Board of Education Meeting
Thursday, October 15, 2026 6:30 PM
DMS Cafetorium 73 Chatfield Street
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1. **Call to Order**
Speaker(s): Mr. Marcucio

1.A. Opening Ceremonies
Speaker(s): Mr. Marcucio

1.B. Roll Call
Speaker(s): Mr. Marcucio

1.C. Additions/Deletions to the Agenda
Speaker(s): Mr. Marcucio

2. **Public Portion**
Speaker(s): Mr. Marcucio

Prior to the commencement of any public meeting of any board of the city, the agenda for said meeting shall be posted in the meeting room and the first order of business of said meeting shall be the entertainment of public discussion on any item on said agenda and the conduct, length, and method of terminating said public discussion shall be determined by majority vote of the members of said board of commission.

3. **Birthdays!**
Speaker(s): Mr. Marcucio

4. **Student Representative**
Speaker(s): Mr. McKeon Gray

5. **Executive Session**
Speaker(s): Mr. Marcucio

Motion: The Board of Education enter into Executive Session to discuss the Appointment List of New Hires and a Leave of Absence, and the Superintendent is invited to attend.

6. **Appointment of New Hires**
Speaker(s): Mr. Marcucio

Motion: The Board of Education approve the Appointment List of New Hires.

7. **Leave of Absence Request**
Speaker(s): Mr. Marcucio, Dr. Conway

Motion: The Board of Education approve the Leave of Absence for the period of November 30, 2026 through January 18, 2027.

8. **Subcommittee Reports**
Speaker(s): Mr. Marcucio

Finance Committee	Mrs. O'Hara
Negotiations and Personnel Committee	Mrs. Mongillo
School/Community Relations and Policy	Mr. Foley
Plant and Facilities Committee	Ms. Malerba
Academic & Curriculum	Mrs. Orazietti
Athletic Committee	Mrs. Tovar
Student Health and Safety Committee	Mr. Gildea
Shared Services Committee	Mr. Gildea

9. **Shared Services Update**
Speaker(s): Mr. Marcucio, Mr. Gildea, Dr. Conway

10. **Proposal to Conduct Dissertation Research**
Speaker(s): Mr. Marcucio, Mr. Wojtowicz, Dr. Conway

Motion: The Board of Education approve the proposal for Stephen Wojtowicz to Conduct Dissertation Research.

11. **Financial Report**
Speaker(s): Mr. Marcucio, Mr. Hall, Dr. Conway

Motion: The Board of Education approve the financial report for the period through September 30, 2026, as recommended by the Superintendent of Schools.

12. **Alliance District and Priority School District Grant Approval**
Speaker(s): Mr. Marcucio, Dr. Conway, Mr. Hall

Motion: The Board of Education approve the submission of the Alliance District and Priority School District Grants to the State Department of Education, as recommended by the Superintendent of Schools.

13. **Approval of Minutes**
Speaker(s): Mr. Marcucio

Motion: The Board of Education approve the minutes from the September 17, 2026 and the October 6, 2026 Committee of the Whole meetings.

14. **2027 Draft Schedule of Board of Education Meetings**
Speaker(s): Mr. Marcucio

15. **Administrators Reports**
Speaker(s): Mr. Marcucio

15.A. **Superintendent's Report**
Speaker(s): Dr. Conway

15.B. **Facilities Director's Report**
Speaker(s): Mr. Hoffman

15.C. **Director of Teaching and Learning's Report**
Speaker(s): Dr. Rafferty

15.D. **Early Childhood Program Director's Report**
Speaker(s): Mrs. Conway

15.E. **Bradley School Principal's Report**
Speaker(s): Dr. Ciccarini

15.F. **Derby High School Principal's Report**
Speaker(s): Mrs. Olson

15.G. **Derby Middle School Principal's Report**
Speaker(s): Mrs. Caggiano

15.H. **Irving School Principal's Report**
Speaker(s): Mr. Russo

15.I. **Special Education Department Report**
Speaker(s): Mr. Giordano

15.J. **Athletic Department Report**
Speaker(s): Ms. Moffat

16. **Adjourn**
Speaker(s): Mr. Marcucio

Motion: The Board of Education adjourn its meeting.

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