



kids enjoy spending time with the HS students. Principal Prewitt gave an update on the new technology with 3D printers in the middle school. He also showed the board the job posting board that Jenn Doyle had created, and reviewed the job openings that the district has. Both principals will be attending the WSPA job fairs in Spokane and Tacoma in March.

3. AD Report – Mr. Zeiler reported that there were 11 players for baseball, 10 HS & 8 MS for softball, 5 for golf, 4 for tennis, and 28 for track. He informed the board that he has been approached from some students about dual sports, and he supports as long as the student GPA is acceptable and both the parents and coaches agree.
4. Legislative Update – Superintendent Kowalkowski provided a brief review on the status of the legislative session and K-12 education impacts. Topics included Enrollment stabilization, Staffing Allocation increases for Nurses/Counselors, & Pupil Transportation. He also referenced a few bills that could impact schools. Finally, he discussed that the IPD range is currently from 4.7 – 5.5 in both the Senate and the House budgets.
5. Financial Reports – Business Manager Dana Telecky, gave a brief update on the current audit. Issues noted: over financial internal controls. Things should be wrapping up soon and will have a final report to provide to the board.
6. Update: 22-23 Principal Opening – Principal Prewitt provided the board with a sample schedule for interviews for the principals, and asked for any feedback from the board.
7. First Reading – Policy 1250 – Students on Governing Boards – Principal Prewitt briefly reviewed the policy and answered any questions.
8. Redistricting Board Director Areas Process Connected to 2020 Census Results – Superintendent Kowalkowski provided the board members, information on the possibility of redistricting. Cassidy Probert from the ESD will assist with the process, and will be happy to come out and present more information.

#### **PUBLIC COMMENTS**

1. Good Things Happening in the District – it was just stated that we have great Kids, Families, and Staff!
2. Public Comments – Parent Beth Orvis asked if the community / parents would be involved in the principal interview process. Principal Prewitt showed her the draft schedule where there is a community section. Also, a student asked for clarification on the mask mandate lift date.

This portion of the meeting is for communication from the public. Patrons wishing to speak on specific items listed on the agenda or on other items should first be recognized by the board chair and give his/her name before beginning comments to the board. A limit of 3-5 minutes per patron may be imposed. The Board's role will be to receive comments. Items may be referred to the Superintendent or another administrator for further research and/or follow-up. Note: This public comment time is not for complaints regarding a specific school district staff member. Please see the superintendent or a board member for the specific process.

#### **ACTION ITEMS**

1. Approval of Moving Forward with Redistricting Process. Director Husky moved to move ahead with the ESD presentation of the redistricting process. Director Schreck seconded the motion. Motion passed 3-0.

#### **BOARD INFORMATION EXCHANGE**

#### **ADJOURNMENT**

Chairwomen Fitzpatrick adjourned the meeting at 7:17pm.

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Board Chair

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Board Secretary