

**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

**Wednesday, September 25, 2024**

**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 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 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. No participant may speak more than once, are limited to three (3) minutes and may not pass their minutes to another participant.

**II. ADOPT AGENDA**

**III. CONSENT ITEMS**

- (A) Minutes – August 26, 2024
- (B) Financial Reports
- (C) Claims
- (D) Payroll
- (E) Personnel Report

**IV. REPORTS**

- (A) Superintendent's Report

**V. ACTION ITEMS**

- (A) Accept Donations:
  - Rolling Prairie Elementary School received a donation of \$500 to go toward the 4<sup>th</sup> Grade "Frog in the Bog" Field Trip from the Pavlick Family.
  - Olive Twp. Elementary School received a donation of school supplies from Mr. & Mrs. Wilson
  - NPUSC received a donation of \$500 from Cleveland Cliffs Inc.
  - Rolling Prairie Elementary School receive a donation of \$5,000 from Up and Up Logistics to help fund various student activities
- (B) Approve and Adopt the 2025 Budget and Resolution for Appropriations and Tax Rates
- (C) Adopt the 2025 Capital Projects Fund Plan and Resolution
- (D) Adopt the 2025 Bus Replacement Plan Resolution
- (E) Approve and Adopt the 2<sup>nd</sup> Reading of Board Policy 6250 – Required ADM Counts for the Purpose of State Funding and

Verification of Residency for Membership and Board Policy  
3220.01- Teacher Appreciation Grants

- (F) Approve a Technology Upgrade to NPHS Weight Room
- (G) Approve the Memorandum of Understanding for High-School Based Dual Credit between NPUSC and Ivy Tech Community College
- (H) Approve Overnight Field Trip Requests

**VI. DISCUSSION ITEMS**

**VII. BOARD COMMENTS**

**VIII. ADJOURNMENT**