

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, January 26th, 2026

5:30 PM

Board Meeting Room: Commons (MS)

I. Call to Order, Roll Call and Pledge of Allegiance

II. 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

1. Approval of Closed Session Minutes

III. Approval of the consent agenda:

- A. Minutes of the regular and special December meetings
- B. Financial Report(s) for December, 2025
- C. Direction to pay January vendor bills in the amount of: \$247,647.11
- D. Approval of the December payroll in the amount of: \$402,404.59
- E. Approve the following recommendations for employment: Mark Boccia MS Soccer (\$2265 plus TRS), Ashley Moseley (\$1215 plus TRS)
- F. Approval of the 26-27 Chrome Purchase of: \$44,298.98
- G. Approval of the 2026-27 school calendar, as presented, contingent on ISBE approval

IV. Audience to Persons Scheduled in Advance:

1. STEM Update: Mrs. Chrissy Pickens

V. 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 Pre-Construction Meeting
- 2. School Maintenance Grant Approval
- 3. 14-Passenger Options (26-27) - Information
- 4. Enrollment Report

VI. Old Business

- A. None Noted

VII. New Business

- A. Approval of the Dr. Sean McNichols as Superintendent of Schools, effective July 1st, 2026
- B. Approval of Resolution #12726 regarding the release of closed session minutes

VII. Board Committee Reports:

- A. President's Report – Mr. Markland
- B. Building and Grounds Committee – Mr. Loitz, Mr. Marshalek
- C. Technology Committee – Mrs. Horn, Mr. Wells
 - A. ERATE Update, Technology Purchases
- 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
 - A. February Meeting Date
- K. Student Representatives – Claire Sluis, Kaylie Meherg
- L. Board Communications
- VII. Community Forum—Comments and Questions Regarding Board Actions/Issues
- IX. Anticipated Board action(s):
- X. Adjourn (time adjourned)