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CCUSD Mission

The Caledonia Cooperative Unified School District:

*A cohesive and coherent system
of education that strives for
excellent student outcomes,
delivered in safe, supportive,
challenging, and rich
instructional environments
whose primary goal is to
graduate young people ready
to take their place in the world
as skilled, engaged, productive,
and caring global citizens.*

**“OUR CHILDREN COME
FIRST”**



Committee Members

Barnet

*Lou Bushey, Sonia
Jolliffe, Sue Roberts,
Dave Warden*

Walden

*Judy Clifford, Raymond
Lewis, Rusty Shedd*

Waterford

*Heather Gonyaw, Gary
Allard, Wilson Thomas,
Kim Willey*

Act 46 District
Merger Vote:
May 23rd 2017

Barnet, Walden,
Waterford

**Caledonia Cooperative
Unified School District**

Community Information Sessions

May 15th 2017, 6:30 PM

Walden School



May 16th 2017, 6:30 PM

Barnet School



May 17th 2017, 6:30PM

Waterford School



Information Sessions

Open to All

Unification & Cooperation

- **Maintain local control – The CCUSD will be a small, cooperative school district where decision-making is shared by communities of similar composition and values, with equal numbers of representatives sitting at the table.**
- **Maintain High School choice; All elementary schools continue to operate.**
- **Opportunities to address educational and financial challenges together.**
- **New instructional opportunities through intra-district school choice and program coordination.**
- **Increased capacity to build upon our collective resources, our local traditions, the educational expertise of our teachers and administrators, and the collective support of parents and community members.**
- **Total Cost Savings/Projected Revenues/Incentives due to merger over 5 years: \$4,175,574.**
- **Operational savings to support implementing a core set of educational programs (PreK-8) for all students without additional taxpayer resources.**
- **More focused PreK-8 strategic thinking and planning, including reflection on lessons learned in one school that can be applied elsewhere.**
- **More time for administrators to engage in instructional leadership.**

Q&A

What will be voted on?

- a. A vote to create a unified school district.
- b. A vote for school board representatives

When is the vote?

May 23rd 2017

Polls will be open from 7am to 7pm and absentee ballots are available now; Contact your town clerk.

Where can I find more information?

- **Come to an Info Session!!**
- **Study the Final Report/ Articles of Agreement – Look online or find a copy at your town clerk's office or local school.**
- **All reports, meeting agendas, minutes, and information links can be found at:**

[Http://tinyurl.com/calcoopusdk-8](http://tinyurl.com/calcoopusdk-8)

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