School Improvement Advisory Committee (SIAC) Meeting Minutes for May 2, 2018

The last meeting of the School Improvement Advisory Committee was held on Wednesday, May 2, 2018 at 6:00 pm in the Board Room at the District Office. Those present were: Deb Bowman, Denny Folken, Brian Jaeger, Andrea Janssen, Gretchen Kriegel, Callie Kromminga-Smith, Maddie G. Lambert, Anna Loes, Carrie Manternach, Brent Meier, and Terry Smothers.

Superintendent Jaeger presented on school facilities. He announced that the Board will be voting on May 9, 2018 for a resolution to call for a bond election on September 11, 2018. He also went over the petitions and the required # of signatures and also the implications of the tax rate.

The group reviewed the SIAC recommendations from last school year that were presented to the Board.

Next, the group then reviewed the results of the Needs Assessment Survey that was sent out earlier this year and worked on the recommendations to take to the Board for this year. Those recommendations are:

- 1. Continue progress toward facility upgrades.
- 2. Explore avenues for communication and shared decision making between the district and community.
- 3. Educate the public on education initiatives: standards referenced reporting, positions in the district: TLS, SAM, At-Risk, etc., behavior & academic interventions.

The recommendations will be presented to the Board of Education at their May 9, 2018, Work Session.

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 8:25 pm.