

2016-17 School Board Standing Committees

Finance

Assist the Business Manager and Administration in the review of the District's financial position. Provides guidance in budget management and development, audits, and long range fiscal planning. Committee meets to review the preliminary district budget with district administrators prior to the presentation of the proposed budget to the Board.

Serving on the Financial Committee for 2016-17 school year are:

- Kathy Woolcott, Co-Chair
- Jan Fletcher, Co-Chair
- Michael Wright, Superintendent
- Jodi Stroud, Business Manager

Education/Policy

Primary responsibility of this committee is to meet with the administration and/or others, as needed or required, to review and update policy and review education program. Committee will work with the administration to insure that policies are appropriately disseminated and work with district administration to insure that policies are in place in the school and these policy are current. Other service areas may include Administrative Regulations, Legal Matters, Partnerships and Foundations, Activities Council and Publications/Telecommunications.

Serving on the Education Committee for 2016-17 school year are:

- Jess Tiemeyer, Co-Chair
- Julene Mutchler-McNeal, Co-Chair
- Michael Wright, Superintendent
- Jodi Stroud, Business Manager

Facility

The Facility/City School Committee makes recommendations to the school board regarding short and long-range facility plans for the district and establishes regular meetings with representatives of the City of Earlham and other public entities to discuss common issues. Representatives work within the boundaries of the 28E agreement with the City of Earlham for the development of the shared land.

Serving on the Facility/City & School Committee for 2016-17 school year are:

- Jess Tiemeyer, Co-Chair
- Kasey Henke, Co-Chair
- Michael Wright, Superintendent

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Technology

Provides knowledge, experience and expertise to the District Technology Committee to place priorities on the continued implementation of technology into the daily teaching and learning of the district. Provide Board input and direction for moving forward with technology planning.

Serving on the Technology Committee for 2016-17 school year are:

- Kathy Woolcott, Co-chair
- Kasey Henke, Co-Chair
- Cory Houghton, Technology Director
- Michael Wright, Superintendent

Negotiations-Collective Bargaining

Negotiations with teachers, regularly reports progress to the school board, and makes recommendations to the school board regarding contracts. Provide guidance and direction on wage and benefit negotiations for school personnel, contracted services, sales, etc.

Serving on the Negotiations-Collective Bargaining Committee for 2016-17 school year are:

- Julene Mutchler-McNeal, Co-Chair
- Jan Fletcher, Co-Chair
- Michael Wright, Superintendent
- Jodi Stroud, Business Manager

School Improvement Advisory Committee (SIAC)

Service areas include Curriculum and Instruction, Staff Development, Assessment, School Based Decision Making, School Initiatives/Studies, School Conduct.

With local community input, school districts and accredited nonpublic schools shall incorporate accountability for student achievement into comprehensive school improvement plans designed to increase the learning, achievement, and performance of all students. As applicable, and to the extent possible, comprehensive school improvement plans shall consolidate federal and state program goal setting, planning, and reporting requirements. Provisions for multicultural and gender fair education, technology integration, global education gifted and talented students, at-risk students, students with disabilities, and the professional development of all staff shall be incorporated, as applicable, into the comprehensive school improvement plan.

Serving on the SIAC Committee for 2016-17 school year are:

- Julene Mutchler-McNeal, Co-Chair
- Kasey Henke, Co-Chair
- Michael Wright, Superintendent