



Minutes

Royal Oak City School Liaison Committee Meeting

April 16, 2025, 6:00 p.m.

Royal Oak Schools Administration Building

800 DeVillen

Royal Oak, MI 48067

Present: Rebecca Cheezum
Brandon Kolo
Deborah Anderson
Tim Ciechorski
Joseph Gacioch
Lauren Jasinski

Absent: Melanie Macey

1. Call to Order by City Manager / School Superintendent

The meeting was called to order by Royal Oak School Board President Tim Ciechorski at 6:05 p.m.

2. Approval of Agenda

Agenda was approved by consensus with the addition of Pool Update to Unfinished Business and Superintendent Search to New Business.

3. Public Comment

Janice Wagman made public comment regarding support of intergenerational activities.

4. Unfinished Business

4.a Streetlights at Austin and Washington Update

City Engineer Holly Donoghue stated equipment has been ordered and that work should begin in the summer of 2025.

4.b Webster Road Adjacent to Addams Elementary Safety Audit Update

City Engineer Holly Donoghue provided an update from the audit regarding Webster Road.

4.c Safe Routes to School

City Commissioner Rebecca Cheezum stated additional surveys will be going out to the business community.

4.d Pool | Aquatic Programming Update

City Manager Joe Gacioch reported a final recommendation is scheduled to be presented in May and implementation will take place in the fall of 2025.

5. New Business

5.a Maryland Parking and Drop Off Issues

City Engineer Holly Donoghue reviewed the progress that will take place with the City's Citizens Traffic Committee regarding traffic to be routed to the east-side of Marywood, and no parking signs posted on the west-side of Marywood.

5.b Robotics | Center Street Garage

Royal Oak School District Executive Director of Finance and Facilities spoke to the importance the Center Street Garage space has made for the Robotics Team this year.

5.c Superintendent Search

Royal Oak School Board President Tim Ciechowski reviewed the timeline for the superintendent search process.

6. Future Meetings

6.a Wednesday July 23, 2025 at Royal Oak City Hall, if necessary

6.b Wednesday, October 22, 2025 at Royal Oak School Administration Building

7. Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned at 6:38p.m.