

MCBAIN RURAL AGRICULTURAL BOARD OF EDUCATION

Regular Meeting –August 10, 2026

Library Meeting room

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

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

ABSENT: Voelker

ADMINISTRATION PRESENT: Akom, Wissner, Finstrom, Rodenbaugh

ADMINISTRATION ABSENT:

PRESENT: Taylor Bontekoe, ISD

AMEND AGENDA

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

Ayes: 6

Nays: 0

PUBLIC COMMENT

None

APPROVE MINUTES

Motion by McLain supported by Abrahamson to approve the July Board Meeting minutes and July Closed Session minutes. Motion carried.

Ayes: 6

Nays: 0

INVOICES APPROVED

General fund invoices were reviewed. Motion by Kline supported by McLain to approve general fund invoices in the amount of \$389,156.12, food service invoices in the amount of \$31,507.39, community library invoices in the amount of \$13,578.50 and student activities invoices in the amount of \$913.58 for payment thereof. Motion carried.

Ayes: 6

Nays: 0

PRESIDENT REPORT

Next Monday staff breakfast

SUPERINTENDENT REPORT

Staff Breakfast

Elementary flooring

Closed on Grace Street land

Wednesday install city water meter

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BUSINESS MANAGER

Audit went well
State budget
Preschool update

ELEMENTARY REPORT

Meeting new families
Flooring looks good
Title I
Open House on the 18th
Kindergarten first day

MIDDLE SCHOOL REPORT

New math options

HIGH SCHOOL REPORT

Fall sports

COMMITTEE

Rambler Legacy award

MASB

October 14-18 Annual Leadership Conference

HIRE RECOMMENDATION

Motion by Abrahamson supported by Kline to accept the hire recommendation of Jennifer Logan, teacher.
Motion carried.
Ayes: 6
Nays: 0

RETIREMENT

Motion by Stahl supported by McLain to accept the retirement of Michelle Nielsen, cook. Motion carried.
Ayes: 6
Nays: 0

HIGH SCHOOL REMODEL

Motion by Abrahamson supported by McLain to approve the DK Design quote for High School remodel.
Motion carried.
Ayes: 6
Nays: 0

EMERGENCY OPERATING PROCEDURE WIRELESS DEVICES ADDENDUM

Motion by McLain supported by Abrahamson to approve the addendum for Emergency Operating Procedure for student wireless devices during an emergency – as previously presented. Motion carried.
Ayes: 6
Nays: 0

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2026-2027 HANDBOOK

Motion by Abrahamson supported by Kline to approve the 2026-2027 Elementary, Middle School, High School, Athletic, and Preschool Handbook as presented. Motion carried.

Ayes: 6

Nays: 0

2027 COURSE CATALOG

Motion by Abrahamson supported by McLain to approve the Elementary, Middle School, High School and Preschool 2026-2027 Course Catalog. Motion carried.

Ayes: 6

Nays: 0

2027 EMPLOYEE HANDBOOK

Motion by Stahl supported by McLain to approve the 2027 Employee Handbook as presented. Motion carried.

Ayes: 6

Nays: 0

PUBLIC COMMENT

None

BOARD ROUNDTABLE

Stahl preschool program

Motion by McLain supported by Kline to adjourn at 6:23 pm. Motion carried.

Ayes: 6

Nays: 0

Respectfully submitted,

Karen Abrahamson, Secretary