

**BOARD OF SCHOOL TRUSTEES  
NEW PRAIRIE UNITED SCHOOL CORPORATION**

**AGENDA**

**Regular Meeting**

Central Office

NEW PRAIRIE UNITED SCHOOL CORPORATION

5327 N. Cougar Rd.

New Carlisle, IN 46552

**Monday, November 27, 2017**

**6:00 p.m. (Central Time)**

**VISION**

The New Prairie United School Corporation, in collaboration with its community, provides students with a quality education that develops responsible citizens as life long learners.

**MISSION**

Our mission is to utilize current best practices and the resources of our community to achieve the Vision of the New Prairie United School Corporation.

**NPUSC EDUCATIONAL GOALS**

- **Provide all students with the fundamental processes of learning and the skills necessary to compete in the global marketplace.**
- **Use comprehensive data sources to drive instruction for mastery of academic standards.**
- **Afford all staff the opportunity to gain knowledge through ongoing training that directly supports and enhances the student educational process.**
- **Utilize technology to enhance student learning.**
- **Ensure all students are provided a safe, healthy, nurturing, and disciplined school environment.**
- **Provide all students with the opportunity to participate in the most educationally appropriate extra-curricular activities.**

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NOTE: The Board's meeting site is fully accessible to all persons. Any person requiring further accommodation should contact the Superintendent's Office with the School Corporation's administrative office at 574-654-7273 or 219-778-2814

**I. CALL TO ORDER/PLEDGE**

Community members requesting permission to address the Board on a specific agenda item are requested to complete a registration form for each item prior to the conclusion of Item III. Individuals will be permitted to speak at that time or during the specific agenda item excluding Consent Items. Any questions on the Consent Items shall be addressed to the Superintendent by contacting his office. Persons will be restricted to one appearance per item and limited to three (3) minutes.

**II. ADOPT AGENDA**

**III. INSTRUCTIONAL PRESENTATION**

(A) New Prairie Middle School - Ready Math Presentation

**IV. CONSENT ITEMS**

- (A) Minutes – October 30, 2017 and November 7, 2017
- (B) Financial Reports
- (C) Claims
- (D) Payroll
- (E) Personnel Report

**V. REPORTS**

(A) Superintendent's Report

**VI. ACTION ITEMS**

- (A) Accept Donations
  - The Board of Directors of the Healthcare Foundation of LaPorte, Inc. has awarded NPUSC with the "Healthy from the Start Healthy Living" Grant for \$78,267
  - Mr. & Mrs. Gyan and Sheila Joshi donated copies of the Award Winning book "Finders Keepers" to the NPUSC Elementary School Libraries
  - NPUS Robotics Team received donations of:
    - \$250 from Active Health and Wellness Center in South Bend
    - Safety glasses and earplugs from O-Tech of Rolling Prairie
  - Feed the Children donated to NPUSC 23 lbs. of school supplies and 26 lbs. of New childrens books valued at \$456.57
- (B) Approve Overnight Field Trip Requests

- New Prairie High School HOSA Team to the State Leadership Conference in Indianapolis, IN, April 9 – 11, 2018
  - New Prairie High School HOSA Team to the International Leadership Conference in Dallas, TX, (if qualified) June 26 – July 1, 2018
  - New Prairie High School Wrestling Team to Lafayette Jefferson High School, Lafayette, IN, December 28 – 29, 2017
  - New Prairie High School Wrestling Team to the Fort Wayne Coliseum for IHSWCA Competition December 22 – 23, 2017
  - New Prairie High School and Middle School Dance Teams to Greencastle, IN, for State Competition March 9 – 10, 2018
- (C) Approve the Go Solutions Group, Inc. Indiana Service Agreement for 2018
- (D) Approve Conflict of Interest Disclosure
- Al Williamson
  - Dale Groves
  - Amy Bradburn
- (E) Approve Unleaded and Bio-Diesel Fuel Bid Renewal for 2017-2018 School Year
- (F) Approve the Memorandum of Agreement between New Prairie High School and Therapy Works
- (G) Approve the South LaPorte County Special Education Cooperative Resolution regarding the Teacher Appreciation Grant
- (H) Approve the MOU between New Prairie United School Corporation Nutrition Services and New Prairie United School Corporation Afterschool Programs
- (I) Approve the MOU between New Prairie United School Corporation Afterschool Programs and the New Prairie United School Corporation Administration

VII. **DISCUSSION ITEMS**

- (A) 1<sup>st</sup> reading of Revised Board Policy 2623.01

VIII. **BOARD COMMENTS**

IX. **ADJOURNMENT**