

PRESS RELEASE

School Town of Munster

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STATE BOARD OF ACCOUNTS AUDIT RELEASED (June 8, 2016)

In the process of reviewing administrative contracts, the Board of School Trustees of the School Town of Munster (Board) became aware of possible financial irregularities related to the contracts of former superintendents, William Pfister and Richard Sopko.

Upon the determination that potential misappropriation of School Town of Munster funds by these individuals may have occurred, pursuant to Indiana Code §5-11-1-27(1), the Board reported this information to both the Indiana State Board of Accounts and the Office of the Prosecuting Attorney of Lake County, Indiana.

The attached report contains findings and conclusions resulting from the independent investigation conducted by the Indiana State Board of Accounts. Questions regarding the findings and conclusions therein should be directed to the Indiana State Board of Accounts.

The Board of School Trustees of the School Town of Munster and the Administration has, and will continue to cooperate, with any further ongoing investigation regarding this matter.

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