

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

**AGENDA**

**Regular Meeting**

New Prairie High School  
Amazon Think Big Room  
5333 N Cougar Rd  
New Carlisle, IN 46552

**Monday, May 18, 2026  
5:00 p.m. (Central Time)**

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

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

**Core Values**

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

To create an environment that supports our mission we...

1. *Believe in continuous improvement*
2. *Are student-centered*
3. *Work towards common understanding*
4. *Prioritize student academic growth*
5. *Value honest relationships*
6. *Collaborate with our community learning partners*
7. *Strive for excellence in all extra and co-curricular activities*

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NOTE: The Board's meeting site is fully accessible to all people. 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. Board meetings are also streamed live on YouTube by going to [YouTube.com/@npuscboardmeetings](https://www.youtube.com/@npuscboardmeetings).

#### **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 at 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 – April 27, 2026
- (B) Financial Reports
- (C) Claims
- (D) Payroll
- (E) Personnel Report

#### **IV. REPORTS**

- (A) Superintendent's Report

#### **V. ACTION ITEMS**

- (A) Accept Donations
  - Heston Hills Event Center, Tim & Jackie Ohlund, donated the room charge and a discount toward the food for the NPHS Top Ten Dinner valued at \$2,255
  - NPHS FFA Chapter received a donation of \$150 from D.A.Dodd
  - Amazon donated the following grant awards to NPUSC:
    - \$100,000 for the "Think Big Space" located at New Prairie High School
    - \$50,000 for career exploration field trips, career fair and other career related activities
  - NPUSC, in partnership with the South Bend Regional Chamber of Commerce, was awarded the second round of the Career Coaching Grant from the Indiana Commission for Higher Education. From this

grant, NPUSC received \$50,000 for career exploration and career coaching-related activities.

- NPUSC Angel Fund received a donation of \$100 from Renee Millar in memory of Ron Szczypiorski
- Olive Twp. Elementary School received a donation of \$29.15 from the Hudson Lake Mennonite Church

- (B) Approve the Purchase Agreement of the Sale of Land to the Town of New Carlisle
- (C) Approve Overnight Field Trip Requests
- (D) Approve the Operation Agreement with LaPorte County Career & Technical Education for 2026-2027 school year
- (E) Approve the NIESC Shared Dietitian Consortium Service Contract for the 2026-2027 school year
- (F) Approve the NIESC School Nutrition Consultant Agreement for 2026-2027 school year
- (G) Approve the Renewal of Follett Destiny Library Management & Services for all NPUSC Buildings for the 2026-2027 School Year
- (H) Approve the Renewal of FinalForms Student & Activity Registration Services for all Buildings for the 2026-2027 School Year
- (I) Approve the Updated, Revised Transportation Employee Handbook beginning 2026-2027 School Year

**VI. DISCUSSION ITEMS**

**VII. BOARD COMMENTS**

**VIII. ADJOURNMENT**