



Wayne Regional Educational Service Agency
Board of Education · 33500 Van Born Road · Wayne, Michigan

**Regular Meeting
February 18, 2026**

MINUTES

A. Call to Order

The Regular Meeting of the Wayne County Regional Educational Service Agency Board of Education was called to order by President Mary Blackmon on February 18, 2026, at 8:30 a.m.

B. Roll Call

Members Present: James Beri, Mary Blackmon, Danielle Funderburg, Lynda Jackson, and James Petrie

C. Pledge of Allegiance

D. Approval of Agenda

Member Beri, with support from Member Funderburg, moved to approve the agenda as presented. The motion passed with a voice vote of 5-0.

E. Public Participation – No public comments were made.

F. Introduction of New Staff and Acknowledgement of Promotions/Internal Moves:

- Kelley Williams – Leadership Development Consultant
- Tamaran Dillard – Special Education Consultant
- Carrie Rexroat – Assistant for Internal Operations – IT & Operations

G. President’s Remarks and Board Comments

Member Petrie thanked Dr. Daveda Colbert and Mike Latvis for coordinating transportation and logistics during the recent Washington, D.C. advocacy visit and reflected on discussions with legislators, aides, and fellow board members. He noted the importance of continuing advocacy efforts, maintaining relationships with policymakers, and communicating the Board’s priorities.

Member Petrie also commented on attending the Wayne County State of the County address, highlighting the County Executive’s focus on transit and the aviation initiative involving students across multiple districts. He commended Wayne RESA’s collaborative efforts related to the aviation program and expressed appreciation for the organization’s representation and recognition at the event.

Member Funderburg echoed prior remarks regarding the Wayne County State of the County address and expressed support for the County’s transit initiative, noting its potential to strengthen regional connectivity and economic growth across Wayne County. She noted the importance of improved public transportation to better serve residents and the value of regional cooperation among county leaders.

Member Funderburg also expressed enthusiasm for the aviation and drone initiatives that provide workforce development opportunities for students, noting the benefit of hearing about these efforts from both an educational and business perspective.

Member Beri shared that he also attended the State of the County address and expressed similar positive impressions regarding the event and its priorities. He noted that it was well organized and informative. He further commented on meetings with several legislative candidates for State House and Senate seats in the Downriver area and observed that the upcoming primary election is expected to be competitive. Member Beri also referenced recent engagement with regional business and advocacy organizations as part of ongoing discussions related to the election cycle.

Member Jackson reported on attending the NSBA Advocacy Institute in Washington, D.C., alongside colleagues and staff, and expressed appreciation for the coordination and leadership demonstrated by the Wayne RESA team. She noted that Michigan had strong representation at the event and that the delegation effectively communicated key priorities, including special education advocacy. She stated that the group was well prepared with unified talking points, resulting in meaningful engagement with congressional offices.

Member Jackson also commented on attending the Wayne County State of the County address, describing the County Executive's remarks as informative. She expressed appreciation for the opportunity to engage with regional leaders at the event.

President Blackmon commented on the recent reception associated with the State of the County event, noting that it was well organized and well attended. She observed that the event brought together individuals from diverse communities, backgrounds, and professional sectors, reflecting regional representation. She also noted that participants represented 43 cities and expressed appreciation for the reception's inclusive nature and strong engagement.

President Blackmon expressed appreciation to staff for their efforts to include her in the recent all-staff meeting. She noted that, while technical challenges prevented her from connecting, staff ensured her remarks were delivered, and she thanked everyone for their support.

President Blackmon also shared the following highlights from Wayne County Schools –

- **Dearborn** – Congratulations to the Bryant Middle School Future City Team on bringing home three awards at the Michigan Regions competition. Future City is a project-based learning program in which 6th, 7th, and 8th-grade students imagine, research, design, and build model cities of the future. The Bryant Middle School team received the Best Use of Energy Award from the DTE Energy Foundation, the Herbert W. Link Visionary Award from Link Engineering Company, and the Outstanding Food Packaging Award from The Engineering Society of Detroit.
- **DPSCD** – Congratulations to Myles D., a third grader at Bates Academy, on his acceptance into Mensa, the international high-IQ society. A GATE student with a 3.75 GPA, Myles earned this recognition through his curiosity, hard work, and love of learning.
- **DPSCD** – Congratulations to DPSCD and Ms. Michelle Davis, Principal of the renowned Davis Aerospace High School, who appeared on *The Jennifer Hudson Show* on January 26, highlighting the uniqueness of the school, where students are learning aviation history, exploring aerospace careers, and gaining hands-on experience in flight fundamentals and aircraft systems while preparing for high-demand STEM careers.
- **DPSCD** – Congratulations to Cody High School alumnus Shawn Smith, who served as the lead on-field official for Super Bowl LX. Smith previously served as the alternate referee for Super Bowls LV and LVIII, and the 2026 game marked his first on-field appearance at the Super Bowl.

- **Flat Rock** – Congratulations to students in the Flat Rock welding program for earning bronze, silver, and gold at the first-ever Pipefitters Welding Competition held in February.
- **Northville** – Congratulations to the Northville High School Orchestra on becoming the first orchestra to perform before a Red Wings game at Little Caesars Arena (LCA) on January 8. Staff members were so impressed with the students that they invited them to perform at a Tigers game at Comerica Park this spring/summer.

H. Communications – No communications were submitted to the Board.

I. Special Presentation

- 1. Communications Campaigns that Count** - Dana Chicklas, Senior Executive Director of Communications, Public Relations & Marketing; Jordan Ewert, Website & Graphic Design Coordinator; and Chris Slat, Videographer & Multimedia Consultant, highlighted five priority communication efforts supporting Wayne RESA initiatives: the Aviation and Aeronautics CTE Program, PreK for All/Great Start Readiness Program (GSRP), Good Attendance (“In Class Is Where It’s At”), Podcasts/Branding/ADA Compliance, and the Orange Frog Happiness Advantage. The team shared how video storytelling and targeted marketing are used to elevate student voice, demonstrate program impact to funders and decision-makers, and increase public awareness and engagement. Examples included aviation program videos featured at the 2026 State of the County Address and instructional videos supporting Summer Lit Lab implementation for educators.

The presentation also highlighted measurable outcomes across campaigns, including countywide growth in PreK enrollment and classrooms through sustained marketing and multilingual outreach, reductions in chronic absenteeism among students experiencing homelessness through the tri-county attendance campaign, and increased identification of students eligible for McKinney-Vento supports. Internally, the team reported expanded accessibility of Wayne RESA podcasts, implementation of branded Canva templates for staff, improvements to ADA compliance on public-facing websites, and ongoing storytelling aligned to the Orange Frog Happiness Advantage to support organizational culture and staff engagement.

J. Superintendent’s Report

Senior Executive Director of Legislative Affairs, Mike Latvis

Mr. Latvis provided updates on federal and state policies impacting K–12 education and Wayne RESA.

- At the federal level, the U.S. Department of Education has been funded through the end of the current fiscal year. Guidance is pending from the U.S. Department of the Treasury and the U.S. Department of Education regarding a new federal tax credit program, which functions as a voucher program; Michigan has not yet indicated whether it will opt in or out. Mr. Latvis reported that several states have opted in, while Michigan is awaiting guidance. He also reported that anticipated Medicaid policy changes are projected to increase state costs by nearly \$4 billion through 2032, with phased implementation beginning in 2027–2029 for Medicaid, SNAP eligibility, and provider tax changes. While student services in schools would continue, Medicaid reimbursement to districts could be impacted by future state policy decisions.
- At the state level, the Governor’s Executive Budget includes a 2.5% foundation allowance increase (\$10,050 to \$10,300 per pupil), approximately \$600+ million in transfers out of the School Aid Fund (including transfers to higher education and the General Fund), and increases for literacy, PreK for All/GSRP, At-Risk and English Learner funding (6% increase), special education, and continued one-time and ongoing funding for school safety and mental health. The

budget also maintains universal school meals and includes a 2.5% increase in Section 81 ISD operations funding. Mr. Latvis reported that Section 31aa school safety boilerplate language remains in the proposed budget; approximately one-third of districts have opted into the grant requirements, and related litigation is currently before the Michigan Court of Appeals.

Deputy Superintendent of Administrative Services, Kelly Bohl

Ms. Bohl reported on results from the recent all-staff meeting survey administered with support from the internal evaluation and assessment team. The survey was developed with internal researchers to ensure appropriate question design and anonymity. Results indicated that approximately 75% of respondents prefer continuing all-staff meetings in a virtual format, and more than 90% reported satisfaction with the meetings and a sense of connection with colleagues. Survey comments were summarized and reflected positive feedback regarding opportunities for connection and engagement. Staff participated in a music-based engagement activity, resulting in the creation of a Wayne RESA playlist, which has been published on Spotify and Apple Music and shared with staff through internal communications.

Assistant Superintendent of Financial Services, Drew McMechan

Mr. McMechan presented the proposed 2025–2026 budget amendment for the General Fund, Act 18, Special Education Operating, Medicaid, Cooperative, and Capital Projects Funds. He noted that the amended budgets reflect updated information following the late adoption of the state budget and include comparison reports showing changes from the original budget and audited actual results from the prior fiscal year. Updates reflect revised state and local revenue assumptions, adjustments to operating costs, and planned transfers to support facility and program-related improvements. It was also reported that fund balances are being intentionally managed to support one-time investments and planned capital and program needs. He noted updates to Special Education-related funds for program operations and reimbursements to districts, adjustments within the Cooperative Fund to support system and product enhancements, and continued planning and budgeting for capital projects, including the Wayne RESA Early Childhood Center and the Annex project.

Superintendent Dr. Daveda Colbert

Dr. Colbert shared:

- Wayne RESA remains energized and deeply encouraged by the remarkable progress taking place across Wayne County, within our schools and districts, and throughout our organization. The momentum is real, and the impact is measurable. At the heart of our efforts is an unwavering commitment to improving outcomes for every student, every child, and every adult, every team member, who serves within our system and across the county. We believe wholeheartedly that the sky is not the limit, it is merely the beginning. The possibilities before us are expansive, as we speak to, strategize, and create systems for early childhood, supports for students with individual education plans, literacy, math, and career technical education, and more.
- Continued partnerships with the Chief of Jails and his team and Wayne County Community College District on the GED program offerings, the Wayne County Executive's Office on a variety of projects, SEMCA on workforce development initiatives, and other partnerships emphasize that the responsibility of our work is continuous and enduring.
- RESA's commitment to equitable funding remains steadfast. Equity is not aspirational; it is essential. RESA will continue to advocate vigorously to ensure that every district, every school, and every learner in the county has access to the resources necessary to thrive.
- RESA's bold and inclusive vision was recently affirmed during Wayne County Executive Warren Evans' State of the County Address, where he highlighted RESA's leadership and coordination in

advancing the Aviation, Aeronautics, and Aerospace Initiative. This transformative work, leveraging collaboration with City Airport, Grosse Ile Airport, and Willow Run Airport, creates unprecedented opportunities for Wayne County students. Currently, 11 districts are participating in the initiative, with additional districts exploring pathways in drone technology, flight training, and maintenance certification, among others. This initiative exemplifies innovation, access, and collaboration at its finest.

- This work isn't the only focus of RESA's partnership with the County Executive's Office; appreciation was expressed for the literacy, mathematics, and mental health funding support provided over the past two years.
- RESA's mission, *Leading Learning for All*, continues to guide every endeavor. This commitment continues to be reflected in RESA's participation at the Wayne County Association of School Boards (WCASB) General Membership Meeting on Thursday, February 26, 2026, at 5:45 p.m. in the Boyd Arthur Auditorium at Wayne RESA. During this meeting, leadership will provide legislative updates, share guidance and resources supporting student rights and enforcement, present Wayne County data and the Literacy Promise, and further outline the Aviation, Aeronautics, and Aerospace Initiative.
- RESA continues to support districts with timely resources, recognizing the 100th anniversary of Black History Month, National School Counselors Week, Public School Awareness Week, and Ramadan 2026 considerations.
- Additionally, RESA is working closely with districts to prepare for the newly enacted cell phone usage requirements for schools, ensuring thoughtful implementation that supports learning and students' well-being.
- RESA's advocacy efforts remain bold, strategic, and responsive through leadership and collaboration with the National School Boards Association, the Michigan Association of School Boards, and the Wayne County Association of School Boards. Coordinated talking points, legislative engagement, and congressional outreach continue, as demonstrated by the February trip to Washington, D.C., for the NSBA Advocacy and Equity Symposium.
- As part of RESA's ongoing advocacy efforts, the organization is persistently urging the State Superintendent to approve district requests for additional forgiveness days necessitated by inclement weather and conditions beyond local control for the 2025–26 school year. RESA is also advocating for reconsideration of the 21F virtual day allowances under similar circumstances, along with flexibility regarding testing conditions and related support.
- Looking ahead, we are reminded that March is Reading Month, a time to reaffirm the collective commitment to literacy. RESA encourages every district and school community to celebrate and elevate literacy efforts, reinforcing the foundational role reading plays in lifelong success.
- In closing, RESA shares continued thoughts and prayers for the families, loved ones, friends, and colleagues of Anna Bossidis and Erika Hunter.
- RESA also acknowledges the service, leadership, commitment, and support of Kurt Rheume as he prepares for his upcoming retirement.
- During both celebration and challenge, RESA remains united as one educational community, steadfast in purpose, compassionate in spirit, and unwavering in our dedication to the students, families, educators, and communities across the 43 communities that we serve.

K. Approval of Consent Agenda

Member Petrie, with support from Member Funderburg, moved to approve the Consent Agenda, as presented.

Items include approval of:

1. Superintendent’s Recommendations
2. Minutes from January 14, 2026, Regular Board Meeting
3. Minutes from January 14, 2026, Study Session
4. January WRESA Check Register
5. Outstanding Investments, Revenues & Expenditures
6. Pre and Post Travel – February

The motion passed with a voice vote of 5-0.

172-25-26

The Board approved the following internal applicant(s) for the position(s):

- Carrie Rexroat, Assistant for Internal Operations (AIO) – IT & Operations, effective February 10, 2026.

173-25-26

The Board approved the following external applicant(s) for the position(s):

- Kelley Williams, Leadership Development Consultant, effective January 21, 2026
- Arber Ahmeti, Part-time IT Technician Internship, effective February 9, 2026
- Stephanie Gray, Administrative Assistant, effective February 23, 2026
- Verna Martin, School Nurse Consultant, effective February 26, 2026
- Kelly Gerlinger, Early Childhood Consultant, effective March 9, 2026

174-25-26

The Board approved the following leave(s):

- Nick Mulka, Building Operations Assistant, Family/Medical Leave, effective February 6, 2026
- Dr. Angela Jack, Director of Continuous Improvement, Family/Medical Leave, effective February 18, 2026

175-25-26

The Board approved the following return from leave(s):

- Cherron Ramsey, Mathematics Consultant, Family/Medical Leave, effective January 20, 2026

176-25-26

The Board approved a regular administrative employment contract(s) after successful completion of a one-year probationary contract for:

- Adrienne Kubicki, Director of Special Education and Early Intervention Services, effective March 3, 2026

177-25-26

The Board approved the appointment of the following representative(s) to the Wayne County Parent Advisory Committee (WCPAC) for a three-year term. This is effective from February 1, 2026 through February 1, 2029.

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178-25-26

The Board approved the following actual and necessary expenses incurred by Wayne RESA Board members in discharging their official duties and in performing functions as authorized by the Board, January 1, 2026 – January 31, 2026:

Mary Blackmon	\$110.36	Lynda Jackson	\$ 32.63
Danielle Funderburg	\$ 44.74	James Petrie	\$245.00

179-25-26

The Board authorized payment to the following Districts and Public School Academies (PSAs) for 31n(6) Mental Health Supports for General Education Students in the amounts indicated, for a total amount not to exceed \$5,230,000 for the period October 1, 2025 through September 30, 2028.

Districts and PSAs	Amount
Crestwood School District	\$150,000
Dearborn City School District	\$600,000
Detroit Community Schools	\$85,000
Garden City Public Schools	\$600,000
George Washington Carver Academy	\$85,000
Lincoln Park, School District of the City of	\$90,000
Melvindale-Northern Allen Park Schools	\$325,000
Northville Public Schools	\$600,000
Old Redford Academy	\$85,000
River Rouge, School District of the City of	\$600,000
Riverview Community School District	\$515,000
South Redford School District	\$345,000
Southgate Community School District	\$145,000
Summit Academy North	\$85,000
Trillium Academy	\$100,000
Woodhaven-Brownstown School District	\$255,000
Wyandotte, School District of the City of	\$565,000
Total:	\$5,230,000

180-25-26

The Board authorized payment to the following Educational Entities for 61b State Aid funded activities related to Early Middle College (EMC) and Dual Enrollment state approved Career and Technical Education (CTE) programs in the amounts indicated, for a total amount not to exceed \$106,053.96 for the period July 1, 2025 through June 30, 2026.

Intermediate School District/District	Amount
Advanced Technology Academy	\$21,081.11
Gibraltar School District	\$2,714.67
Grosse Ile Township Schools	\$7,555.11
Livonia Public Schools School District	\$9,284.62
Riverview Community School District	\$11,075.63
Southgate Community School District	\$15,241.46
Trenton Public Schools	\$27,602.57
Woodhaven-Brownstown School District	\$11,498.79
Total:	\$106,053.96

181-25-26

The Board authorized a payment using carryover funds to Martin Luther King Jr Education Center Academy, a Wayne RESA community-based organization (CBO), for 2024-2025 operations of a Great Start Readiness Program (GSRP) an amount not to exceed \$46,932 for the period October 1, 2025 through September 30, 2026.

182-25-26

The Board authorized administration to enter into an agreement with Barton Malow, Southfield, MI for the Wayne RESA's (WRESA) Annex conference center renovation project in the amount not to exceed \$9,176,430 which includes \$7,204,294 for construction trades, 15% contingency plus \$60,000 for the main stairway enclosure for a total contingency of \$1,40,644; \$102,068 for architectural and civil design, and \$729,424 for CM labor costs, general liability insurance and fees.

183-25-26

The Board authorized administration to enter into an agreement with Barton Malow, Southfield, MI for the elevator modernization project at Wayne RESA's (WRESA) Annex building in the amount not to exceed \$231,063, which includes \$194,855 for construction trades, 15% contingency of \$29,228 and \$6,980 for CM General Liability Insurance and Fees.

184-25-26

The Board authorized administration to enter into an agreement with Barton Malow, Southfield, MI for the roofing project at Wayne RESA's (WRESA) Annex building in the amount not to exceed \$1,743,040 which includes \$1,469,900 for construction trades, 15% contingency in the amount of \$220,485 and \$52,655 for CM General Liability Insurance and Fees.

185-25-26

The Board authorized administration to execute a contract with Brunoco Plumbing, LLC, of Romulus, MI for plumbing services at Wayne RESA's (WRESA) Education Center, Burger Baylor, and the Annex building in the amount not to exceed \$100,000 for the period of February 18, 2026 through June 30, 2026.

186-25-26

The Board authorized administration to execute a contract renewal option year two (2) with DOMA Technologies, Inc. for Software Licenses, support, conversion, and implementation of a document storage solution in an amount not to exceed \$210,000 for the period February 1, 2026, through January 31, 2027.

187-25-26

The Board authorized administration to enter into agreements with the following districts participating in Michigan Statewide System of Support (SSoS) as identified Comprehensive Support and Improvement Schools (CSI) for various requests of services outlined within each district's Service Plan in the amounts indicated, for a total amount not to exceed \$7,880,555 for the period October 1, 2025 through September 30, 2026.

Districts	Amount
Academy for Business and Technology	\$218,464
American International Academy	\$195,350
Barack Obama Leadership Academy	\$343,288
Detroit Academy of Arts and Sciences	\$231,500
Detroit Community Schools	\$141,050
Detroit Leadership Academy	\$330,586

Detroit Public Safety Academy	\$181,785
Detroit Public Schools Community District	\$1,367,630
Detroit Service Learning Academy	\$247,600
Ecorse Public Schools	\$100,000
Flat Rock Community Schools	\$222,847
George Washington Carver Academy	\$289,853
Hamtramck, School District of the City of	\$240,988
Harper Woods, The School District of the City of	\$187,466
Highland Park Public School Academy System	\$146,252
Hope Academy	\$263,168
Inkster Preparatory Academy	\$200,000
Joy Preparatory Academy	\$194,866
Old Redford Academy	\$389,644
Pathways Academy	\$65,000
Plymouth-Canton Community Schools	\$328,708
River Rouge, School District of the City of	\$455,633
Romulus Community Schools	\$160,000
South Redford School District	\$172,742
Southgate Community School District	\$168,955
Taylor School District	\$533,771
University Preparatory Art & Design	\$45,864
W-A-Y Academy	\$173,027
WAY Michigan	\$192,348
Westfield Charter Academy	\$61,400
Wayne-Westland Community School District	\$30,770
Total:	\$7,880,555

188-25-26

The Board authorized administration to enter into an agreement with Laura Wolf to provide support for the Michigan Department of Education under the terms of the MDE-WRESA ISD Collaboration Grant in the amount of \$65,000 for the period of October 1, 2025, through September 30, 2026.

189-25-26

The Board authorized an amendment to Board Recommendation #311-24-25 to increase the total amount from \$160,000 to \$210,000 for the period March 1, 2026 through June 30, 2026.

190-25-26

The Board authorized an amendment to Board Recommendation #321-24-25 to increase allocations to the following Districts and Public School Academies (PSAs) for engaging in Math Coaching Educator on Loan Initiative in the amounts indicated, for a total amount not to exceed \$1,430,000 for the period July 1, 2025 through June 30, 2026.

District / PSA	Original Amount	Amended Amount
Allen Park Public Schools	\$50,000	\$55,000
Crestwood School District	\$50,000	\$55,000
Dearborn Heights School District #7	\$50,000	\$55,000

Ecorse Public Schools	\$50,000	\$55,000
Flat Rock Community Schools	\$50,000	\$55,000
Garden City Public Schools	\$50,000	\$55,000
Grosse Ile Township Schools	\$50,000	\$55,000
Grosse Pointe Public Schools	\$50,000	\$55,000
Huron School District	\$50,000	\$55,000
Livonia Public Schools School District	\$50,000	\$55,000
Melvindale-North Allen Park Schools	\$50,000	\$55,000
Northville Public Schools	\$50,000	\$55,000
Plymouth-Canton Community Schools	\$50,000	\$55,000
Redford Union Schools, District No. 1	\$50,000	\$55,000
Riverview Community School District	\$50,000	\$55,000
Romulus Community Schools	\$50,000	\$55,000
School District of the City of Hamtramck	\$50,000	\$55,000
School District of the City of Lincoln Park	\$50,000	\$55,000
School District of the City of River Rouge	\$50,000	\$55,000
Southgate Community School District	\$50,000	\$55,000
Summit Academy North	\$50,000	\$55,000
Taylor School District	\$50,000	\$55,000
The School District of the City of Harper Woods	\$50,000	\$55,000
Trenton Public Schools	\$50,000	\$55,000
Wayne-Westland Community School District	\$50,000	\$55,000
Westwood Community School District	\$50,000	\$55,000
Total:	\$1,300,000	\$1,430,000

191-25-26

The Board authorized an amendment to Board Recommendation #327-24-25 to increase funds allocated to PresenceLearning, Inc. from \$300,000 to \$500,000 for the period September 1, 2025 through August 31, 2026.

192-25-26

The Board authorized an amendment to Board Recommendation #118-25-26 to amend the allocations for the following districts for Region 10 grant activities identified and approved under Section 107 of the State Aid Act from the Michigan Department of Labor and Economic Opportunity in the amounts indicated, for a total amount not to exceed \$11,915,728 for the period July 1, 2025 through June 30, 2026.

Districts	Original Amount	Amended Amount
Birmingham Public Schools	\$151,828	\$153,255
Chippewa Valley Schools	\$181,896	\$183,749
Dearborn City School District	\$2,009,299	\$2,028,787
Detroit Public Schools Community District	\$938,304	\$947,629
Farmington Public School District	\$200,517	\$202,429
Ferndale Public Schools	\$592,278	\$598,241
Hamtramck, School District of the City of	\$539,121	\$544,323
Huron Valley Schools	\$201,882	\$203,929
Lake Shore Public Schools (Macomb)	\$271,932	\$274,782

L'Anse Creuse Public Schools	\$442,783	\$446,510
Livonia Public Schools School District	\$386,706	\$390,538
Novi Community School District	\$549,892	\$555,199
Plymouth-Canton Community Schools	\$387,385	\$391,112
Pontiac City School District	\$124,923	\$126,345
Rochester Community School District	\$492,435	\$497,184
Romulus Community Schools	\$561,327	\$567,100
School District of the City of Royal Oak	\$321,843	\$325,056
Southgate Community School District	\$771,830	\$779,538
Troy School District	\$841,626	\$848,995
Utica Community Schools	\$848,531	\$856,740
Walled Lake Consolidated Schools	\$220,718	\$222,826
Warren Woods Public Schools	\$297,291	\$300,265
Wayne RESA	\$417,050	\$305,316
West Bloomfield School District	\$164,331	\$165,880
Total:	\$11,915,728	\$11,915,728

193-25-26

The Board authorized an amendment to Board Recommendation #119-25-26 to amend the allocations for the following districts for Region 10 grant activities identified and approved under Section 107 of the State Aid Act from the Michigan Department of Labor and Economic Opportunity in the amounts indicated, for a total amount not to exceed \$2,938,805 for the period July 1, 2025 through June 30, 2026.

Districts	Original Amount	Amended Amount
Birmingham Public Schools	\$41,822	\$40,394
Chippewa Valley Schools	\$50,160	\$48,307
Dearborn City School District	\$534,905	\$515,417
Detroit Public Schools Community District	\$250,887	\$241,562
Farmington Public School District	\$55,044	\$53,132
Ferndale Public Schools	\$159,088	\$153,126
Hamtramck, School District of the City of	\$144,874	\$139,672
Huron Valley Schools	\$55,462	\$53,415
Lake Shore Public Schools (Macomb)	\$74,102	\$71,252
L'Anse Creuse Public Schools	\$98,074	\$94,347
Livonia Public Schools School District	\$104,190	\$100,358
Novi Community School District	\$147,732	\$142,425
Plymouth-Canton Community Schools	\$104,619	\$100,891
Pontiac City School District	\$35,102	\$33,680
Rochester Community School District	\$132,489	\$127,741
Romulus Community Schools	\$150,628	\$144,855
School District of the City of Royal Oak	\$87,287	\$84,075
Southgate Community School District	\$206,722	\$199,014
Troy School District	\$204,078	\$196,708
Utica Community Schools	\$226,959	\$218,750
Walled Lake Consolidated Schools	\$60,403	\$58,295

Warren Woods Public Schools	\$80,774	\$77,799
West Bloomfield School District	\$45,139	\$43,590
Total:	\$3,050,540	\$2,938,805

194-25-26

The Board authorized an amendment to Board Recommendation #123-25-26 to increase the Positive Behavioral Intervention and Supports (PBIS) activity funds allocated to the following Local Educational Agencies (LEAs) in the amounts indicated, for a total amount not to exceed \$38,900 for the period July 1, 2025 through June 30, 2026

LEA	Original Amount	Amended Amount
Trenton Public Schools	\$8,900	\$10,400
Van Buren Public Schools	\$22,900	\$27,900
Total:	\$31,800	\$38,900

195-25-26

The Board authorized an amendment to Board Recommendation #168-25-26 to amend the following local education agencies (LEA), public school academies (PSA) and community-based organizations (CBO) transportation allocations for the Great Start Readiness Program (GSRP) in the amounts indicated, for a total amount not to exceed \$5,676,000 for the period October 1, 2025 through September 30, 2026.

Subrecipient	Legal Vendor Name	Original Amount	Amended Amount
Above & Beyond Learning Child Care Center GSRP	ABOVE & BEYOND LEARNING CHILD CARE CENTER INC GSRP	\$64,000	\$64,000
Academy for Business and Technology	ACADEMY FOR BUSINESS AND TECHNOLOGY	\$183,000	\$183,000
Al-Wali Child Care Center	AL- WALI CHILD CARE CENTER	\$61,000	\$61,000
ALL B Home Daycare	ALL B HOME DAYCARE	\$30,000	\$30,000
Angel Land Child care & Parent Institute	ANGEL LAND CHILD CARE & PARENT INSTITUTE	\$20,000	\$20,000
Arab American Children Center	ARAB-AMERICAN CHILDREN CENTER INC	\$144,000	\$144,000
Bambi Land Learning Center	BAMBI LAND LEARNING CENTER	\$96,000	\$96,000
Blessed Beginnings Learning Center	BLESSED BEGINNINGS LEARNING CENTER	\$85,000	\$85,000
Brainiacs Clubhouse Child Development Center	BRAINIACS CLUBHOUSE CDC	\$65,000	\$65,000
Bright Star Learning Center LLC A&W Day Care Center	BRIGHT STAR LEARNING CENTER LLC A&W DAY CARE CENTER	\$79,000	\$79,000
Caring Hands Childcare Academy	CARING HANDS CHILDCARE ACADEMY	\$20,000	\$20,000
Chapel Hill Early Childhood Education	CHAPEL HILL EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION	\$6,000	\$6,000
Child Star Development Center	CHILD STAR DEVELOPMENT CENTER	\$40,000	\$40,000

Children First Learning Center	CHILDREN FIRST LEARNING CENTER	\$40,000	\$40,000
Children's Garden LLC	CHILDREN'S GARDEN LLC	\$120,000	\$120,000
Childrens Paradise Learning Center Inc.	CHILDRENS PARADISE LEARNING CENTER INC.	\$160,000	\$160,000
Children'z Place 2	CHILDREN'Z PLACE 2	\$58,000	\$58,000
Christios Child Care & Academy	CHRISTIOS CHILD CARE & ACADEMY	\$50,000	\$50,000
Commonwealth Community Development Academy	COMMONWEALTH COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT ACADEMY	\$35,000	\$35,000
Cross Bridge Action Network	CROSSBRIDGE ACTION NETWORK	\$22,000	\$22,000
Detroit Community Schools	DETROIT COMMUNITY SCHOOLS, A PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY	\$20,000	\$20,000
Detroit Edison Public School Academy	DETROIT EDISON PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY	\$90,000	\$90,000
Detroit Leadership Academy	DETROIT LEADERSHIP ACADEMY	\$30,000	\$30,000
Detroit Public Schools Community District	DETROIT PS COMMUNITY DISTRICT	\$880,000	\$880,000
Detroit Service Learning Academy	DETROIT SERVICE LEARNING ACADEMY	\$30,000	\$30,000
Development Centers INC	DEVELOPMENT CENTERS	\$5,000	\$5,000
DK's Childcare and Academy	DK'S CHILDCARE AND ACADEMY	\$60,000	\$60,000
Dreamy Childrens Center	DREAMY CHILDREN'S CENTER	\$125,000	\$125,000
Dreamy DayCare 2, LLC	DREAMY DAYCARE 2 LLC	\$115,000	\$115,000
Ecorse Public Schools	ECORSE PUBLIC SCHOOLS	\$195,000	\$195,000
Education Consulting Solutions It Takes a Village Academy	EDUCATION CONSULTING SOLUTIONS/IT TAKES A VILLAGE	\$186,000	\$186,000
For Kids Sake	FOR KIDS SAKE	\$10,000	\$10,000
Garden City Public Schools	GARDEN CITY PUBLIC SCHOOLS	\$92,000	\$92,000
George Washington Carver Academy	GEORGE WASHINGTON CARVER ACADEMY	\$75,000	\$75,000
Greater Ebenezer Miss BPT Church Childcare Greater Ebenezer Christian Child Care Center & KIN	GREATER EBENEZER MISS BPT CHURCH CHILDCARE GREATER EBENEZER CHRISTIAN CHILD CARE CENTER & KIN	\$23,000	\$23,000
Growing Minds Learning Center INC	GROWING MINDS LEARNING CENTER INC	\$180,000	\$180,000
Hamtramck, School District of the City of	HAMTRAMCK PUBLIC SCHOOLS	\$54,000	\$54,000

Hanley International Academy	HANLEY INTERNATIONAL ACADEMY	\$15,000	\$15,000
Jade Child Development Center, INC	JADE CHILD DEVELOPMENT CENTER, INC	\$80,000	\$80,000
Joy Preparatory Academy	JOY PREPARATORY ACADEMY	\$75,000	\$75,000
Jude Family Childcare Learning CTR	JUDE FAMILY CHILDCARE LEARNING CENTER	\$20,000	\$20,000
Kids' Avenue Christian Learning Center	KIDS' AVENUE CHRISTIAN LEARNING CENTER	\$50,000	\$50,000
Kiddie Kingdom	KIDDIE KINGDOM	\$56,000	\$56,000
Kiddos Village Academy	KIDDOS VILLAGE ACADEMY	\$100,000	\$100,000
Kid's Purpose Daycare LLC	KIDS PURPOSE DAYCARE LLC	\$55,000	\$55,000
Kingdom Kare Learning Center	KINGDOM KARE LEARNING CENTER	\$11,000	\$11,000
Kristy's Early Childhood Development CTR	KRISTY'S EARLY CHILDHOOD DEVELOPMENT CENTER	\$63,000	\$63,000
LACC Child Care Academy INC	L.A.C.C. CHILDCARE ACADEMY, INC.	\$45,000	\$45,000
Learning Links Academy	LEARNING LINKS ACADEMY	\$9,000	\$9,000
Little Scholars Day Care Center	LITTLE SCHOLARS DAYCARE CENTER	\$130,000	\$130,000
Livonia Public Schools School District	LIVONIA PUBLIC SCHOOLS SCHOOL DISTRICT	\$100,000	\$100,000
Lovin' Touch Learning Center	LOVIN' TOUCH LEARNING CENTER	\$12,000	\$12,000
Martin Luther King Jr Education Center Academy	MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR. EDUCATION CENTER ACADEMY	\$55,000	\$55,000
IndividualME Early Learning Academy LLC	INDIVIDUALME EARLY LEARNING ACADEMY, LLC	\$45,000	\$45,000
Nene's Little Angel's Daycare LLC	NENE'S LITTLE ANGELS DAYCARE LLC	\$65,000	\$65,000
New Greater Bethel Temple We Care Child Development Center	NEW GREATER BETHELEM TEMPLE WE CARE CHILD DEVELOPM	\$53,000	\$53,000
New Paradigm College Prep	NEW PARADIGM COLLEGE PREP ACADEMY	\$90,000	\$90,000
New Paradigm Glazer-Loving Academy	NEW PARADIGM GLAZER-LOVING ACADEMY	\$60,000	\$60,000
Oakman Child Care & Development	OAKMAN CHILD CARE & DEVELOPMENT, LLC	\$150,000	\$150,000
Quality Child Care & Learning Center	QUALITY CHILD CARE & LEARNING CENTER	\$50,000	\$50,000

Redford Union Schools, District No. 1	REDFORD UNION SCHOOLS, DISTRICT #1	\$35,000	\$35,000
Rhemas Child Care Center	RHEMAS CHILD CARE CENTER	\$25,000	\$25,000
River Rouge, School District of the City of	RIVER ROUGE SCHOOL DISTRICT	\$100,000	\$100,000
Smart Start Learning Center	SMART START LEARNING CENTER	\$30,000	\$30,000
Someplace Else Learning Factory LLC	SOMEPLACE ELSE LEARNING FACTORY LLC	\$45,000	\$57,000
Southgate Community School District	SOUTHGATE COMMUNITY SCHOOL DISTRICT	\$150,000	\$150,000
Spreading Light Ministry	SPREADING SERVICES LTD.	\$30,000	\$30,000
St Paul Child Development Center	ST PAUL CHILD DEVELOPMENT CENTER	\$28,000	\$28,000
Sunrise Education Center	SUNRISE EDUCATION CENTER	\$14,000	\$14,000
Sweet Peas Early Childhood Center Inc	SWEET PEAS EARLY CHILDHOOD CENTER INC	\$60,000	\$60,000
University Yes Academy	UNIVERSITY YES ACADEMY	\$90,000	\$90,000
Van Buren Public Schools	VAN BUREN PUBLIC SCHOOLS	\$70,000	\$70,000
Village of Shiny Stars Child Care Center	VILLAGE OF SHINY STARS CHILD CARE CENTER	\$50,000	\$50,000
Total:		\$5,664,000	\$5,676,000

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The Board authorized an amendment to Board Recommendation #169-25-26 to amend the following local education agencies (LEAs), public school academies (PSAs), and community-based organizations (CBOs) for operating Great Start Readiness Programs (GSRP) in the amounts indicated, for a total amount not to exceed \$124,379,053 for the period October 1, 2025 through September 30, 2026.

Subrecipient Name	Legal Vendor Name	Original Amount	Amended Amount
Above & Beyond Learning Child Care Center GSRP	ABOVE & BEYOND LEARNING CHILD CARE CENTER INC GSRP	\$220,838	\$220,838
Academy for Business and Technology	ACADEMY FOR BUSINESS AND TECHNOLOGY	\$588,902	\$588,902
Advanced Technology Academy	ADVANCED TECHNOLOGY ACADEMY	\$220,838	\$220,838
Agape Love Child Care Center, LLC	AGAPE LOVE CHILD CARE CENTER, LLC	\$163,584	\$163,584
Al Hadi Child Care Center INC	AL HADI CHILD CARE CENTER INC	\$368,064	\$368,064
ALL B Home Daycare	ALL B HOME DAYCARE	\$245,376	\$245,376
Al-Wali Child Care Center	AL- WALI CHILD CARE CENTER	\$184,032	\$184,032

Alawie Educational Service	ALAWIE EDUCATIONAL SERVICES	\$736,128	\$736,128
Allen Park Public Schools	ALLEN PARK PUBLIC SCHOOLS	\$981,504	\$981,504
American International Academy	AMERICAN INTERNATIONAL ACADEMY	\$552,096	\$552,096
American Montessori Academy	AMERICAN MONTESSORI ACADEMY	\$588,902	\$588,902
Angel Land Child Care & Parent Institute	ANGEL LAND CHILD CARE & PARENT INSTITUTE	\$163,584	\$163,584
Arab American Children Center	ARAB-AMERICAN CHILDREN CENTER INC	\$748,397	\$748,397
Bambi Land Learning Center	BAMBI LAND LEARNING CENTER	\$1,496,794	\$1,496,794
Blessed Beginnings Learning Center	BLESSED BEGINNINGS LEARNING CENTER	\$490,752	\$490,752
Blossom Learning Center LLC	BLOSSOM LEARNING CENTER LLC	\$654,336	\$654,336
Brainiacs Clubhouse CDC	BRAINIACS CLUBHOUSE CDC	\$196,301	\$196,301
Bridge Academy	BRIDGE ACADEMY	\$654,336	\$654,336
Bright Beginnings Montessori Child Development Center	BRIGHT BEGINNINGS MONTESSORI-MONTESSORI CHILD DEVE	\$736,128	\$736,128
Bright Star Learning Center LLC A&W Day Care Center	BRIGHT STAR LEARNING CENTER LLC A&W DAY CARE CENTER	\$654,336	\$654,336
Busy Minds Child Care Center, INC.	BUSY MINDS CHILD CARE CENTER, INC.	\$196,301	\$196,301
Caniff Liberty Academy	CANIFF LIBERTY ACADEMY	\$163,584	\$163,584
Caring Hands Childcare Academy	CARING HANDS CHILDCARE ACADEMY	\$196,301	\$196,301
Chandler Park Academy	CHANDLER PARK ACADEMY SCHOOL DISTRICT	\$817,920	\$817,920
Chapel Hill Early Childhood Education	CHAPEL HILL EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION	\$220,838	\$220,838
Child Star Development Center	CHILD STAR DEVELOPMENT CENTER	\$637,978	\$637,978
Children First Learning Center	CHILDREN FIRST LEARNING CENTER	\$163,584	\$163,584
Children of the Rising Sun Empowerment Center	CHILDREN OF THE RISING SUN EMPOWERMENT CENTER	\$163,584	\$163,584

Childrens Garden II LLC	CHILDRENS GARDEN II LLC	\$220,838	\$220,838
Children's Garden LLC	CHILDREN'S GARDEN LLC	\$932,429	\$932,429
Childrens Paradise Learning Center Inc.	CHILDRENS PARADISE LEARNING CENTER INC.	\$1,226,880	\$1,226,880
Children'z Place 2	CHILDREN'Z PLACE 2	\$220,838	\$220,838
Childtime Childcare, Inc.	CHILDTIME CHILDCARE, INC	\$2,625,523	\$2,625,523
Christios Child Care & Academy	CHRISTIOS CHILD CARE & ACADEMY	\$368,064	\$368,064
Commonwealth Community Development Academy	COMMONWEALTH COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT ACADEMY	\$163,584	\$163,584
Creative Academics Learning Center LLC	CREATIVE ACADEMICS LEARNING CENTER LLC	\$147,226	\$147,226
Creative Montessori Academy	CREATIVE MONTESSORI ACADEMY	\$687,053	\$687,053
Crestwood School District	CRESTWOOD SCHOOL DISTRICT	\$785,203	\$785,203
Cross Bridge Action Network	CROSSBRIDGE ACTION NETWORK	\$194,256	\$194,256
David Ellis Academy	DAVID ELLIS ACADEMY	\$392,602	\$392,602
David Ellis Academy West	DAVID ELLIS ACADEMY-WEST	\$785,203	\$785,203
Dearborn City School District	DEARBORN PUBLIC SCHOOLS	\$6,216,192	\$6,216,192
Dearborn Heights School District #7	DEARBORN HEIGHTS SCHOOL DISTRICT #7	\$490,752	\$490,752
Dee's Little Angels C.C.C	DEE'S LITTLE ANGELS CCC	\$441,677	\$441,677
Detroit Academy of Arts and Sciences	DETROIT ACADEMY OF ARTS & SCIENCES	\$871,085	\$871,085
Detroit Community Schools	DETROIT COMMUNITY SCHOOLS, A PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY	\$327,168	\$327,168
Detroit Edison Public School Academy	DETROIT EDISON PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY	\$785,203	\$785,203
Detroit Leadership Academy	DETROIT LEADERSHIP ACADEMY	\$490,752	\$490,752
Detroit Public Schools Community District	DETROIT PS COMMUNITY DISTRICT	\$27,985,133	\$27,985,133
Detroit Service Learning Academy	DETROIT SERVICE LEARNING ACADEMY	\$613,440	\$613,440
Development Centers INC	DEVELOPMENT CENTERS	\$294,451	\$294,451
Dk's Childcare and Academy	DK'S CHILDCARE AND ACADEMY	\$102,240	\$102,240
Dove Academy of Detroit	DOVE ACADEMY OF DETROIT	\$327,168	\$327,168

Dreamy Childrens Center	DREAMY CHILDREN'S CENTER	\$981,504	\$981,504
Dreamy Day Care 4 LLC	DREAMY DAY CARE 4 LLC	\$196,301	\$196,301
Dreamy DayCare 2, LLC	DREAMY DAYCARE 2 LLC	\$662,515	\$490,752
Early Childhood University	EARLY CHILDHOOD UNIVERSITY PLAY TIME DAY CARE LLC	\$163,584	\$163,584
Ecorse Public Schools	ECORSE PUBLIC SCHOOLS	\$797,472	\$797,472
Education Consulting Solutions It Takes a Village Academy	EDUCATION CONSULTING SOLUTIONS/IT TAKES A VILLAGE	\$981,504	\$981,504
Empowered Community Outreach Services/Empowered CO	EMPOWERED COMMUNITY OUTREACH SERVICES/EMPOWERED CO	\$245,376	\$245,376
Flat Rock Community Schools	FLAT ROCK COMMUNITY SCHOOLS	\$1,177,805	\$1,177,805
Focus Hope	FOCUS HOPE	\$1,030,579	\$1,030,579
For Kids Sake	FOR KIDS SAKE	\$196,301	\$196,301
Franklin-Wright Settlements, INC.	FRANKLIN WRIGHT SETTLEMENTS, INC.	\$163,584	\$163,584
Froebel Child Care Inc.	FROEBEL CHILD CARE INC.	\$490,752	\$490,752
Frontier International Academy	FRONTIER INTERNATIONAL ACADEMY	\$163,584	\$163,584
Garden City Public Schools	GARDEN CITY PUBLIC SCHOOLS	\$ 1,717,632	\$ 1,717,632
George Washington Carver Academy	GEORGE WASHINGTON CARVER ACADEMY	\$662,515	\$662,515
Gibraltar School District	GIBRALTAR SCHOOL DISTRICT	\$368,064	\$368,064
Global Heights Academy	GLOBAL HEIGHTS ACADEMY	\$327,168	\$327,168
Greater Ebenezer Miss BPT Church Childcare	GREATER EBENEZER MISS BPT CHURCH CHILDCARE GREATER EBENEZER CHRISTIAN CHILD CARE CENTER & KIN	\$245,376	\$245,376
Growing Minds Learning Center INC.	GROWING MINDS LEARNING CENTER INC	\$817,920	\$817,920
Hamtramck, School District of the City of	HAMTRAMCK PUBLIC SCHOOLS	\$552,096	\$552,096
Hanley International Academy	HANLEY INTERNATIONAL ACADEMY	\$662,515	\$662,515
Harper Woods, The School District of the City of	HARPER WOODS SCHOOL DISTRICT	\$654,336	\$654,336

High Achievers Montessori Learning Center L.L.C.	HIGH ACHIEVERS MONTESSORI LEARNING CENTER	\$163,584	\$163,584
Highland Park Public School Academy System	HIGHLAND PARK PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY SYST	\$588,902	\$588,902
Himawari Preschool, LLC	HIMAWARI PRESCHOOL LLC	\$163,584	\$163,584
Hope Academy	HOPE ACADEMY	\$306,720	\$306,720
Inkster Preparatory Academy	INKSTER PREPARATORY ACADEMY	\$196,301	\$196,301
International Child Care Center	INTERNATIONAL CHILD CARE CENTER INTERNATIONAL LANGUAGE SOLUTIONS	\$245,376	\$245,376
Island Kiddie Kampus Child Development Center, INC.	ISLAND KIDDIE. KAMPUS. CHILD DEVELOPMENT. CENTER.	\$163,584	\$163,584
It Takes a Village Academy LLC	IT TAKES A VILLAGE ACADEMY LLC	\$245,376	\$245,376
IXL Northville, LLC	IXL NORTHVILLE, LLC	\$204,480	\$204,480
IXL Plymouth, LLC	IXL PLYMOUTH, LLC	\$204,480	\$204,480
Jade Child Development Center INC.	JADE CHILD DEVELOPMENT CENTER, INC	\$785,203	\$785,203
Joy Preparatory Academy	JOY PREPARATORY ACADEMY	\$163,584	\$163,584
Jude Family Childcare Learning CTR	JUDE FAMILY CHILDCARE LEARNING CENTER	\$163,584	\$163,584
Kiddie Kingdum	KIDDIE KINGDUM	\$196,301	\$196,301
Kiddos Village Academy	KIDDOS VILLAGE ACADEMY	\$392,602	\$392,602
Kids' Avenue Christian Learning Center	KIDS' AVENUE CHRISTIAN LEARNING CENTER	\$196,301	\$196,301
Kids Cottage Early Learning LLC	KIDS COTTAGE EARLY LEARNING LLC	\$143,136	\$143,136
Kids-In-Zion	KIDS-IN-ZION GREATER MOUNT ZION MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH	\$417,139	\$417,139
Kid's Purpose Daycare LLC	KIDS PURPOSE DAYCARE LLC	\$163,584	\$163,584
Kingdom Kare Learning Center	KINGDOM KARE LEARNING CENTER	\$368,064	\$408,960
Kristy's Early Childhood Development Center	KRISTY'S EARLY CHILDHOOD DEVELOPMENT CENTER	\$466,214	\$466,214
KUEHG Corp - KinderCare Education LLC	KUEHG CORP	\$1,717,632	\$1,717,632

LACC Childcare Academy INC	L.A.C.C. CHILDCARE ACADEMY, INC.	\$588,902	\$392,602
Learning Links Academy	LEARNING LINKS ACADEMY	\$196,301	\$196,301
Lincoln Park, School District of the City of	LINCOLN PARK SCHOOL DISTRICT	\$1,656,288	\$1,656,288
Little Hearts Learning Home LLC	LITTLE HEARTS LEARNING HOME	\$163,584	\$163,584
Little Jungle Network	LITTLE JUNGLE NETWORK	\$245,376	\$245,376
Little Owl Tree House	LITTLE OWL TREE HOUSE	\$163,584	\$163,584
Little Scholars Day Care Center	LITTLE SCHOLARS DAYCARE CENTER	\$662,515	\$662,515
Little Seeds Child Development Center, LLC.	LITTLE SEEDS CHILD DEVELOPMENT CENTER, LLC.	\$220,838	\$220,838
Livonia Public Schools School District	LIVONIA PUBLIC SCHOOLS SCHOOL DISTRICT	\$817,920	\$817,920
Lovin' Touch Learning Center	LOVIN' TOUCH LEARNING CENTER	\$163,584	\$163,584
Martin Luther King Jr Education Center Academy	MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR. EDUCATION CENTER ACADEMY	\$392,602	\$392,602
Matrix Human Services	MATRIX HUMAN SERVICES	\$392,602	\$392,602
Meadowbank Inc.	MEADOWBANK INC.	\$408,960	\$408,960
Metropolitan Children & Youth INC.	METROPOLITAN CHILDREN AND YOUTH INC. UNITED CHILDR	\$392,602	\$392,602
My Child Learning Center Greater Harvest Ministries	MY CHILD LEARNING CENTER	\$163,584	\$163,584
ndividualME Early Learning Academy LLC	ndividualME EARLY LEARNING ACADEMY, LLC	\$220,838	\$220,838
Nene's Little Angel's Daycare LLC	NENE'S LITTLE ANGELS DAYCARE LCC	\$245,376	\$245,376
NES Teddybear Daycare and Preschool, LLC	NES TEDDY BEAR DAYCARE AND PRESCHOOL LLC	\$204,480	\$204,480
New Greater Bethlehem Temple We Care Child Development Center	NEW GREATER BETHELEM TEMPLE WE CARE CHILD DEVELOPM	\$196,301	\$196,301
New Paradigm College Prep	NEW PARADIGM COLLEGE PREP ACADEMY	\$196,301	\$196,301
New Paradigm Glazer-Loving Academy	NEW PARADIGM GLAZER-LOVING ACADEMY	\$196,301	\$196,301

New St. Paul Tabernacle Church of God in Christ HE	NEW ST. PAUL TABERNACLE CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST HE	\$408,960	\$408,960
Northville Public Schools	NORTHVILLE PUBLIC SCHOOLS	\$883,354	\$883,354
Oakland International Academy	OAKLAND INTERNATIONAL ACADEMY	\$490,752	\$490,752
Oakman Child Care & Development	OAKMAN CHILD CARE & DEVELOPMENT, LLC	\$490,752	\$490,752
Old Redford Academy	OLD REDFORD ACADEMY	\$654,336	\$654,336
PattiCake's Early Learning Center LLC	PATTICAKE'S EARLY LEARNING CENTER	\$163,584	\$163,584
Plymouth-Canton Community Schools	PLYMOUTH-CANTON COMMUNITY SCHOOLS	\$3,312,576	\$3,312,576
Premier MI Brownstown LLC	PREMIER MI BROWNSTOWN LLC	\$163,584	\$163,584
Prosperity Early Learning Center LLC	PROSPERITY EARLY LEARNING CENTER LLC	\$196,301	\$196,301
Quality Child Care & Learning Center	QUALITY CHILD CARE & LEARNING CENTER I	\$220,838	\$220,838
R.A.C.E Reaching All Children Equally	R.A.C.E Reaching All Children Equally	\$736,128	\$736,128
Ready 2 Learn Childcare Center	READY 2 LEARN CHILDCARE CENTER, LLC	\$196,301	\$196,301
Redford Union Schools, District No. 1	REDFORD UNION SCHOOLS, DISTRICT #1	\$588,902	\$588,902
Rhemas Child Care Center	RHEMAS CHILD CARE CENTER	\$245,376	\$245,376
River Rouge, School District of the City of	RIVER ROUGE SCHOOL DISTRICT	\$613,440	\$613,440
Riverside Academy	RIVERSIDE ACADEMY	\$327,168	\$327,168
Riverview Community School District	RIVERVIEW COMMUNITY SCHOOL DISTRICT	\$1,226,880	\$1,226,880
Romulus Community Schools	ROMULUS COMMUNITY SCHOOLS	\$1,104,192	\$920,160
Smart Start Learning Center	SMART START LEARNING CENTER	\$368,064	\$368,064
Someplace Else Learning Factory LLC	SOMEPLACE ELSE LEARNING FACTORY LLC	\$196,301	\$196,301
South Redford School District	SOUTH REDFORD SCHOOL DISTRICT	\$1,472,256	\$1,472,256
Southgate Community School District	SOUTHGATE COMMUNITY SCHOOL DISTRICT	\$1,226,880	\$1,226,880
Spreading Light Ministry	SPREADING SERVICES LTD.	\$153,360	\$153,360
St. Matthew Lutheran School	ST MATTHEW LUTHERAN CHURCH AND SCHOOL	\$204,480	\$204,480

St Paul Child Development Center	ST PAUL CHILD DEVELOPMENT CENTER	\$490,752	\$490,752
Star International Academy	STAR INTERNATIONAL ACADEMY	\$981,504	\$981,504
Starfish Family Services	STARFISH FAMILY SERVICES	\$1,012,176	\$1,012,176
Stepping Stones of Grosse Ile	STEPPING STONES OF GROSSE ILE	\$245,376	\$245,376
Summer Preschool Early Learning Center	SUMMER PRESCHOOL EARLY LEARNING CENTER	\$163,584	\$163,584
Summit Academy North	SUMMIT ACADEMY NORTH	\$817,920	\$817,920
Sunrise Education Center	SUNRISE EDUCATION CENTER	\$196,301	\$196,301
Sweet Peas Early Childhood Center Inc	SWEET PEAS EARLY CHILDHOOD CENTER INC	\$163,584	\$163,584
Taylor School District	TAYLOR SCHOOL DISTRICT	\$2,024,352	\$2,024,352
The Basilica Of Saint Mary Montessori Academy	THE BASILICA OF SAINT MARY MONTESSORI ACADEMY	\$368,064	\$368,064
The Dearborn Academy	THE DEARBORN ACADEMY	\$347,616	\$347,616
The Goddard School of Canton	THE GODDARD SCHOOL OF CANTON	\$490,752	\$490,752
The Learning Tree Child Care Center, INC North	The Learning Tree Child Care Center, INC North	\$490,752	\$490,752
The Learning Tree Child Care Center, INC South	The Learning Tree Child Care Center, INC South	\$392,602	\$392,602
The Learning Tree Child Care Center, INC West	THE LEARNING TREE-WEST	\$245,376	\$245,376
Tipton Academy	TIPTON ACADEMY	\$736,128	\$736,128
Trenton Public Schools	TRENTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS	\$184,032	\$184,032
Trillium Academy	TRILLIUM ACADEMY	\$699,322	\$699,322
Tutor Time Learning Care LLC	TUTOR TIME LEARNING CENTERS LLC	\$736,128	\$736,128
Universal Academy	UNIVERSAL ACADEMY	\$392,602	\$392,602
Universal Learning Academy	UNIVERSAL LEARNING ACADEMY	\$392,602	\$392,602
University YES Academy	UNIVERSITY YES ACADEMY	\$196,301	\$196,301
U of M - Dearborn Early Childhood Education Center	REGENTS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN	\$327,168	\$327,168
Van Buren Public Schools	VAN BUREN PUBLIC SCHOOLS	\$1,226,880	\$1,226,880

Village of Shiny Stars Child Care Center	VILLAGE OF SHINY STARS CHILD CARE CENTER	\$245,376	\$245,376
Wayne Metropolitan Community Action Agency	WAYNE METROPOLITAN COMMUNITY ACTION AGENCY	\$1,374,106	\$1,374,106
Wayne State University	WAYNE STATE UNIVERSITY	\$531,648	\$531,648
Wayne-Westland Community School District	WAYNE WESTLAND COMMUNITY SCHOOLS	\$2,126,592	\$2,126,592
Woodhaven-Brownstown School District	WOODHAVEN-BROWNSTOWN SCHOOL DISTRICT	\$1,022,400	\$1,022,400
Wyandotte, School District of the City of	WYANDOTTE PUBLIC SCHOOLS	\$920,160	\$920,160
Total:		\$124,890,25	\$124,379,053

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The Board authorized an amendment to Board Recommendation #170-25-26 to amend the following subrecipient contracts for one-time payments for start-up funding for the Great Start Readiness Program (GSRP) in the amounts indicated, for an amount not to exceed \$3,120,600 for the period of July 1, 2025 through June 30, 2026.

Subrecipient	Legal Vendor Name	Original Amount	Amended Amount
Agape Love Child Care Center, LLC	AGAPE LOVE CHILD CARE CENTER, LLC	\$40,000	\$40,000
Al-Wali Child Care Center	AL- WALI CHILD CARE CENTER	\$17,900	\$17,900
Alawie Educational Service	ALAWIE EDUCATIONAL SERVICES	\$35,800	\$35,800
Al Hadi Child Care Center INC	AL HADI CHILD CARE CENTER INC	\$17,900	\$17,900
ALL B Home Daycare	ALL B HOME DAYCARE	\$17,900	\$17,900
Blessed Beginnings Learning Center	BLESSED BEGINNINGS LEARNING CENTER	\$35,800	\$35,800
Bridge Academy	BRIDGE ACADEMY	\$40,000	\$40,000
Bright Beginnings Montessori Child Development Center	BRIGHT BEGINNINGS MONTESSORI-MONTESSORI CHILD DEVE	\$53,700	\$53,700
Children'z Place 2	CHILDREN'Z PLACE 2	\$17,900	\$17,900
Childrens Paradise Learning Center Inc.	CHILDRENS PARADISE LEARNING CENTER INC.	\$107,400	\$107,400
Childtime Childcare, Inc.	CHILDTIME CHILDCARE, INC	\$120,000	\$120,000
Creative Montessori Academy	CREATIVE MONTESSORI ACADEMY	\$40,000	\$40,000
Cross Bridge Action Network	CROSSBRIDGE ACTION NETWORK	\$17,900	\$17,900

Empowered Community Learning Center	EMPOWERED COMMUNITY OUTREACH SERVICES/EMPOWERED CO	\$17,900	\$17,900
Focus Hope	FOCUS HOPE	\$80,000	\$80,000
Garden City Public Schools	GARDEN CITY PUBLIC SCHOOLS	\$161,100	\$161,100
Greater Ebenezer Miss BPT Church Childcare Greater Ebenezer Christian Child Care Center & KIN	GREATER EBENEZER MISS BPT CHURCH CHILDCARE GREATER EBENEZER CHRISTIAN CHILD CARE CENTER & KIN	\$17,900	\$17,900
Hanley International Academy	HANLEY INTERNATIONAL ACADEMY	\$35,800	\$35,800
High Achievers Montessori Learning Center, L.L.C.	HIGH ACHIEVERS MONTESSORI LEARNING CENTER	\$40,000	\$40,000
Himawari Preschool, L.L.C.	HIMAWARI PRESCHOOL LLC	\$40,000	\$40,000
Inkster Preparatory Academy	INKSTER PREPARATORY ACADEMY	\$40,000	\$40,000
International Child Care Center	INTERNATIONAL CHILD CARE CENTER INTERNATIONAL LANGUAGE SOLUTIONS	\$19,650	\$19,650
Island Kiddie Kampus Child Development Center, Inc.	ISLAND KIDDIE. KAMPUS. CHILD DEVELOPMENT. CENTER.	\$40,000	\$40,000
It Takes a Village Academy LLC	IT TAKES A VILLAGE ACADEMY LLC	\$40,000	\$40,000
IXL Northville, LLC	IXL NORTHVILLE, LLC	\$40,000	\$40,000
IXL Plymouth LLC	IXL PLYMOUTH, LLC	\$40,000	\$40,000
Kids-In-Zion Greater Mount Zion Missionary Baptist Church	KIDS-IN-ZION GREATER MOUNT ZION MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH	\$80,000	\$80,000
KUEHG Corp - KinderCare Education LLC	KUEHG CORP	\$120,000	\$120,000
Little Hearts Learning Home LLC	LITTLE HEARTS LEARNING HOME	\$40,000	\$40,000
Meadowbank Inc.	MEADOWBANK INC.	\$40,000	\$40,000
Nene's Little Angel's Daycare LLC	NENE'S LITTLE ANGELS DAYCARE LCC	\$19,650	\$19,650
Northville Public Schools	NORTHVILLE PUBLIC SCHOOLS	\$160,000	\$160,000
Oakland International Academy	OAKLAND INTERNATIONAL ACADEMY	\$40,000	\$40,000

Early Childhood University	EARLY CHILDHOOD UNIVERSITY PLAY TIME DAY CARE LLC	\$40,000	\$40,000
Plymouth-Canton Community Schools	PLYMOUTH-CANTON COMMUNITY SCHOOLS	\$435,800	\$480,000
Premier MI Brownstown LLC	PREMIER MI BROWNSTOWN LLC	\$40,000	\$40,000
Prosperity Early Learning Center LLC	PROSPERITY EARLY LEARNING CENTER LLC	\$40,000	\$40,000
R.A.C.E Reaching All Children Equally	R.A.C.E Reaching All Children Equally	\$35,800	\$35,800
Rhemas Child Care Center	RHEMAS CHILD CARE CENTER	\$17,900	\$17,900
Riverview Community School District	RIVERVIEW COMMUNITY SCHOOL DISTRICT	\$75,800	\$75,800
Someplace Else Learning Factory LLC	SOMEPLACE ELSE LEARNING FACTORY LLC	\$40,000	\$40,000
Southgate Community School District	SOUTHGATE COMMUNITY SCHOOL DISTRICT	\$89,500	\$89,500
Spreading Light Ministry	SPREADING SERVICES LTD.	\$40,000	\$40,000
Starfish Family Services	STARFISH FAMILY SERVICES	\$80,000	\$80,000
Summit Academy North	SUMMIT ACADEMY NORTH	\$57,900	\$57,900
The Basilica Of Saint Mary Montessori Academy	The Basilica Of Saint Mary Montessori Academy	\$40,000	\$40,000
The Goddard School of Canton	THE GODDARD SCHOOL OF CANTON	\$80,000	\$80,000
The Learning Tree Child Care Center, INC South	The Learning Tree Child Care Center, INC South	\$40,000	\$40,000
The Learning Tree Child Care Center, INC West	THE LEARNING TREE-WEST	\$40,000	\$40,000
Trillium Academy	TRILLIUM ACADEMY	\$35,800	\$35,800
Tutor Time Learning Care LLC	TUTOR TIME LEARNING CENTERS LLC	\$40,000	\$40,000
Village of Shiny Stars Child Care Center	VILLAGE OF SHINY STARS CHILD CARE CENTER	\$17,900	\$17,900
Wayne Metropolitan Community Action Agency	WAYNE METROPOLITAN COMMUNITY ACTION AGENCY	\$0	\$80,000
Wayne State University	WAYNE STATE UNIVERSITY	\$35,800	\$35,800
Total:		\$2,996,400	\$3,120,600

198-25-26

The Board authorized an amendment to Board Recommendation #29-24-25 to adjust 2024-25 Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA) Flowthrough allocations to Local Education Agencies (LEAs) for utilization of Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA) Flowthrough funds for the period of July 1, 2024, through September 30, 2025.

Local District IDEA Flowthrough (FT) 2024-25		
District Name	Original Amount	Amended Amount
Allen Park Public Schools	\$1,228,752	\$1,228,752
Crestwood School District	\$739,032	\$739,032
Dearborn City School District	\$3,875,466	\$3,875,466
Dearborn Heights School District #7	\$727,902	\$727,902
Detroit Public Schools Community District	\$12,000,498	\$12,024,030
Ecorse Public Schools	\$301,906	\$301,906
Flat Rock Community Schools	\$696,738	\$696,738
Garden City Public Schools	\$1,175,328	\$1,175,328
Gibraltar School District	\$1,311,114	\$1,311,114
Grosse Ile Township Schools	\$463,008	\$463,008
Grosse Pointe Public Schools	\$1,742,958	\$1,750,950.68
Hamtramck, School District of City of	\$414,036	\$414,036
Harper Woods, The School District of the City of	\$471,912	\$471,912
Huron School District	\$892,626	\$892,626
Lincoln Park, School District of the City of	\$1,446,900	\$1,433,403.88
Livonia Public Schools School District	\$3,477,370	\$3,477,370
Melvindale-North Allen Park Schools	\$794,682	\$755,460.33
Northville Public Schools	\$1,264,368	\$1,248,862.95
Plymouth-Canton Community Schools	\$3,915,534	\$3,952,302.16
Redford Union Schools, District No. 1	\$745,710	\$736,449
River Rouge, School District of the City of	\$557,198	\$557,198
Riverview Community School District	\$825,846	\$825,846
Romulus Community Schools	\$808,038	\$808,038
South Redford School District	\$941,598	\$941,598
Southgate Community School District	\$1,698,438	\$1,698,438
Taylor School District	\$2,904,930	\$2,904,930
Trenton Public Schools	\$703,416	\$703,416
Van Buren Public Schools	\$1,618,302	\$1,618,302
Wayne-Westland Community School District	\$3,635,058	\$3,644,249
Westwood Community School District	\$583,212	\$583,212
Woodhaven-Brownstown School District	\$1,880,970	\$1,880,970
Wyandotte, School District of the City of	\$1,406,832	\$1,406,832
Total:	\$55,249,678	\$55,249,678

199-25-26

The Board authorized an amendment to Board Recommendation #28-24-25 to adjust 2024-25 Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA) Flowthrough allocations Local Education Agencies (LEAs) for utilization of Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA) Preschool funds for the period of July 1, 2024, through September 30, 2025.

Local District IDEA Preschool (PS) 2024-25		
District Name	Original Amount	Amended Amount
Allen Park Public Schools	\$40,936	\$40,936
Crestwood School District	\$38,012	\$38,012
Dearborn City School District	\$187,136	\$187,136
Dearborn Heights School District #7	\$21,930	\$21,930
Detroit Public Schools Community District	\$362,576	\$362,576
Ecorse Public Schools	\$0	\$0
Flat Rock Community Schools	\$0	\$0
Garden City Public Schools	\$51,170	\$51,170
Gibraltar School District	\$0	\$0
Grosse Ile Township Schools	\$0	\$0
Grosse Pointe Public Schools	\$100,147	\$100,147
Hamtramck, School District of City of	\$8,772	\$8,772
Harper Woods, The School District of the City of	\$7,310	\$7,310
Huron School District	\$133,773	\$133,773
Lincoln Park, School District of the City of	\$93,568	\$93,568
Livonia Public Schools School District	\$210,934	\$210,934
Melvindale-North Allen Park Schools	\$28,509	\$27,353.69
Northville Public Schools	\$76,755	\$76,060.38
Plymouth-Canton Community Schools	\$171,054	\$171,054
Redford Union Schools, District No. 1	\$40,936	\$40,243
River Rouge, School District of the City of	\$0	\$0
Riverview Community School District	\$0	\$0
Romulus Community Schools	\$22,661	\$22,661
South Redford School District	\$30,702	\$30,702
Southgate Community School District	\$62,135	\$62,135
Taylor School District	\$95,761	\$95,761
Trenton Public Schools	\$30,702	\$30,702
Van Buren Public Schools	\$78,217	\$78,217
Wayne-Westland Community School District	\$153,510	\$156,052.93
Westwood Community School District	\$13,158	\$13,158
Woodhaven-Brownstown School District	\$61,404	\$61,404
Wyandotte, School District of the City of	\$65,059	\$65,059
Total:	\$2,186,827	\$2,186,827

200-25-26

The Board authorized an amendment to Board Recommendation #180-22-23 to authorize payment of the Section 31n(6) Mental Health Supports for General Education Students to the following school districts and public school academies in the amounts indicated, for a total amount not to exceed \$56,653 for the period July 1, 2022 through September 30, 2027.

Districts and Public School Academies	Amount
The James and Grace Lee Boggs School	\$56,653

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The Board accepted the following grant for the terms, amounts and purposes noted:

Grant	Grantor	Amount	Term	Purpose	Responsible Party
32n Out of School Time (OST) Learning Grant	Michigan Department of Lifelong Education, Advancement, and Potential	\$852,480	01/05/2026 – 09/30/2026	To provide in-person summer Lit Lab programming to children in grades K-3rd.	Educational Services
Michigan Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math (MiSTEM) Network Region Grant - Transition Funding	Washtenaw Intermediate School District (WISD)	\$81,456	01/06/2025 – 06/30/2026	These funds are for the transition of Dr. Greg Johnson's salary so he can close out any 2025 fiscal year MiSTEM work in alignment with Section 99s of Public Act 120 of 2024.	Educational Services
Section 35a(4) – Intermediate School District (ISD) Early Literacy Coaches Grant	Michigan Department of Education Section 35a(4) of P.A. 15 of 2025	\$8,000,000	10/01/2025 – 09/30/2026	The Section 35a(4) - ISD Early Literacy Coaches Grant is awarded to ISDs to assist with the cost of early literacy coaches and the creation of coaching frameworks to support districts in the development and implementation of instructional strategies in grades K-3 so that pupils are reading at grade level by the end of 3 rd grade.	Educational Services

The Community Telecommunications Network (CTN) Grant	CTN Board	\$14,450	12/16/2025 – 11/03/2026	The purpose of this grant is to help with professional learning and funding for the Media Literacy to Media Mindfulness Professional Learning Event.	Educational Services
ISD Collaboration	Michigan Department of Education	\$260,000	10/01/2025 - 01/31/2027	Wayne County Regional Educational Service Agency (WRESA) (Grantee) is granted from the Michigan Department of Education (MDE) (Grantor) for reimbursement of costs associated with Homeless ARP, expanding the state's compliance with federal requirements and enhancing the capacity at the Intermediate School District (ISD) level to Assist local school districts.	Finance
Section 31n(6)-Mental Health and Support Services	State Aid	\$6,852,826	10/1/2025 – 9/30/2028	Wayne County Regional Educational Service Agency (WRESA) (Grantee) is granted from the Michigan Department of Education (MDE) (Grantor) for the provision of mental health and support services to general education students.	Educational Services & Safe and Healthy Schools

Section 31n(12)- ISD Mental Health	State Aid	\$89,285	10/01/2025 - 9/30/2026	Wayne County Regional Educational Service Agency (WRESA) (Grantee) is granted from the Michigan Department of Education (MDE) (Grantor) for the purpose of administering programs funded under Section 31n.	Educational Services & Safe and Healthy Schools
SEMCA Young Professionals	SEMCA (Southeast Michigan Community Alliance)	\$25,000	02/01/2026 - 06/30/2026	Wayne County Coalition for Future Aviation Professionals 2026 Drone Discovery Series in partnership with Schoolcraft College. The grant will support up to 12 students to earn their Part 107 licensure.	Educational Services

L. Action Item(s)

1. 2025-26 Budget Amendment

Member Jackson, supported by Member Beri, moved that the Wayne RESA Board of Education approve the Wayne RESA 2025-26 Amended Appropriations Resolutions of the General, Act 18, Special Education Operating, Medicaid, Cooperative, and Capital Project funds. The motion passed on a voice vote of 5-0.

2. Resolution recognizing Dr. Sue C. Carnell, Chief Deputy Superintendent, Michigan Department of Education

Member Funderburg, supported by Member Jackson, moved that the Wayne RESA Board of Education approve the attached resolution formally acknowledging Dr. Carnell’s exemplary leadership, her lasting contributions to Michigan’s education systems, and her commitment to advancing equity, student achievement, and effective statewide educational policy and practice. The resolution reflects the Board’s appreciation for her impact on students, educators, and communities throughout Wayne County and the State of Michigan. The motion passed on a voice vote of 5-0.

M. General Board Comments

President Blackmon acknowledged the passing of Reverend Jesse Jackson, recognizing his longstanding contributions as a minister, civic leader, and former presidential candidate, including his victory in Michigan’s presidential primary. She commended his life and legacy and recognized those honoring his contributions.

President Blackmon also shared an update regarding the rebuilding of Paul Robeson–Malcolm X Academy in Detroit, noting that there has been discussion about the school’s name and that she would keep the Board informed as conversations progress.

N. Adjournment

Member Beri, with support from Member Funderburg, moved to adjourn the meeting. The motion passed with a voice vote of 5-0. President Blackmon adjourned the meeting at 10:25 a.m.

Submitted by: _____
James S. Beri, Secretary