	MEMORANDUM
PARKLAND SCHOOL DIVISION	November 26, 2024 Regular Board Meeting
то	Board of Trustees
FROM	Lorraine Stewart, Board Chair Paul McCann, Trustee
ORIGINATOR	Scott Johnston, Associate Superintendent
RESOURCE	Catrin Thomson, COSC Chair
GOVERNANCE POLICY	Board Policy 2: Role of the Board Board Policy 8: Board Committees
ADDITIONAL REFERENCE	BP 2: Stakeholder Engagement and Communication BP 2: Supports and Services AP 124: Council of School Councils
SUBJECT	2024-2025 COUNCIL OF SCHOOL COUNCILS (COSC)

PURPOSE

For information. No recommendation required.

BACKGROUND

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The Board of Trustees is responsible for meeting with representatives of the School Councils to provide information, share resources and discuss strategies. The following report is in support of these responsibilities.

REPORT SUMMARY

On Tuesday, October 8, 2024 the Council of School Councils (COSC) met at the Parkland School Division (PSD) Centre for Education, and on Tuesday, November 5, 2024 they met at Duffield School, discussing a number of agenda items decide in advance including: the Spirit of COSC, School Council Agendas, collaboration opportunities for school councils, Alberta School Council Association (ASCA) Resolutions, and the Alberta School Council Engagement Grant.

COSC members approved the remaining meeting dates for the 2024-2025 school year. The Committee also approved the minutes from the May 14 and the October 8, 2024 meetings and appointed the COSC Chairperson and Vice-Chairperson.

The Trustee Topic, Office of the Superintendent Topic and Principal Reports were presented.

Administration would be pleased to respond to any questions.

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