

Agenda Item Details

Meeting Jan 22, 2024 - Regular School Board Meeting - Revised

Category 3. Administrative Reports

Subject 3.7 IT Systems Administrator Report

Type Reports

Cyber security and data privacy are a primary concern this year. We are working on completing our cyber Incident Response Plan (IRP), which will guide District staff in the case of a cyber security incident. We are also planning a cyber security assessment for February 6th, 2024, with members of the Wisconsin Cyber Response Team (CRT). They will be onsite and meeting with district staff to assess our district's preparedness for dealing with cyber security attacks. This assessment will help guide us develop our cyber response plan and improve our security infrastructure and practices. One change has occurred in this area; the CESA 12 data security specialist has accepted a new position, so the contract was cancelled. We will continue moving forward on our own.

Regarding student data privacy, we are continuing our work with the Student Data Privacy Consortium to sign student data privacy agreements with the various websites and services that we use for education. Our goal is to protect our students' data from being harvested and used or sold by third parties.

Future projects include updating infrastructure and creating better documentation and monitoring of our network. This is an ongoing process. The documentation will be kept on file as part of the IRP, and as part of the job responsibilities for our network tech positions.

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