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NOTICE OF A SPECIAL BOARD MEETING/RETREAT

**GRAND RAPIDS BOARD OF EDUCATION**

**Thursday, August 3, 2017**

Varnum

South Grand Conference Room, 17<sup>th</sup> Floor, 333 Bridge St. NW

**8:00 a.m.**

Special Order of Business

1. OCR Work to Date
2. Achievement Gap
3. Suspension Data
4. "Eliminating Barriers for Under-Represented Through Board Policy"  
Presenter – Mary Fertaskis

**11:30 – LUNCH**

5. School Advance – Superintendent Evaluation Goals & Training  
Presenter – Tina Kerr

Action Items

- a. City Board Liaison Committee MOU
- b. Administrative Appointments

*Dana Bialk*

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Executive Assistant to the Superintendent

c: Board Members

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