



Monday, January 12, 2026
REGULAR MEETING - ORGANIZATIONAL MEETING

YCS Board of Education Meeting | YCS Central Office | 1885 Packard Road | Ypsilanti, MI 48197 |
734.221.1230
6:30 p.m.

1. CALL TO ORDER & ROLL CALL OF BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT: Dr. Celeste Hawkins, Board President

A. Roll Call of Board of Education Members

2. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE: Dr. Celeste Hawkins, Board President

A. Pledge of Allegiance

3. ACHIEVEMENTS, AWARDS & RECOGNITION

A. Erickson Elementary School Points of Pride

B. January is Board Appreciation Month

C. YCS MISSION STATEMENT: The purpose of YCS is to develop mindful, engaged students with the skill set, work ethic, and attitude to contribute to a community that honors diversity, equity and justice.

4. ACCEPTANCE OF AGENDA

A. Acceptance of Agenda

5. PUBLIC COMMENTS #1

A. Guidelines for Public Comment

6. ELECTION OF ACTING CHAIRPERSON & APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY SECRETARY

A. Acting Chairperson Nomination

B. Temporary Secretary Appointment

7. BOARD ORGANIZATION

A. Nomination & Election of BOARD OFFICERS

B. Appointments of BOARD COMMITTEE MEMBERS & LIAISONS

8. PRESENTATION

A. Proposed Retirement Plan Administrative Review and Structural Update

9. CONSENT AGENDA

A. Consent Agenda

10. ACTION ITEMS: ORGANIZATIONAL MEETING MATTERS

A. District Compliance Officers Appointment

B. Board of Education Meeting Schedule Adoption

11. ACTION ITEMS: ORGANIZATIONAL MEETING: Business Items Review & Approval

- A. Use of Facsimile Signature Authorization
- B. Execute Contracts and Sign Documents on Behalf of the District Authorization
- C. Bank Account Signatories Authorization
- D. Depository for School District Funds Designation
- E. Electronic Transfer Officer (ETO) Designation
- F. Audit Firm Designation
- G. Legal Counsel Designation
- H. Newspaper for Bid Notices & Other Legal Postings Designation
- I. Meeting Posting Responsibilities Designation

12. ACTION ITEM: Business and Finance

- A. Approval of the State of Michigan Treasury Building Assessment to Award Contracts to TMP Architects and Granger Construction

13. PUBLIC COMMENTS #2

- A. Guidelines for Public Comment

14. BOARD/SUPERINTENDENT COMMENTS

- A. Board/Superintendent Comments

15. ADJOURNMENT OF MEETING

- A. Adjournment of Meeting