

## ACE Meeting Minutes

*The purpose of the Advisory Council for Education is to provide a systematic representative public involvement in educational decisions under consideration by the Board of Directors.*

**Oct. 3, 2024**  
**6:00-7:30 p.m.**

### **Members Present**

Terrie Bertrand, Nicolas Bleken, Erika Coghill, Kailyn Geist, Mikaela Harrington, Mary Levesque, Anne McAlvey, Alex Pincus, Carson Raz, Gary Sabol, Addy Smith, Chrys Sweeting, Franklin Vincenzi

### **Guests Present**

Brian Lewis, Gina Zeutenhorst, Liz Vincenzi

### **Call to Order**

The meeting was called to order at 6:01 p.m.

### **Approval of minutes**

Anne Pincus made a motion, seconded by Terry Bertrand, to approve the Sept. 12, 2024 meeting minutes. The minutes were approved by voice vote.

### **Overview of the Capital Levy to replace Post Middle School**

Brian Lewis, executive director of operations, and Chrys Sweeting provided ACE members with a presentation explaining the purpose of the capital levy to replace Post.

- The levy only requires a simple majority for passage (50% plus 1) vs. a supermajority for a bond (60%).
- No interest with a levy vs. a bond
- Shorter duration- six years for a levy vs. 20 years for a bond

Gary Sabol showed some videos that explained the need to replace Post.

### **Tour of Post Middle School**

ACE members took a tour of Post Middle School to see the deficiencies in the building.

### **Closing**

The meeting was adjourned at 7:14 p.m.

**Next Meeting- Nov. 14 in the Lincoln Room at the District Office**