NORTH MUSKEGON PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Board of Education Regular Meeting MS/HS Library November 17, 2025

APPROVED MINUTES

President, Steve Bliss, called the Regular Board meeting of the North Muskegon Board of Education to order at 6:00 p.m.

PRESENT: S. Bliss, B. Scheerer, L. Potts, K. Senkow, and L. Winter

ABSENT: S. Burmeister, C. Nedeau

OTHERS

PRESENT: Curt Babcock, Kristie Hall, Jenn Schultz, Jessica Wiseman, Paul Henderson, Rachel Netcott, Clayton Lowe, LeeAnn Lawie, Tracy Scofield, Copeland Schofield, Marissa Zonnebelt, Melanie Wymer, and Khim Rossiter

Consent Agenda

It was moved by B. Scheerer supported by K. Senkow to approve the consent agenda as presented. Motion approved by all board members.

Public Comments

Clayton Lowe asked about October's student count numbers and commented on how good the NM graduates are succeeding in their sports at Hope this year.

Committee Reports

Financial Committee – The committee met to discuss October payables and financials, credit card, budget balance sheets, bond payments.

Academic Affairs – The committee met and received an update MTSS and award for the Elementary. They reviewed all the High School AP offerings, Norse Advocates and Strategic Plan update.

Presentation

Mr. Henderson updated the board on how far we've come with the cameras around the building, initially had 40 and now we have 130. The new cameras are much more advanced and we have clearer visibility than in the past. Mr. Henderson and Officer Robart have also renumbered the cameras physically and digitally so finding what's needed from a specific area is now much easier.

Mrs. Netcott, Ms. Schofield, Marissa and Copeland shared their experience and pictures of their Europe 2025 trip that had 21 people all together mixing with friends, Montague and NM students. They all had a great time and learning experience.

New Business

11.17.25 – 701– 2nd Reading and Approval of Policy Updates

It was moved by B. Scheerer, supported by L. Winter to approve the Policy Updates as presented.

11.17.25 – 702 – Approval July 2027 Europe – Rome/Athens/Greek Islands Trip

It was moved by L. Winter, supported by K. Senkow to approve the July 2027 Europe – Rome/Athens/Greek Islands Trip as presented.

Board Comments

- **B. Scheerer** Ben commented about the great travel opportunities that NM offers students. Ben thanked Paul for the camera/security update.
- **S. Bliss** Steve thanked Rachel, Tracy and students for their presentation. Congrats to Jon and Elementary Staff on the MTSS award. Steve thanked Jenn for great job with the Academic Awards and thanked Mr. Friesner for the Veteran's breakfast. Steve thanked Paul for the camera updates and showing how it's improving our security, very important.
- **L. Potts** Lisa thanked Paul, Rachel, Tracy and students for their presentation. Congrats to Jon and Elementary Staff on the MTSS award. Lisa thanked Jenn for great job with the Academic Awards and thanked Mr. Friesner for the Veteran's breakfast.
- **K. Senkow** Kim thanked Rach and Tracy for their trip recap, brought back some great travel memories. Kim thanked Paul for the camera updates and showing how it's improving our security. Kim congratulated all our students inducted into NHS and all our student athletes, on and off the field.
- **L. Winter** Lisa thanked Paul for the camera updates. Lisa thanked Rachel and Tracy for their trip recap. Lisa informed us of her grandfather-in-law's passing who had been a huge supporter of NM and in lieu of flowers people were asked to donate to NEF.
- **C. Babcock** Curt thanked all the attended the NEF event and the NEF board for their great yearend event. Norse advocates met for the first time last week with 15-16 parents from the community, the next meeting is February 6.

Adjournment

With there being no further business before the Board of Education, Steve Bliss, President, adjourned the meeting at 6:40 p.m.

Respectfully submitted, Kristie Hall, Recording Secretary Lisa Winter, Secretary Board of Education