

**EL UPDATES**  
**November 13, 2022**

**Next Board of Education Meeting – Monday, November 14, 2022**

The ELPS Board of Education will hold its next regular meeting Monday, November 14 at 7:00 p.m. in the Board Room in East Lansing High School. The meeting will be held in person and will be live streamed. If you have a disability that prevents you from attending the meeting in person and would like to give public comment during that portion of the meeting, please contact Kelly Hocquard at [kelly.hocquard@elps.us](mailto:kelly.hocquard@elps.us) by 3:00 p.m. the day of the meeting.

Here is a link to access the live stream and to view previously recorded meetings: <https://www.nfhsnetwork.com/schools/east-lansing-high-school-east-lansing-mi>

**Board of Education - Election Update**

Four open seats and ten candidates for the East Lansing Board of Education were on last Tuesday's ballot.

Two incumbents - Kath Edsall and Terah Chambers - were reelected to four-year terms.

Two newcomers - Tali Faris-Hylen and Amanda Cormier - were elected to four-year terms. They will begin their service on the Board in January 2023.

Board of Education President Kate Powers and Vice-President Chris Martin will conclude their service to the District at the end of the calendar year.

**ELPS Seeking Night Custodians**

ELPS is hiring custodians and custodial supervisors - district-employed. Our day shifts are full, but we still have evening shifts available. Starting pay is \$16-19 per hour plus full benefits. Must be 18 or older. Apply here & start immediately!

[https://www.applitrack.com/IASEC/onlineapp/jobpostings/view.asp?all=1&AppliTrackPostingSearch=district%3A43651&AppliTrackSort=type&AppliTrackLayoutMode=detail&AppliTrackJobId=15998\\_43651&AppliTrackViewPosting=1](https://www.applitrack.com/IASEC/onlineapp/jobpostings/view.asp?all=1&AppliTrackPostingSearch=district%3A43651&AppliTrackSort=type&AppliTrackLayoutMode=detail&AppliTrackJobId=15998_43651&AppliTrackViewPosting=1)

Once here, click the little red APPLY button in the top red corner of the page. If you do not have access to apply online, please call Michele Huisgen at (517) 333-7439, and we will assist you in applying.

**Thanksgiving Meal Support Opportunities**

Attached is a flyer that provides information regarding three local opportunities for Thanksgiving food items or hot meals.

[Thanksgiving Resources 2022](#)

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**Holiday/Winter Break Giving Opportunity to Support ELPS Families**

Last year, ELPS was able to provide support to over 130 ELPS families over winter break through donations from community members, the East Lansing Police Department and the East Lansing Fire Department. We'd like to offer this support to our ELPS families once again this season. Every dollar collected is redistributed to ELPS families.

**To make a donation via Venmo - please use the address Dori-Leyko.**

**To make a Donation via check** - Please write the check to ELPS and send to the address below.

We will use these funds to purchase grocery and other gift cards (Target, VISA, etc.) to provide to our families.

**Donations will need to be received by the end of the day December 7 so we have time to purchase the gift cards and distribute to families before break.**

**Donations can be mailed to:**

ELPS Support c/o Superintendent's Office  
501 Burcham Drive  
East Lansing, MI 48823

**At-Home COVID Tests Available**

Each building has at-home COVID-19 tests available - please contact your school office if you'd like to pick some up or have them sent home with your student.