

# *District Status Report*

*27 May 2016*

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The purpose for the weekly Status Report is to communicate to members of the School Board important and meaningful information relevant to the business of the school district. The Report is available to the public on the school district's website. Please contact me at 417-2602 if you have any questions regarding information contained in the Status Report. I would also appreciate hearing from you on ways I can improve the Report and make it more meaningful and informative for you.

Dale

## Our Mission

**Empowering students with  
knowledge and skills to succeed.**

## Our Vision

**To be the school district of choice, inspiring  
excellence in academics, arts, and activities.**

## Information – Communication -- Correspondence

### 1. News From Around the State and Beyond

**Politics: Disappointing appropriation for K-12 education in supplemental budget bill**

**Curriculum: Bad at math? Don't tell your kids**

**Court: Eleven states sue Obama administration over federal transgender school-bathroom directive**

2. **Late Start Decision on Thursday:** The power outage this morning resulted in the decision to delay the start of school by two hours. The decision to delay was made by 6:30 am which is later than our desired timeline, but we were waiting as long as I felt we could before making the decision. Power was restored around 7:30 am.

We experienced difficulty with the phone messaging system. My first message went out at approximately 6:30 am. It was clear by 7:00 am that a number of staff had not received the message. As a result, I sent another message which was reported to have reached more people on the contact list. Our bus drivers reported the morning pick-ups went well considering the circumstances.

3. **Policy Committee to Meet:** The Policy Committee is set to meet at 6:30 pm on Tuesday, June 7 in the Board Room. The committee will be reviewing a number of revised policies from MSBA to recommend to the Board for approval. Sue Kulseth had forwarded the policies to Board members a few weeks ago. Please let Sue know if you are unable to access the policies.
4. **Building and Grounds Committee:** Sue Kulseth will be contacting committee members regarding a date and time to meet to review a number of items including our Long Term Maintenance Plan, parking lot maintenance projects for this summer, a flooring update on the commons at the Secondary School, bidding services i.e. snow removal, and other items. We are targeting the week of June 13.

## School Board Calendar of Events

June 3, 2016	2:15 pm	<b>Last Day of School for Students – 2 hour early dismissal</b> Years of Service Recognition – Secondary School Commons
June 5, 2016	2:00 pm	Commencement – High School Gymnasium
June 7, 2016	6:30 pm	Policy Committee – Board Room
June 20, 2016	6:30 pm	School Board Meeting – Secondary School Media Center

## Dale's Calendar for May 30 – June 3 (As of 5-27-16)

Monday		Office Closed
Tuesday	7:45 am 9:00 am	Recognition Program Planning I-observation training
Wednesday	8:00 am 8:30 am	Unpaid Leave Meeting with Corrine Budget Planning with Karla
Thursday		In the District
Friday	2:15 pm 2:45 pm	2 Hour Early Dismissal Staff Recognition Reception Recognition Program

**Thank you for all you do!**