

TO: Bayfield School Board
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SUBJECT: September District Administrator Report

1. Professional Development Training

The start-of-school year professional development went well. Educator effectiveness, RtI/PBIS and the District's changes to the daily schedule with professional collaboration time and Troller Time were key training subjects. SPED and administrative staff also participated in CPI Non-Violent Crisis Intervention Training. With so many new initiatives taking place this year, we've set the month of September for implementing plans. Program reviews and necessary revisions are scheduled to take place in late September and early October.

2. Alternate Compensation Table for Teachers

Work continues on the proposed alternate compensation table for teachers. BEA leaders and District administrative staff met in August and came to consensus on some next steps. The Finance Committee will receive an update on this initiative.

3. Strategic Plan Update

September will mark the start of the second year for some strategic plan initiatives. As called for in the plan, the Board will receive a progress update on all four of the strategic priorities at the Annual Meeting on September 22nd. An update will be provided to the community through a box holder mailing following the Annual Meeting.

4. Board Retreat Update

A preliminary date for the School Board retreat of Saturday, December 6th from 9:00 a.m. to noon was set at the August School Board meeting. Kevin Stranberg of Stranberg and Associates is available to facilitate the retreat. The date also poses a conflict for at least one Board member. Finalizing the retreat date at the September Board meeting will allow planning for the event to move forward.

5. Annual Financial Audit

The District's annual audit is nearing completion. Personnel from Eagle Accounting and Auditing spend two days at the school gathering information. The preliminary report presented by Eagle at the out briefing indicated that the audit had gone pretty well. The Board will receive a report of audit findings when Eagle issues its final report.