

MCBAIN RURAL AGRICULTURAL BOARD OF EDUCATION

Regular Meeting –June 8, 2026

Library Meeting room

Meeting called to order by Eisenga at 6:00 p.m.

PRESENT: Eisenga, Abrahamson, Heuker, Kline, McLain, Stahl, Voelker

ABSENT: None

ADMINISTRATION PRESENT: Akom

ADMINISTRATION ABSENT: Wissner, Finstrom, Rodenbaugh

PRESENT: Taylor Bontekoe, ISD

AMEND AGENDA

Motion by Stahl supported by Kline to accept the amended the agenda. Motion carried.

Ayes: 7

Nays: 0

PUBLIC COMMENT

None

APPROVE MINUTES

Motion by Abrahamson supported by Voelker to approve the May Board minutes. Motion carried.

Ayes: 7

Nays: 0

INVOICES APPROVED

General fund invoices were reviewed. Motion by Kline supported by Voelker to approve general fund invoices in the amount of \$459,044.78 and food service invoices in the amount of \$64,447.01 for payment thereof.

Motion carried.

Ayes: 7

Nays: 0

PRESIDENT

Principal reports

SUPERINTENDENT REPORT

Successful school year

Summer work begins

Closed on Miedema Auction building

Grace Street property

Elementary teaching staff PD for reading curriculum

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John Vongphasouk retirement
Hire recommendation Student Services Assistant – Jordan Fox
Middle School baseball and softball
Kitchen generator
Summer meals
Special board meeting June 22, 2026

BUSINESS MANAGER

Budgets
Cash flow
Checklist for audit

MASB

Budget on time
Property tax
Resolution and Bylaw'
Fall Conference October 2026 in Lansing

DISCUSSION

Sinking Fund Levy – How much we plan to levy for the next year? – Maximum amount

RESIGNATION

Motion by Abrahamson supported by Voelker to accept the resignation of Garick Hill, custodian. Motion carried.

Ayes: 7
Nays: 0

FULL TIME CUSTODIAN

Motion by Voelker supported by Kline to accept the move from part time to full time custodian for Amber Kroes. Motion carried.

Ayes: 7
Nays: 0

RETIREMENT

Motion by Stahl supported by Voelker to accept the retirement of John Vongphasouk, custodian. Motion carried.

Ayes: 7
Nays: 0

HIRE RECOMMENDATION

Motion by Voelker supported by Abrahamson to accept the hire recommendation of Jordan Fox, Student Services Assistant. Motion carried.

Ayes: 7
Nays: 0

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WMISD GENERAL BUDGET 26/27

Motion by Voelker supported by Abrahamson to approve the WMISD General Budget 2026/2027. Motion carried.

Ayes: 7

Nays: 0

STAFF CONTRACTS

Motion by McLain supported by Heuker to approve the 2627 staff contract for transportation, Scott Dunham and Russ Rodenbaugh. Motion carried.

Ayes: 7

Nays: 0

STAFF CONTRACTS

Motion by Voelker supported by Abrahamson to approve the 2627 staff contract for Jen Suck. Motion carried.

Ayes: 7

Nays: 0

STAFF CONTRACTS

Motion by Abrahamson supported by Voelker to approve the 2627 staff contract for library, Diane Eisenga. Motion carried.

Ayes: 7

Nays: 0

STAFF CONTRACTS

Motion by McLain supported by Abrahamson to approve the 2627 staff contract for secretary, Jaime Kirt. Motion carried.

Ayes: 7

Nays: 0

STAFF CONTRACTS

Motion by Abrahamson supported by Heuker to approve the 2627 staff contract for Social School Worker, Melanie Schmid. Motion carried.

Ayes: 7

Nays: 0

STAFF CONTRACTS

Motion by Voelker supported by Abrahamson to approve the 26-28 staff contract for School Safety Officer, Jacob Foutch. Motion carried.

Ayes: 7

Nays: 0

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STAFF CONTRACTS

Motion by Stahl supported by Kline to approve the 2627 staff contract for preschool, Carsyn Agema, Morgan Bradley, Reese Ensing, Mikayla Flynn, Tonya Hinton, Jennifer Perez, Mariah Plugger, Naomi Pontz, Mackenzie Reed, Bonnie Schripsema, Melissa Wanstead, Karen Westmaas, Chelsea Wolbers, Chelsi Eisenga, Adi Ridgeway, Katelyn Smallegan, Keianna Sibinovski, Tina Rozeveld. Motion carried.

Ayes: 7

Nays: 0

2027 BAND TRIP

Motion by McLain supported by Voelker to approve the 2027 Band Trip to Disney. Motion carried.

Ayes: 7

Nays: 0

MIDDLE SCHOOL BASEBALL AND SOFTBALL

Motion by McLain supported by Voelker to approve Middle School baseball and softball as school sponsored sports. Motion carried.

Ayes: 7

Nays: 0

MIDDLE SCHOOL SCOREBOARD

Motion by McLain supported by Voelker to accept the quote from Daktronics for Middle School scoreboards. Motion carried.

Ayes: 7

Nays: 0

ELEMENTARY HVAC

Motion by Voelker supported by Stahl to accept the quote for the replacement of the elementary cafeteria rooftop HVAC unit. Motion carried.

Ayes: 7

Nays: 0

FLOOR SCRUBBER

Motion by Voelker supported by Abrahamson to approve the quote for a Betco Microrider 21” floor scrubber. Motion carried.

Ayes: 7

Nays: 0

GENERATOR

Motion by Voelker supported by Abrahamson to accept the quote from Ebels Heating and Cooling for a kitchen generator. Motion carried.

Ayes: 7

Nays: 0

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PUBLIC COMMENT

None

BOARD ROUNDTABLE

Multiple cars regarding Graduation

Follow-up MHSAA comment

Golf team uniforms

MASB new Vice President from Alpena

Motion by Voelker supported by McLain to adjourn at 6:38pm. Motion carried.

Ayes: 7

Nays: 0

Respectfully submitted,

Karen Abrahamson, Secretary