

Regularly Scheduled Board Meeting

Administration Office, 4711 S. 500 W. New Palestine, In 46163
Monday, October 27, 2025
6:30pm

1 Welcome/Call to Order/Pledge

Mrs. Laura Haeberle, Board President

2 Approval of Agenda

Mrs. Laura Haeberle, Board President

Agenda dated October 27, 2025.

Board approval is requested at this time.

3 Citizens Comments on Agenda Items

Mrs. Laura Haeberle, Board President

Persons wishing to address the Board on an agenda item shall register by completing the Comments on Agenda Items Form and submitting the form to the Secretary of the Board prior to the start of the meeting. The registration form will include the name of the person(s) providing comment, the organization represented (if any), and identify the agenda item to be addressed. The agenda will be posted at the administration office and at each of the school buildings at least five (5) days (including Saturday and Sunday) prior to the meeting (i.e., by Wednesday before a Monday meeting). Copies of the agenda will also be available at the scheduled Board Meeting. Comments on agenda items will be heard at the start of the Board Meeting.

4 Consideration of Routine Business

Mrs. Laura Haeberle, Board President

4.1 Approval of Minutes

Mrs. Laura Haeberle, Board President

Regular Meeting Minutes dated October 13, 2025.

Board approval is requested at this time.

4.2 Claims and Finances

Mrs. Laura Haeberle, Board President

Payroll Claims dated October 10, 2025.

Board approval is requested at this time.

4.3 Donations

Mrs. Sarah Gizzi, Director of Finance

Linda Fowler issued a check to NPHS in the amount of \$500.00. She would like the donation to go to the NPHS We the People account.

Board approval is requested at this time.

5 New Business

Mrs. Laura Haeberle, Board President

5.1 Approval of Master Contract Ratification

Mrs. Sarah Gizzi, Director of Finance

Mrs. Gizzi is requesting approval of the 2025-2026 Master Contract between New Palestine Community Schools and the New Palestine Classroom Teachers Association.

Board approval is requested at this time.

5.2 2026 Budget Approval

Mrs. Sarah Gizzi, Director of Finance

Approval of the 2026 Budget is requested at this time. The budget has been advertised in alignment with the state guidelines and a hearing was held on September 29, 2025.

Board approval is requested at this time.

5.3 Budget Resolution

Mrs. Sarah Gizzi, Director of Finance

Mrs. Gizzi is requesting approval of the attached resolution allowing for proper adjustments to the 2026 Budget as necessary.

Board approval is requested at this time.

5.4 Resolution to Transfer Amounts Between the Education Fund and the Operations Fund

Mrs. Sarah Gizzi, Director of Finance

Mrs. Gizzi is requesting approval of the attached resolution to transfer amounts between the Education Fund and the Operations Fund.

Board Approval is requested at this time.

5.5 Local Income Tax Distribution

Mrs. Sarah Gizzi, Director of Finance

Mrs. Gizzi is requesting approval of the attached distribution of the County Adjusted Gross Income Tax (CAGIT) for the 2026 Budget.

Board approval is requested at this time.

5.6 Approval of the Transfer of Career Technical Education (CTE) District to the

Hancock County Career Center (HC3)

Dr. Gina Pleak, Superintendent

Dr. Pleak will present information regarding New Palestine Community Schools' transition from the Walker Career Center to the Hancock County Career Center (HC3), effective with the 2026-2027 school year.

Board approval is requested at this time.

6 Informal Comments

Mrs. Laura Haeberle, Board President

The Board President may call for additional informal public comment at this time, if, in his/her judgement, time permits and more comment is warranted. The time limit for such comments will be set by the President, who may also permit the administration or Board to respond to these public comments at his/her discretion.

An informal comment form must be completed on the evening of the board meeting and submitted to the Secretary of the Board prior to the start of the meeting.

7 Board Member Comments

Mrs. Laura Haeberle, Board President

8 Adjournment

Mrs. Laura Haeberle, Board President

Board approval is requested at this time.