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To: Dr. Robert Schiffbauer, Board of Education
From: Dr. Kathleen Wilkey
Date: November 18, 2026
Subject: November Board Report

Tentative Levy

The tentative levy is in your Board documents. The hearing on the tentative levy will take place at the start of the December board meeting. Please let me know if you have any questions.

Transportation

As we prepare for 2027-28 school year, we are going to go out to bid for a total of twenty buses: two (2) white activity 14 passenger buses, eighteen (18) conventional 77 passenger buses, one (1) midsize 48 passenger, and one (1) trade-in white activity bus. The bid opened on Tuesday, November 17th and will be due at the time of the bid opening Monday, December 7, 2026 at 11am. We will bring a recommendation to the board for approval at the December board meeting.

Quarterly Review of Budgets

This past week, Dr. Pakowski, Mrs. Norman, and I met with each department chair to review the current spending within their department. In addition, we reviewed transportation costs that could be associated with their department (daily shuttles for classes, field trips, etc). This will be an ongoing discussion.