

A SPECIAL MEETING OF
THE KENOSHA UNIFIED SCHOOL BOARD
HELD NOVEMBER 29, 2023

A special meeting of the Kenosha Unified School Board was held on Wednesday, November 29, 2023, at 5:30 p.m. in the Auditorium at Reuther Central High School. The purpose of this meeting was for Views and Comments by the Public, Rightsizing Committee Feedback from Initial Scenarios, and Discussion/Possible Action – Presentation of Rightsizing Recommendations.

The meeting was called to order at 5:40 p.m. with the following members present: Mr. Battle, Mr. Meadows, Mrs. Modder, Mrs. Schmaling, Ms. Stevens, Mr. Price, and Ms. Adams. Dr. Weiss was also present.

Ms. Adams, President, opened the meeting by announcing that this was a special meeting of the School Board of the Kenosha Unified School District. Notice of this special meeting was given to the public by forwarding a copy of the notice to all requesting radio stations and newspapers.

Views and comments were made by the public.

Mr. Price made a motion to extend the public views and comments time past 45 minutes. Second by Ms. Stevens. Motion carried unanimously.

Views and comments by the public continued.

Mr. Kris Keckler, Chief Information Officer, presented a powerpoint of the Rightsizing Committee feedback from initial scenarios and the Rightsizing Recommendations, along with Mr. Tarik Hamdan, Chief Financial Officer; Ms. Wendy Tindall, Regional Coordinator of Elementary School Leadership; Ms. Kim Fischer, Regional Coordinator of Secondary School Leadership; Mr. William Haithcock, Chief of School Leadership; Mr. Pat Finnemore, Director of Facilities; and Dr. Weiss, Superintendent.

Board members were given time to ask questions throughout the presentation.

Mr. Meadows made a motion to accept the Elementary recommendation, Middle School recommendation, and Recommendation #1 for the High School scenario. Second by Mrs. Schmaling. Motion failed 5-2.

Motion to Adjourn made by Ms. Stevens. Second by Mr. Price. Motion carried unanimously.

Meeting adjourned at 8:27 p.m.

Denise Ewing
School Board Secretary