

Work Session/Board Retreat

The Issaquah School Board held two special meetings for the purpose of conducting a work session/retreat on September 28 and 29, 2017 from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. on each day. Both sessions were held in the boardroom of the Administration Service Center.

September 28, 2017

President Lisa Callan called the September 28 special meeting of the Issaquah School Board to order at 9:00 a.m. Present with Ms. Callan were Directors Harlan Gallinger, Marnie Maraldo, Anne Moore and Suzanne Weaver. Also present were Superintendent Ron Thiele and other members of the ISD Administration. Ms. Maraldo joined the meeting at approximately 12:00 p.m.

On September 28 from 9:15 a.m. to 9:57 a.m. the Board held an Executive Session pursuant to RCW 42.30.110 to consider real estate matters. This session was attended by Ron Thiele, Superintendent, Emilie Hard, Assistant Superintendent of Teaching and Learning, Jacob Kuper, ISD CFO, Josh Almy, Executive Director of Middle Schools, Steve Crawford, Director of Capital Projects and Denise Stiffarm, Attorney at Law. All Board Directors with the exception of Ms. Maraldo were in attendance for this session. Two extensions were taken during this meeting from 9:30 to 9:43 a.m. and from 9:43 to 9:57 a.m. No Board action was taken.

On September 28, following the Executive Session, agenda items were discussed as follows:

- Discussion on Real Estate
- Dual Language Classrooms
- Healthy Youth Survey/Data-Interventions
- Gibson Ek High School
- SBA Data Review
- Gap Narrowing
- Scorecard
- General Communications Plan Update/Changes

September 29, 2017

President Lisa Callan called the September 29 special meeting of the Issaquah School Board to order at 9:00 a.m. Present with Ms. Callan were Directors Harlan Gallinger, Marnie Maraldo, Anne Moore and Suzanne Weaver. Also present were Superintendent Ron Thiele and other members of the ISD Administration

On September 29 from 1:45 p.m. to 2:25 p.m. the Board held an Executive Session pursuant to RCW 42.30.110(1)(i) regarding potential litigation. Chris Burton, Executive Director of Compliance and Legal Affairs was in attendance. All Board members were also present. No Board action was taken

On September 29 from 2:25 p.m. to 2:45 p.m. the Board held an Executive Session pursuant to RCW 42.30.140 related to collective bargaining issues and negotiations. Present along with all Board members was Chris Burton, Executive Director of Compliance and Legal Affairs. No Board action was taken.

Topics were discussed during the regular portion of the Board Retreat as follows:

- Levy Discussion
- Legislative Plan
- Equity Discussion
- Staffing/Supervision
- Board self-assessment
- 5 year plan discussion