

## April Board Meeting Highlights

The Board met last night and kicked off the meeting with an awesome presentation from two of Lisa Ronca's animation students. Aubrey Schafbuch and Austin Klimpel created an animation video to explain the production process. This is a tremendous opportunity we are excited to provide our 8th graders and high school students. The students did a fantastic job and demonstrated the myriad skills required to produce an animation video of this quality; written and verbal communication, collaboration, creativity, and high level technical skills. Hats off to Lisa Ronca and her talented students!

The Board also approved resolutions for the sale of bonds. With interest rates continuing to decline, the low bid came in nearly a half point below estimates. This, along with strong valuation increases, enabled the Board to approve a single issuance for all projects. This saves thousands of dollars in fees, and is more good news about the projects!

Speaking of the projects, demolition is progressing in the locker rooms and main office area this week, and footings will be poured for the addition. In the next few weeks, we plan to include progress photos on our website. Once that's ready, we'll send out the link to everyone.

Have a great week and thanks for all of your support! GO BOMBERS!

Ballard Board of Education