

Minutes for September 5, 2023 Negotiations Meeting (District Team)

Conference Room A at District Offices

Meeting began at 4:00 and ended at 5:21 pm

WEA Team Members Present: Mark Bullis, Molly Oscarson, Karla Hormann, Wendy Grundhofer, Roxanne Kuerschner, Peter Brown, Wayne Trapp

District Team Members Present: Enid Schonewise, Ra Chhoth, Lisa Olson, Dana Geller, Mick Waldspurger

Both WEA and District team meeting minutes from the August 17th meeting were reviewed. WEA reminded the District team that they'd like to review District minutes before they are posted on the website. The District agreed and apologized for the error.

The District presented their response to WEA's first proposal.

WEA asked when Teachers will be brought in to provide feedback about course loads. District said that it would make sense to happen during the budgeting process and/or during listening sessions.

The District presented their proposals.

WEA said that they would like to have discussions about "bumping" on the WEA collective bargaining agreement. District said that once they have an understanding of what WEA is looking for, we can work together on it.

Both teams caucused at 4:33 pm.

WEA asked about seeing a cost analysis regarding costing for Principals and Directors at previous rounds of negotiations.

District said that if they have the requested reports, they will provide them to the WEA. WEA said that they will take whatever the District has. The District explained that they are not required to create new models and reports at this point, but that if they have existing costing information about Principals and Directors from previous negotiations rounds, they will be shared with WEA.

WEA asked about Sick Leave Donations being taxed. The District confirmed that they are taxed.

WEA asked about enrollment numbers. District said that they will have updated numbers after October 1, 2023.

Homework from September 5, 2023 Meeting:

Both teams will share their meeting minutes within 3 business days of the meeting.

Scheduled Meetings:

Tuesday, September 19, 2023: 4:00 - 6:00 pm (or 7:00 pm if both teams agree)

Thursday, September 28, 2023: 4:00 - 6:00 pm (or 7:00 pm if both teams agree)

Tuesday, October 10, 2023: 4:00 - 6:00 pm (or 7:00 pm if both teams agree)