

Agenda Item Details

Meeting Aug 12, 2019 - REVISED Regular Meeting

Category 4. Administrative Reports

Subject 4.2 IT System Administrator Report

Type Action (Consent), Reports

Recommended Action Motion to approve Administrative Reports as presented.

IT System Administrator Report August 12, 2019

It's been a while since my last report, but here's what I have been working on.

- 1. Summer projects Most of these items are simply planned replacements of older equipment. Work is ongoing.
- updated wireless network with all new access points
- replacement and improvement of backup power systems in server closets
- one new network switch
- replacing 7 interactive whiteboards
- updating the telephone system
- adding two portable interactive display boards for classroom and meeting use
- replacing one server
- replacing our backup server
- 2. Internet update the new BadgerNet network is much faster than our previous connection. This summer, we have had several outages due to cuts in fiber optic cables elsewhere in the state. If improvements in the resilience of the BadgerNet network, I will be looking into adding a backup internet connection to avoid critical downtime.
- 3. The wireless bridge to La Pointe School is still an ongoing project. The vendor that inspected the existing tower was hired to mount the new antenna dish. This did not work out as planned, so the La Pointe School will continue to use a Norvado DSL internet connection for this school year.
- 4. Chromebooks have been deployed for students throughout the district, and we are also adding a service that allows teachers to monitor student computer use in their classrooms.

Our adopted rules of Parliamentary Procedure, Robert's Rules, provide for a consent agenda listing several items for approval of the Board by a single motion. Most of the items listed under the consent agenda have gone through Board subcommittee review and recommendation. Documentation concerning these items has been provided to all board members and the public in advance to assure an extensive and thorough review. Items may be removed from the consent agenda at the request of any board member.

Motion & Voting

Motion to approve all Administrative Reports 4.1 to 4.8 as presented.

Motion by Glenn Carlson, second by Craig Hoopman.

Final Resolution: Motion Carried

Aye: Nicole Boyd, Deb Knopf, Glenn Carlson, Larry Deragon, Craig Hoopman

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