

Northern Gateway Public School Trustee Report

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Highlights from Board Meeting - November 8, 2022

Director of Transportation: Rhett Czaban shared with us the challenges that NGPS continues to have with the shortage of bus drivers and spare drivers to transport our students to and from school on a daily basis. Rhett has been working hard and has offered some S - Endorsement Courses, and now has a couple people trained to help out.

Board Policy Review: The Board approved Board Policy 2: Role of the Board , as amended and Policy 18: Student Transportation Services, as amended.

Locally Developed Courses: The Board approved to reauthorize the use of Locally Developed Courses from Edmonton Public for: Drawing 15, 25, and 35 which are all 5 credit courses.

Capital Planning Community Conversations: Superintendent Bird was able to attend School Council Meetings at Grasmere, Darwell and all Whitecourt schools to hear from parents about their thoughts on the capital ideas. Future conversations will also include Valleyview as the process moves forward for their new school.

ASBA (Alberta School Board Association): NGPS Board of Trustees will be attending the ASBA Fall General Meeting that will be held in Edmonton November 20 -22, 2022.

Next Board Meeting: November 29, 2022 @ 10 a.m. Questions????