

**BOARD OF SCHOOL TRUSTEES
NEW PRAIRIE UNITED SCHOOL CORPORATION**

AGENDA

Regular Meeting

Central Office Board Room
NEW PRAIRIE UNITED SCHOOL CORP
5327 N. Cougar Rd.
New Carlisle, IN 46552

**Monday, September 27, 2021
6:00 p.m. (Central Time)**

NPUSC MISSION – Why we do what we do....

Our purpose is to Ensure High Levels of Learning for ALL Students

NPUSC VISION – What do we want to become...

We strive to provide the following for every student and family we serve:

1. A Safe and Collaborative Learning Environment
2. A Learning Environment & School Culture based on Continuous Improvement & Implementation of Best Practices
3. A Guaranteed and Consistent Curriculum in every NPUSC school, Ensuring all Students develop the skills they need for Academic Success
4. A well-rounded program that gives equal respect to College Prep, Career Readiness, and all After School activities to provide student experiences that develop academic, career, and character skills for future success
5. A School District Recognized at the Regional and National level for Student Academic Performance and Career Placement with an emphasis on Character Development throughout
6. A Career and/or College Pathway Plan for ALL NPUSC secondary students that includes Resources, Strategic Advising, & Exploration Opportunities based on Interests and Talents
7. A Model Professional Learning Community School System

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NOTE: The Board's meeting site is fully accessible to all persons. Any person requiring further accommodation should contact the Superintendent's Office with the School Corporation's administrative office at 574-654-7273 or 219-778-2814

I. CALL TO ORDER/PLEDGE

Community members requesting permission to address the Board on a specific agenda item are requested to complete a registration form for each item prior to the conclusion of Item III. Individuals will be permitted to speak at that time or during the specific agenda item excluding Consent Items. Any questions on the Consent Items shall be addressed to the Superintendent by contacting his office. Persons will be restricted to one appearance per item and limited to three (3) minutes.

II. ADOPT AGENDA

III. CONSENT ITEMS

- (A) Minutes – August 23, 2021, September 2, 2021, & September 13, 2021
- (B) Financial Reports
- (C) Claims
- (D) Payroll
- (E) Personnel Report

IV. REPORTS

- (A) Superintendent's Report

V. ACTION ITEMS

- (A) Accept Donations:
 - Prairie View Elementary School received a donation of backpacks of school supplies and a bag of miscellaneous school supplies from Jodi Walbring
 - Prairie View Elementary School received a donation of 48 bottles of hand sanitizer from Erica Clark
 - Rolling Prairie Elementary School received a donation of \$500 from Peepers for Teachers
 - Rolling Prairie Elementary School received the following donations:
 - Valentines Cards from Cheryl Severa
 - Backpacks and school supplies from Cellular Connection
 - Backpack and school supplies, one per grade level from AmVets

- Donation of raisins and craisins from the local food bank in Rolling Prairie
 - School supplies donated from Olivia Machowiak and her dad
 - NPUSC Elementary students in need received backpacks filled with school supplies, and gym bags with gym shoes from the church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints – Niles Ward
 - Olive Twp. Elementary received a \$50 donation to Rachel Chelminiak’s Classroom from Kim Rehlander
 - Football Trivia Night Winning Table donated \$100 to the NPHS Theatre Company
 - NPHS received a donation of two books valued at \$55 from John Rumely
 - Donation of school supplies to NPHS from LaPorte County Community Corrections Participants
- (B) Approve and Adopt the 2022 Budget and Resolution for Appropriations and Tax Rates
- (C) Adopt the 2022 Capital Projects Fund Plan and Resolution
- (D) Adopt the 2022-2025 Bus Replacement Plan and Resolution
- (E) Approve the NPUSC Counselor Evaluation Instrument
- (F) Approve Updated Board Policy 3220.01
- (G) Approve Updated Job Descriptions for:
- Administrative Assistant to the Superintendent
 - Lead Bus Mechanic
 - Deputy Treasurer/Accounts Payable
 - Payroll & Human Resources Coordinator
 - Assistant Network Administrator
- (H) Approve the New Prairie Building Trades Line of Credit/Construction Loan with Horizon Bank for the 2021-2022 Building Trades home
- (I) Approve the Ivy Tech Community College MOU for High School-Based Dual Credit for the 2021-22 School Year
- (J) Approve the Emergency Expenditure for Speed Drives for NPHS/NPMS Main Well Pumps from Chase Industrial Controls
- (K) Approve the MOU between NPUSC & the Youth Service Bureau of LaPorte County to facilitate the Kids on the Block & Safe Place programs
- (L) Approve Emergency Expenditure to Replace NPHS Baseball In-Field
- (M) Approve Closure of Transfer Students, K-12, in all NPUSC Schools for the remainder of the First Semester for the 2021-2022 School Year

VI. DISCUSSION ITEMS

- (A) CPR Certification Requirements for NPUSC Coaches, and Sponsors, for Extra-Curricular & Co-Curricular Activities

VII. BOARD COMMENTS

VIII. ADJOURNMENT