



Monday, August 17, 2026 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	Community Engagement	Resource Management
• 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	• Cultivate effective stakeholder communication • Foster effective relationships with community stakeholders • Partner with families to nurture student success	• Ensure fiscal responsibility • Recruit and retain quality staff • Maintain well-kept facilities

Expect the Best - Working together to achieve excellence

Amended Agenda

5:00 pm The Board of Directors will be attending the Ribbon Cutting Ceremony for the new NM Elementary Playground. No official business will be done at this ceremony.

6:00 Regular Board Meeting

1. Call Meeting to Order
2. Approve the Agenda
3. Approve Consent Agenda
 - a. Approval of Minutes
 - i. [July 20, 2026 Minutes](#)
 - 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. Lunchroom Supervisor: Ralph Munson
 - 2. FB Cheer Coach: Jaclynn Willemssen
 - 3. Secondary Secretary: Kim Hudson
 - 4. ParaEducator - Amber Baldock
 - 5. ParaEducator - Nikki Schwarting
 - 6. ParaEducator - Erin Chriswell
 - 7. ParaEducator - Ralph Munson
 - 8. DLT/BLT Positions:
 - a. Megan Meyers (.5)
 - b. Ashley Schroeder (.5)
 - c. Jess Jones
 - d. Tara Grier
 - e. Stephanie Hargis
 - f. Nicole DeBoef
 - g. Jana Boonstra
 - h. Emily Ebeling
 - i. Matt Wilson
 - j. Ryan Groom
 - k. Erica Groom
 - l. Alexis Dafflito
 - m. Molly Ray
 - n. Jordan Scull
 - o. Stacie Johannes
 - p. Shayla Schilling
 - q. Alisha Briggs / Amanda Ross
 - 9. PLC leads:
 - a. Megan Meyers (.5)
 - b. Ashley Schroeder (.5)
 - c. Jess Jones
 - d. Nicole DeBoef
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 - ii. Resignations:
 - 1. Paraeducator: Breanna Mossman
 - 2. Paraeducator: Summer Viar

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- d. Approve Fundraisers
 - i. [Fine Arts Boosters - Selling Hats](#)
 - ii. [Fine Arts Boosters - Fall Bake Sale](#)
 - iii. [Dance Team - Drive Through Meal](#)
 - iv. [Dance Team - Cheer / Dance Clinic](#)
 - v. [Dance Team - Hair/Makeup at Father Daughter Dance](#)
- 4. Communications
 - a. Receive Visitors/ Public Forum -
 - i. [What to expect during the public forum section of the meeting](#)
 - b. Written Communication
 - c. Student Council Update
 - d. NM Athletic Booster Update
- 5. Place additional items of agenda - adjust sequence, if necessary
- 6. New Business
 - a. Approve [Policy Update Vol. 34 #5 - 2026 Legislative Updates](#) - **Second** Reading
 - b. [Approve Indian Hills Contract for Student Attending RISE Program](#)
 - c. Approve State Participant Overnight Trips
- 7. Principal Report
 - a. [Elementary Report](#)
 - b. [Secondary Report](#)
- 8. Information & Discussion
 - a. Discuss Work Session Topic for September
 - b. Cottingham and Butler
 - c. Project Update
 - d. District Professional Development
 - e. IASB Annual Conference: Nov. 18-20
 - f. RSAI Annual Meeting: October 8
 - g. Master Plan Update
 - h. City Cross Walks
- 9. Board Comments / Thank You Notes
- 10. Adjourn

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