



**BOARD SUMMARY: Meeting – March 21, 2016**

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**SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT NO. 4-2016**

The proper officers of WSD were authorized to enter into an agreement with Manitoba Education and Advanced Learning in the amount of \$150,000 for the Attendance Improvement Project Initiative for the period January 1, 2016 to June 30, 2016.

**NEW BUSINESS**

1. The motion was passed:

- a) That the Chair of the Board of Trustees acknowledge at the start of each Board meeting that the School Board meeting is taking place on Treaty One land and the traditional homeland of the Metis nation.
- b) That the Board of Trustee Procedural By-Law 1203 Section 1 be amended to include provision for the acknowledgment that School Board meetings are taking place on Treaty One land and the traditional homeland of the Metis nation.
- c) That the Advisory Council on Indigenous Education be mandated to provide feedback to the Policy/Program Committee on developing a formal statement that acknowledges the traditional people of this land and our purpose for this acknowledgment. This statement shall be read annually at the First Meeting of the Winnipeg School Board.

2. The motion was passed:

That the Chair of Board of Trustees write a letter of support to the Indigenous Teacher Education Coalition to call upon each of the political leaders from the Liberal, Progressive Conservative and New Democratic Parties to sign the pledge form prior to the upcoming provincial election and send letter requesting all the partner school division and MSBA to send a similar letter to the party leaders.