

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

AGENDA

Regular Meeting

Central Office

NEW PRAIRIE UNITED SCHOOL CORPORATION

5327 N. Cougar Rd.

New Carlisle, IN 46552

Tuesday, September 26, 2023

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

The School Board recognizes the value of public comment on educational issues and the importance of allowing members of the public to express themselves on Corporation matters. Community members requesting permission to address the Board on an agenda item are required to complete a registration form prior to a motion to approve a specific agenda item. Individuals will be permitted to speak during the specific agenda item before a vote takes place. All statements shall be directed to the presiding officer; no person may address or question Board members individually. Any questions on personnel should be directed to the Superintendent by contacting his office. Participants shall be limited to one (1) appearance per item and limited to three (3) minutes.

II. ADOPT AGENDA

III. CONSENT ITEMS

- (A) Minutes – August 28, 2023, September 20, 2023
- (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 received a donation of \$208.48 from Hudson Lake Elementary Mennonite Church for student needs
 - Olive Twp. Elementary received a personal donation of \$100.00 from Alice Mentock to be used for Olive Student Activities
 - Rolling Prairie Elementary School received school supplies for students in need from Stacey Holmes, Manager, Holiday Inn Express in LaPorte
- (B) Approve and Adopt the 2024 Budget and Resolution for Appropriations and Tax Rates
- (C) Adopt the 2024 Capital Projects Fund Plan and Resolution
- (D) Adopt the 2024 Bus Replacement Plan Resolution
- (E) Approve the Overnight Field Trip Requests
- (F) Approve the Emergency Repair Expenditure

- (G) Approve the Closure to Transfer Students, grades K-12, in all NPUSC Schools, October 2, 2023, for the remainder of the First Semester for the 2023-2024 School Year
- (H) Accept & Acknowledge NPUSC Compliance of the Children's Internet Protection Act (CIPA)

VI. DISCUSSION ITEMS

VII. BOARD COMMENTS

VIII. ADJOURNMENT