

Members Present: Mrs. Linda Blum, President
Mrs. Jane Woodie, Vice President
Mr. Nick Orrill
Mr. Chris Pulos
Mr. James Paul, Student Board Presentative

Members Absent: Dr. Karl Espeleta

Mrs. Blum presided over the meeting. The meeting was opened with the Pledge of Allegiance and the reading of the district's mission statement.

The student representative vote contained in these minutes is recorded for the purpose of participation but is not part of the count in determining approval or disapproval of items.

No. 26-65 Mrs. Blum motioned to approve the adoption of the agenda as presented. Mr. Orrill seconded the motion and the roll call vote was as follows:

Aye: Blum, Orrill, Woodie, Pulos

Aye: Paul

Motion Carried

SPECIAL PRESENTATION

STRATEGIC PLAN

Mr. Knecht and Mr. Watson updated the Board on Strategy 3 - Facilities.

RECOGNITIONS

Mrs. Blum congratulated Mr. Thomas for receiving the Adrienne Draper Community Champion Award from the Northmont Chamber of Commerce.

No. 26-66 Mrs. Woodie motioned to dispense with the reading of the minutes. Mr. Orrill seconded the motion and the roll call was as follows:

Aye: Woodie, Orrill, Blum, Pulos

Aye: Paul

Motion Carried

No. 26-67 Mr. Pulos motioned to approve the the treasurer's agenda as follows:

- A. Approve the minutes of the regular meeting of March 9, 2026.
- B. Approve the amended appropriations for fiscal year 2026.
- C. Approve the amended estimated resources for fiscal year 2026.
- D. Approve the Then and Now Certifications:

Vendor	Purchase Order #	Purchase Order Date	Invoice No.	Amount
Everdriven Technologies	1145753	3/2/2026	83642	\$10,492.98

Mrs. Woodie seconded the motion and the roll call vote was as follows:

Aye: Pulos, Woodie, Blum, Orrill

Aye: Paul

Motion Carried

No. 26-68 Mr. Orrill motioned to approve the personnel agenda as follows:

RESIGNATIONS/RETIREMENTS - CLASSIFIED

Stephanie Cavaliero	Resignation as Educational Assistant, Effective 3/13/26 - KELC
Rachel Ritenour-Bartley	Resignation as Paraprofessional, Effective 3/20/26 - NM
Ronald Holtz	Resignation as Custodian 2nd Shift, Effective 3/18/26 - EH
Amy Rust	Resignation as Food Service Worker, Effective 3/9/26 - MS
Vicky Sartain	Resignation as Food Service Cashier, Effective 3/20/26 - HS
Mary Townsend	Resignation as Educational Assistant, Effective 5/31/26 - KELC

PROBATIONARY PERIOD TERMINATION - CLASSIFIED

Edward Ullery	Bus Driver, Effective 3/11/26 - SC
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RECOMMENDATIONS FOR THREE YEAR CONTRACTS - AUGUST 1, 2026 - JULY 31, 2029

Jordan Greve
Micah Harding
Leslie Hobbs
Joseph Johnston
Shane Kincer
E. Brandon Knecht
William Mengerink
Sally Moore
C. Lynnette Roeth

NEW CONTRACTS/APPOINTMENTS - CLASSIFIED

Charity Abayowa	Substitute Educational Assistant & Paraprofessional, As Needed, Effective 3/19/26 - K-6
Stephanie Cavaliero	Substitute Educational Assistant & Paraprofessional, As Needed, Effective 3/16/26 - KELC/PS
Christina MacGowan	Substitute Bus Assistant, As Needed, Effective 3/9/26 - SC
Brooke Mathis	Substitute Bus Assistant & Educational Assistant, As Needed, Effective 3/17/26 - SC
Terrance Roth	Custodian 2nd Shift, 8 Hrs. Per Day, 3 Yrs. Exp., Effective 3/23/26 - NM
William Wells	Substitute Bus Assistant & Educational Assistant, As Needed, Effective 3/16/26 - SC

RETURN FROM PAID ADMINISTRATIVE LEAVE - CLASSIFIED

Ronald Holtz	Return from Paid Administrative Leave - Effective 3/12/26 - EH
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CHANGE IN CONTRACT/APPOINTMENT - CLASSIFIED

Mavis Goldman	From Bus Assistant 5.42 Hrs. Per Day to Van Driver 4.83 Hrs. Per Day, Effective 3/2/26 - SC
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BUILDING CHANGE

Eric Buford	From Head Custodian HS to NM, Effective 2/17/26
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SUBSTITUTE TEACHERS

Lillian Beer
Greta Carter
Emma Conway
Haileigh Zavakos

STUDENT AUDITORIUM TECHNICIANS

Kyra Burch
Darlena Dien
Summer Stiles
Julian Whitecar

EXTENDED DAYS 0-3

Katelyn Fries - HS

Mr. Pulos seconded the motion and the roll call vote was as follows:

Aye: Orrill, Pulos, Blum, Woodie

Motion Carried

No. 26-69 Mrs. Woodie motioned to approve the consent agenda as follows:

- A. First Reading of Board Policy: po1422 Replacement, po1422.02 Rescind, po1662 Rescind, po2431.06 New, po3122 Replacement, po3122.02 Rescind, po3362 Rescind, po3440, po4122 Replacement, po4122.02 Rescind, po4362 Rescind, po4440, po5112, po5421, po5730, po6220, po6320, po6325, po6423, po6424, po6460, po6465 New, po7450 New for NCSD, po8500
- B. Accept the public cash donation of \$1,000 from the Northmont Education Foundation for the Northmont High School After Prom.
- C. Accept the public cash donation of \$1,000 from the Color Guard of American Legion Post 707 for Northmont High School After Prom.
- D. Accept the public cash donation of \$1,000 from the ColorGuard of American Legion Post 707 for the DECA International Career Development Conference.
- E. Accept public cash donation of \$1,000 to Northmont High School DECA from the Northmont Optimist Club.
- F. Accept public cash donation of \$4,992 for the Kleptz Early Learning Center playground from the Kleptz PTO.
- G. Accept public cash donation of \$300 to the Northmont High School ROTC from the Kleptz PTO.
- H. Approve the increase of school meal prices by \$0.10 per meal for the 2026-2027 school year.

Mr. Pulos seconded the motion and the roll call vote was as follows:

Aye: Woodie, Pulos, Blum, Orrill

Aye: Paul

Motion Carried

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

*Thank you to the board members for the time spent understanding the policy updates. Most of them are required to stay compliant with recent legislative action.

*The District will be moving to Parent Square which offers the district a better platform for communication with all stakeholders.

*Thank you to the Strategy 3 team for their update on facilities. Having adequate facilities and buildings that are cheaper to operate is something that we as a community need to look into, especially when the state is willing to commit resources.

*Testing season will be upon us when we return from spring break.

*Englewood Hills hosted a dance last Friday.

*Professional development continues as we are working with building secretaries to improve systems as technology and reporting changes. Counselors are receiving updates on IEP reporting.

*The tech department just completed a security assessment to make sure the network is secure.

*Students will receive communications on Friday regarding acceptance to the MVCTC or if they are being placed on a waiting list for the programs they desired

*Union will host a community breakfast Friday morning. This is the last one of the school year.

No. 26-70 There being no further business, Mrs. Blum declared the meeting adjourned at 6:41 p.m. The next regular Board meeting will be April 13, 2026 at Northmont High School, 4810 National Road, Clayton, Ohio.

President

Linda Blum

Treasurer

M. Ann Fennell

Visitors: 16

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