

Zionsville Community Schools

Board of School Trustees Meeting “Item for Consideration”

New Business Item • Date: August 10, 2026

Affirmation of ZTEP/ZTEP+ Results from 2025-2026 and 2026-27 Teacher Evaluation Plan (ZMEG)

Category:

☐ Human Resources, Personnel/Staffing	☐ Curriculum, Instruction, Assessment	
☐ Finance, Budgeting, Accounting	☐ Student Services	☐ Board Policy
☐ Facilities, Transportation, Nutrition	☐ Community Relations	☐ Other

Type of Board of Trustees Consideration Sought:

Action	☒
Discussion	☒
Report	☒

Facts of this Matter:

The ZMEG teacher evaluation program is award winning (State Board of Education and INTASS Evaluation Review Protocol) and compliant with state law. Additionally, the local plan has undergone changes each year since the legislation mandating the new protocol was passed in 2011 and implemented in 2011-2012.

The plan results must be shared with the Board of Trustees each year in accordance with law and to enable the district to receive Teacher Appreciation Grant funds from the State of Indiana.

Mrs. Squier and Mrs. Chezem administer the evaluation program for the district and are sharing the results of the 2025-26 year and the new 2026-27 teacher evaluation plan.

Objective POSITIVES related to this item or approach:

The positives are that the ZCS Board of Trustees goes on record with the required report before the statutory deadline.

Objective NEGATIVES related to this item or approach:

None known.

Financial Implications, if any:

We will not know the extent of teacher appreciation grant awards until the state releases information.

Opinion/Recommendation:

Recommend approval.

Suggested Wording for a Motion:

I move to affirm that our ZCS Academic Services leaders have publicly reported completion of all ZMEG evaluative activities, data gathering, finalization for 2025-2026 including results and have shared the new Teacher Evaluation Plan for the 2026-27 school year.