



Monday, November 17, 2025 6:00 p.m.

Secondary MRC - Box 89, New Sharon, Iowa 50207

NORTH MAHASKA COMMUNITY SCHOOLS

Board of Education

Board Agenda

[Link to meeting virtually](#)

North Mahaska

Mission: To prepare students to be positive, productive citizens with the passion and skills for lifelong learning.

BOARD GOALS

Academic Excellence

- Develop a Portrait of a Graduate
- Create individual pathways of learning for students
- Foster innovation in teaching and learning
- Support growth through quality staff professional development

Community Engagement

- Cultivate effective stakeholder communication
- Foster effective relationships with community stakeholders
- Partner with families to nurture student success

Resource Management

- Ensure fiscal responsibility
- Recruit and retain quality staff
- Maintain well-kept facilities

Expect the Best - Working together to achieve excellence

6:00 Regular Board Meeting

1. Call Meeting to Order
2. Approve the Agenda
3. Approve Consent Agenda
 - a. Approval of Minutes
 - i. [October 20, 2025](#)
 - b. Approve Secretary's Financial Accounts
 - i. General Bank Reconciliation
 - ii. Capital Projects Bank Reconciliation
 - iii. All Other Bank Reconciliations
 - iv. ISJIT Bank Reconciliation
 - v. Balance Sheet
 - vi. Invoice Listing / Bills Paid
 - vii. ISJIT Summary
 - viii. Negative Lunch Balances
 1. Active
 2. Inactive
 - ix. Certified Budget Comparison

- x. Nutrition Assessment
- c. Approve Personnel Changes
 - i. New Hires:
 - 1. Volunteer Girls Varsity BB Coach: Lara Widdig
 - 2. [Shooting Sport: Tracy Vander Wiel](#)
 - 3. [JH BB Coach: Cory Gibson](#)
 - ii. Resignations:
 - 1. None at this time
- d. Approve 2025-26 Fundraisers
 - i. Soup Supper - Fine Arts Boosters
 - ii. Chuck-a-duck - Fine Arts Boosters
- 4. Communications
 - a. Receive Visitors/ Public Forum -
 - i. [What to expect during the public forum section of the meeting](#)
 - b. Written Communication
 - c. Elementary Literacy Team Update
 - d. Student Council Update - Trenton and/or Emmerson
 - e. NM Athletic Booster Update
- 5. Adjourn Meeting

Organizational Meeting

Board Secretary, as President Pro-Tem will preside over the meeting until a new President is elected.

- 6. Call Meeting to Order
- 7. Board Election Results - Canvass of Votes
- 8. Swearing in of New Board Members
- 9. Reorganization of the Board
 - a. Election of Board President
 - b. Election of Vice President
 - c. Appoint Board Secretary
 - d. Appoint Board Treasurer
- 10. Establish Meeting Date, Time and Location
- 11. Appointment of Committee Representatives
 - a. IASB Delegate and Legislative Network
 - b. County Conference Committee
 - c. Negotiations Team Member
 - d. School Advisory Committee Member
 - e. North Mahaska Education Foundation Representative
 - f. Day Care / Preschool Committee
 - g. FFA Advisory Committee
 - h. North Mahaska Athletic Booster Representative
 - i. Fine Arts Booster Representative ?????
- 12. Place additional items of agenda - adjust sequence, if necessary
- 13. Old Business
 - a. Voluntary Annexation - Shea Greiner
- 14. New Business
 - a. Approve **Policy Primer Vol 33 #3 - Second Reading**
 - b. Approve **Policy Primer Vol 33 #4 - Second Reading**
 - c. Approve [Policy Primer Vol 34 #1](#) with exception of Policy 708 - **Second Reading**
 - d. Approve [Board Policy 708 - Second Reading](#)
 - e. Approve Policy 407.02: Licensed Employee Contract Release - **First Reading**
 - f. Approve State Dance Overnight Stay
 - g. Approve SBRC Application
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- i. Approve [Depository Resolution](#)
- j. Nutrition Update
- k. Select a Date For Closed Session
 - i. Superintendent Evaluation
- 15. Principal Report
 - a. [Elementary Report](#)
 - b. Secondary Report
- 16. Information & Discussion
 - a. [Project Update](#)
 - b. IASB Annual Conference
 - c. Portrait of a Graduate Update
 - d. Survey Information
 - e. [Certified Enrollment](#)
 - i. [Open Enrollment Summary](#)
 - f. School Improvement Advisory Committee (SIAC) Recommendations
 - g. Situational Awareness Presentation
 - h. Employee Referral Program Procedures
- 17. Board Comments / Thank You Notes
- 18. Adjourn

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