

January 9, 2008

**Colleen Vranish is new District 16 School Board chairperson, Annette Winrick a new Board member**

At the January 8 District 16 School Board meeting, winners of the fall Board election were sworn in and new officers selected.

Incumbents Gary Brisbin and Colleen Vranish, and newcomer Annette Winrick received their oath of office and Winrick assumed her seat at the Board table for the first time.

New Board officers were also selected as a result of voting by Board members.

This was the first regular meeting of the Board in the new District Services Center, 1415 81st Avenue NE, Spring Lake Park. District administration; districtwide all services to students, staff, and families; the Community Education department, and the School Board chambers are now all in the District Services Center, which was formerly a HealthPartners clinic.



*Top, left: Colleen Vranish, new School Board chairperson. Top, right: January 8 was the first meeting for new Board member Annette Winrick. Left: Vice-Chair Marilynn Forsberg swears in the winners of the November School Board election: incumbent Gary Brisbin, Annette Winrick, and incumbent Colleen Vranish.*



District 16 School Board members and their positions are:

- Colleen Vranish**      *Chairperson*
- Marilynn Forsberg**      *Vice-Chairperson*
- Jodi Ruch**      *Clerk*
- John Stroebel**      *Treasurer*
- Gary Brisbin**      *Director*
- Kelly Delfs**      *Director*
- Annette Winrick**      *Director*