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Western School Division Organizational Meeting

At its annual organizational meeting held last Monday evening, the Western School Division Board re-elected Brian Fransen as Chair and Robyn Wiebe as Vice-Chair.

Statement from Chair Brian Fransen

"There are a lot of questions about the future of education governance in Manitoba. Regardless of the questions, one thing remains clear - we have a responsibility to prepare the next generation for the future. In Western School Division we have tremendous growth and opportunity. We have a freshly minted Board Priorities Plan that came from stakeholder feedback, and I am honoured to be asked to do my part to lead the board in the next year as we focus on those priorities.

Statement from Vice-Chair Robyn Wiebe,

Our first year, as a new board, was spent collecting community voice to form our new priorities with a new board. We are anxious to see the implementation of the new Board Priorities in our schools as we embark on a new school year! Working together for our community to govern Western School Division is an honor and a privilege I do not take lightly.

Robyn Wiebe	Darcy Wolfe
Barb Petkau	Brian Fransen
David Guenther	Barb Petkau
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