General Fund Budget Report and Food Service Budget Report as of 7/31/2023."

Vote: ayes \_\_\_\_\_ nays \_\_\_\_\_ absent \_\_\_\_\_ abstention \_\_\_\_\_

**VI. CORRESPONDENCE**

- A. ISD Board Briefs - July 18, 2023** **Enclosure 1**
- B. School Law Notes - June 29, 2023** **Enclosure 2**
- C. School Law Notes - July 27, 2023** **Enclosure 3**

**VII. INFORMATIONAL REPORTS**

- A. Facility Update—Dave Medcoff**
- B. New High School Class—Andrea Roach** **Enclosure 4**

**VIII. SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT**

- A. Safety Grant Spending**
- B. Cascade Conference** **Enclosure 5**

**IX. BOARD DISCUSSION AND/OR ACTION:**

- A. Accept Resignation - Jamie Reynolds** **Enclosure 6**

"Moved by \_\_\_\_\_, supported by \_\_\_\_\_ that the Board of Education accept the resignation of Jamie Reynolds as Leslie Public Schools School Psychologist, effective June 9, 2023."

Vote: ayes\_\_\_\_ nays\_\_\_\_ absent\_\_\_\_ abstention\_\_\_\_

- B. Accept Resignation - Molly Sullivan** **Enclosure 7**

"Moved by \_\_\_\_\_, supported by \_\_\_\_\_ that the Board of Education accept the resignation of Molly Sullivan as Leslie Middle School Teacher, effective August 2, 2023."

Vote: ayes\_\_\_\_ nays\_\_\_\_ absent\_\_\_\_ abstention\_\_\_\_

- C. Accept Resignation - Reed Ebmeyer** **Enclosure 8**

"Moved by \_\_\_\_\_, supported by \_\_\_\_\_ that the Board of Education accept the resignation of Reed Ebmeyer as Leslie High School Teacher, effective July 28, 2023."

Vote: ayes\_\_\_\_ nays\_\_\_\_ absent\_\_\_\_ abstention\_\_\_\_

**D. Hire High School Spanish Teacher** **Enclosure 9**

"Moved by \_\_\_\_\_, supported by \_\_\_\_\_ that the Board of Education hire Sandra Briones as Leslie High School Spanish teacher, as recommended by Principal Roach."

Vote: ayes\_\_\_\_ nays\_\_\_\_ absent\_\_\_\_ abstention\_\_\_\_

**E. Hire High School Social Studies Teacher** **Enclosure 10**

"Moved by \_\_\_\_\_, supported by \_\_\_\_\_ that the Board of Education hire Brenda Price as Leslie High School Social Studies teacher, as recommended by Principal Roach."

Vote: ayes\_\_\_\_ nays\_\_\_\_ absent\_\_\_\_ abstention\_\_\_\_

**F. Hire Middle School English Language Arts Teacher** **Enclosure 11**

"Moved by \_\_\_\_\_, supported by \_\_\_\_\_ that the Board of Education hire Ann Hesterman as Leslie Middle School English Language Arts teacher, as recommended by Principal Weber."

Vote: ayes\_\_\_\_ nays\_\_\_\_ absent\_\_\_\_ abstention\_\_\_\_

**G. Hire Woodworth Elementary Teacher** **Enclosure 12**

"Moved by \_\_\_\_\_, supported by \_\_\_\_\_ that the Board of Education hire Elizabeth Patterson as Woodworth Elementary teacher, as recommended by Principal Phillips."

Vote: ayes\_\_\_\_ nays\_\_\_\_ absent\_\_\_\_ abstention\_\_\_\_

**H. Hire Leslie Public Schools School Psychologist** **Enclosure 13**

"Moved by \_\_\_\_\_, supported by \_\_\_\_\_ that the Board of Education hire Micah Manthei as Leslie Public Schools School Psychologist, as recommended by Special Education Director DeSmith."

Vote: ayes\_\_\_\_ nays\_\_\_\_ absent\_\_\_\_ abstention\_\_\_\_

**I. Approval of Leslie Middle School Classes** **Enclosure 14**

"Moved by \_\_\_\_\_, supported by \_\_\_\_\_ that the Board of Education approve the new middle school curriculum as presented in Enclosure 14."

Vote: ayes\_\_\_\_ nays\_\_\_\_ absent\_\_\_\_ abstention\_\_\_\_

**J. Approval of Thrun Social Media Litigation** **Enclosure 15**

"Moved by \_\_\_\_\_, supported by \_\_\_\_\_ that the Board of Education approve the resolution from Thrun as shown in Enclosure 15."

**K. Middle School Student Discipline Hearing - Student 2023-24.1**

**Closed Session:**

"Moved by \_\_\_\_\_, supported by \_\_\_\_\_ to enter closed session at the request of the parent to protect the right of privacy as required by Federal Law for a discipline hearing."

Vote: ayes\_\_\_ nays\_\_\_ absent\_\_\_ abstention\_\_\_

Time entered closed session: \_\_\_\_\_ p.m.

**Open Session:**

"Moved by \_\_\_\_\_, supported by \_\_\_\_\_ that the Board of Education ratify (Board Member) \_\_\_\_\_'s declaration that the board re-enter regular session at \_\_\_\_\_ p.m.

Vote: ayes\_\_\_ nays\_\_\_ absent\_\_\_ abstention\_\_\_

**Possible Motion:** **Enclosure 16**

"Moved by \_\_\_\_\_, supported by \_\_\_\_\_ that after consideration by the Board of Education accept the Resolution for Discipline, regarding Leslie Middle School student 2023-24.1, per enclosure 16.

Vote: ayes\_\_\_ nays\_\_\_ absent\_\_\_ abstention\_\_\_

**X. ADJOURNMENT**

"Moved by \_\_\_\_\_ supported by \_\_\_\_\_ to adjourn the meeting at \_\_\_\_\_ p.m."

Vote: ayes\_\_\_ nays\_\_\_ absent\_\_\_ abstention\_\_\_

## DATE REMINDERS

August 23 (Wednesday)	First Day of School (1/2 day)
August 30 (Wednesday)	Regular/Workshop Board Meeting 6:00 p.m. High School Library
September 1-4 (Fri & Mon)	Labor Day Holiday
September 11 (Monday)	Regular Board Meeting - 7:00 p.m. High School Library
September 12 (Tuesday)	2-hour late start; 2 hours of PD School starts at 10:00 a.m.
October 9 (Monday)	Regular Board Meeting - 7:00 p.m. High School Library
October 20 (Friday)	1/2-Day for Students & 3 hour Pd for Teachers late start
October 25 (Wednesday)	Regular/Workshop Board Meeting 6:00 p.m. High School Library
November 7 (Tuesday)	2-hour late start; 2 hours of PD School starts at 10:00 a.m.
November 13 (Monday)	Regular Board Meeting - 7:00 p.m. High School Library
November 16-17 (Thurs & Fri)	Half-Day sessions
November 25-29 (Mon - Fri)	Thanksgiving Break
November 29 (Wednesday)	Regular/Workshop Board Meeting 6:00 p.m. High School Library
December 11 (Monday)	Regular Board Meeting - 7:00 p.m. High School Library
December 12 (Tuesday)	2-hour late start; 2 hours of PD School starts at 10:00 a.m.
Dec 22 - Jan 5 (Fri - Mon)	Winter Break