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Regular meeting, 7:00 P.M.
Wednesday, Aug. 12, 2009

Sayles School

- I. Call to order
- II. Pledge of allegiance to the flag
- III. Record of members present
- IV. Communications
- V. Approval of minutes of July 1, 2009
- VI. Public Comment
- VII. Financial Report 2009-2010 Budget
- VIII. Chairman's Report
 1. Next Board meeting September 2, 2009
 2. Report Card/Our Town
 3. Settlement Determination - Sprague
 4. Misc.
- IX. Assistant Superintendent of Schools for Student Services and Achievement Report
 1. 2009 CMT results
 2. Update on readiness model
 3. Misc.
- X. Principal/Technology Coordinator's Report.
 1. 2009 CMT results
 2. Power School Software, etc.
 3. Misc.
- XI. Superintendent's Information
 - A. Information Items
 1. Superintendent goals 2009-2010
 2. Organizational Chart 2009-2010
 3. Rebecca Cipriani-Reyer- Space Academy
 4. Misc.
 - B. Discussion & Action Items
 1. Discussion & Action re: Approve revisions to policies consensus – 1004, 4001, 5002, 5003, 5005, 5012, 5015, 5018, 5019, 5019 (A) 5021, 5022, 6002, 6004, 9005, 9011 and 9019.
 2. Discussion & Acton re: The Board of Education authorizes the Superintendent to offer voluntary retirement incentive to teachers.
 3. Discussion & Action re: Give Superintendent permission to hire certified staff members if needed during the month of August.
 4. Discussion & action re: Approve the Carelot Children's Center, Inc. to run before and after school day care program.

- XII. Committee Reports
 - A. Policy
 - B. Negotiations
 - C. Hot Lunch
 - D. Transportation
 - E. Maintenance
 - F. Health & Wellness
- XIII. Invoices
- XIV. Adjournment

SPRAGUE BOARD OF EDUCATION
GOALS 2006-2011 FOR 21ST CENTURY LEARNERS AND TEACHERS

Goal 1: Increase student achievement.

Objectives

- A. Provide quality, standards-based, culturally responsive and relevant curriculum for our preK-8 students (including the Core Knowledge sequence).
- B. Insure teachers and administrators provide relevant, meaningful and engaging instruction to meet the needs of our preK-8 students (including intervention, enrichment, and interdisciplinary instruction).

Goal 2: Achieve resource equity and equality of opportunity; reduce racial, ethnic and economic isolation.

Objectives

- A. Provide full-day kindergarten.
- B. Provide a quality pre-school program.
- C. Extend opportunities for learning in preK-8 for students in need.
- D. Develop alternatives to meet the needs of underperforming students.
- E. Support a physically, emotionally, socially safe and healthy learning and teaching environment for students and staff.
- F. Provide world language and international knowledge/awareness education across all grade levels.

Goal 3: Encourage greater parental/family involvement at Sayles School at all grade levels.

Objective

- A. Engage families meaningfully in the success of all students (from attendance to homework, etc.).

Adopted September 6, 2006

Revised August 15, 2007

**SAYLES SCHOOL
MISSION STATEMENT**

The mission of the Sprague Public School Community is to provide a center of learning which encourages participation in challenging learning activities by providing a safe environment, relevant curriculum, cultural literacy, diverse opportunities, guidance for the future and family engagement.

Please Bring Policy Book