

Grant Park Community Unit School District #6

The mission of the Grant Park Schools is to provide a respectful learning environment to empower students to achieve academic excellence and personal success as life-long learners and productive citizens.

REGULAR MEETING OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION

Middle School Library
421 Esson Farm Road
Grant Park, IL 60940

Monday, February 23rd, 2026

6:00 PM

Board Meeting Room: Commons (MS)

- I. Call to Order, Roll Call and Pledge of Allegiance
- II. Approval of the consent agenda:
 - A. Minutes of the regular January meeting
 - B. Financial Report(s) for January, 2026
 - C. Direction to pay February vendor bills in the amount of: \$183,978.43
 - D. Approval of the January payroll in the amount of: \$373,216.50
 - E. Approval of Alyxandrya Miramontes as Social Worker for the 2026-27 school year (\$49,548.00)
 - F. Approval of the Maternity Leave of Stefani Rimkus as presented
- III. Audience to Persons Scheduled in Advance:
 1. Recognition of Abigail Cucurro - KACC National Technical Honor Society
- IV. Administrators' Reports:
 - A. GP ES- Ms. Tracy Planeta
 - B. GP MS/HS- Mrs. Stacy Glenn
 - C. GP SE Coordinator: Mrs. Kelly Toppen
 - D. GP #6- Dr. John Palan
 1. HLS Timeline and Update
 2. Fiscal '27 Budget Information

3. High Stakes Assessment – Spring 26
4. Enrollment Report

V. Old Business

- A. Activity Bus Lease and/or Purchase Options – Approval of the 1-Year Lease Option as Presented

VI. New Business

- A. None Noted

VII. Board Committee Reports:

- A. President's Report – Mr. Markland
- B. Building and Grounds Committee – Mr. Loitz, Mr. Marshalek
 - Lawn Mower
- C. Technology Committee – Mrs. Horn, Mr. Wells
- D. Kankakee Area Special Education Cooperative (KASEC) – Mr. Marshalek
- E. Kankakee Area Career Center (KACC) – Mr. Loitz, Mr. Wells
- F. IASB – Three Rivers Division report – Ms. Gawlinski
- G. Chamber of Commerce – Mr. Jerry Loitz
- H. Communications Committee- Ms. Gawlinski, Mr. Markland
 - A. Committee Meeting Update
- I. FFA Board Representative- Mr. Marshalek
- J. Finance Committee- Mrs. Horn, Mr. Wells
- K. Student Representatives – Claire Sluis, Kaylie Meherg
- L. Board Communications-

VII. Community Forum—Comments and Questions Regarding Board Actions/Issues

VIII. Closed Session-

There is a request for a closed session for the appointment, employment, compensation, discipline, performance, or dismissal of specific employees of the District or legal counsel for the District, including hearing testimony on a complaint lodged against an employee or against legal counsel for the District to determine its validity 5 ILCS 120/2(c)(1), as amended by P.A. 900057

IX. Anticipated Board action(s):

1. Approval of Closed Session Minutes

X. Adjourn (time adjourned)