

**Grand Ledge Public Schools
Board of Education
RETREAT AGENDA
Monday, September 29, 2025
9:00 am**

NOTE: Times are approximate

- I. Call to Order & Pledge of Allegiance.....Denise DuFort, President
- II. Roll Call.....Dr. Bill Barnes, Superintendent
- III. Opening and Team Building A – District Trivia (9:00 – 9:15 a.m.)
- IV. Board Self-Assessment with Scott Morrell – MASB (9:15 – 11:15 a.m.)
- V. Team Building B – Share a story about a teacher who had an impact on you (11:15 – 11:30 a.m.)
- VI. Lunch (11:30 a.m. – 12:15 p.m.)
- VII. Team Building C – Compass Activity (12:15 – 12:45 p.m.)
- VIII. Discussions (12:45 – 2:15 p.m.)
 - A. Student Board Member
 - B. Mini Service Project (Related to Mission)
 - C. Conferences & Trainings
 - D. Work of Subcommittees
- IX. Scenario Planning (2:15 – 3:00 p.m.)
 - A. Old Wacousta
 - B. Enrollment Growth
 - C. Funding Constraints
 - D. Demographic Shifts
 - E. Political Climate
- X. Public Comment
- XI. Future Topics
 - A. Board DEI Committee – Monday, October 6, 2025, 5:30 p.m., Zoom
 - B. Board Governance Committee – Monday, October 6, 2025, 6:30 p.m., Sup't Ofc.
 - C. Board Bond & Sinking Fund Committee – Monday, October 13, 2025, 5:15 p.m., Room 107
 - D. Board Meeting - Monday, October 13, 2025, 6:00 p.m., Board Room
- XII. Adjournment

NOTE: Individuals may address the Board for up to three (3) minutes in the Public Comment segments of the meeting. If any person with a disability needs accommodations at the Board of Education meeting, please contact Kim Manning at 925-5401 at least three (3) days prior to the date of the meeting he/she plans to attend.