

**Agenda Item Details**

Meeting	Apr 27, 2020 - School Board Meeting Agenda
Category	6. Administrative Reports
Subject	6.1 District Administrator Report
Type	Information, Reports

1. Virtual Learning for Students and parents

We are up and running with our learning format. The teachers and staff have initiated their classrooms by introducing the virtual learning program. It is new for everyone, so patience is of much importance. The teachers and families are working daily with each other on lessons and activities. The students, for the most part, seem to be on task and engaging online with their teachers.

And, as we move forward, we anticipate things to get better for the students as they continue to figure out how things are done and what their responsibilities are for their classes. It is an exciting new time for everyone under the circumstance we are in regarding COVID-19.

2. The 2020-2021 Preliminary Budget Proposal.

Randi Johnson, Finance Manager, will be proposing to the school board next year's preliminary budget for approval. The budgeting process started in January and goes through April. She has worked with the administration and the budget committee to collect data on what the budget proposal shall be for the next school year. It is a preliminary budget, so if changes need to be made by the board through next Octobers' final budget hearing process, those changes can change by the school board.

3. Strategic Plan update.

Kevin Stranberg will be on a conference call with the school board to discuss his timeline for the strategic planning to begin. Due to the recent shutdown and change in the original schedule to start the planning process, he will bring forth his recommendations for a new start, and what he anticipates will work for the school district.

4. Future Virtual Board meetings.

We have started the new format for Board members and the community at large. The meeting held in the school building will be conducted with ten people or fewer. There will be an online link offsite for everyone to access the session. If we have a large group, we are working on options for individuals to access the building through a speaker system in the parking lot, or an additional room in the school for people to listen and join in on the meeting. And, the agendas are similar with the addition of the online link for access.

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