

**NEW BUFFALO AREA SCHOOLS
BOARD OF EDUCATION REGULAR SESSION
Performing Arts Center
1112 E. Clay Street
P.O. Box 280
New Buffalo, MI 49117
September 28, 2026
6:00 PM**

New Buffalo Area Schools will be a beacon of academic excellence and individualized learning, where every student thrives in a supportive and inclusive environment. We will lead in preparing students for future success, driven by strong community partnerships and a commitment to growth and sustainability.

1. Call to Order by President Denise Churchill - Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.
2. Roll Call: Denise Churchill, Stephen Donnelly, John Haskins, Jennifer Summers, Vanessa Thun, Greg Vosberg, Lisa Werner
Also in Attendance: Mr. Adam Bowen, Superintendent of Schools
 Jonny Reinhardt – Communications Director
3. Expressions from the Public: None
4. Items too Late for Printed Agenda
5. Adoption of the Agenda
 Motion: Summers
 Second: Donnelly
 All ayes, motion carried.
6. Adoption of the Consent Agenda: Items on the Consent Agenda are to be voted on as a single item by the Board. Board Members may remove items from the Consent Agenda prior to vote. Discussion of the items that have been removed can take place at the appropriate time listed on the Agenda.
 - A. Minutes:
 Meeting Minutes August 10, 2026
 Meeting Minutes August 24, 2026
 Meeting Minutes September 14, 2026
 - B. General/Associated Funds - Bills Payable:
 1. General Fund:
 2. Payroll:
 3. Food Service:
 4. Scholarship Fund:
 5. Public Improvement:
 - C. Financials
 Motion: Thun
 Second: Summers
 All ayes, motion carried.
7. Communications: None

8. Committee Report(s)

A. Finance Committee Meeting: 9/21/26

9. 2025-2026 Audit Presentation: Kruggel, Lawton, & Company, L.L.C.

10. The Superintendent and Director of Finance recommend the Board accept the 2025-2026 audit as presented by Kruggel, Lawton, & Company, L.L.C.

Motion: Haskins

Second: Donnelly

All ayes, motion carried.

11. Presentation: Sam Stine - Curriculum Director: NBAS State Data

12. The Superintendent and Director of Finance recommend the Board relinquish the 2026-2027 Title III and Section 41 funds.

Motion: Thun

Second: Summers

All ayes, motion carried.

13. Remarks from the Superintendent

14. Remarks from the Board President and Members

Members of the board reminded community members about upcoming Up On The Hill fundraiser as well as the Anti Bullying Task Force meeting as well as Homecoming Oct. 9th

15. Discussion Item(s)

16. Other Business

17. Adjournment

Motion: Vosberg

Second: Summers

All ayes: Motion Carried

Meeting adjournment at 6:37 p.m.

Respectfully submitted

Vanessa Thun, Secretary

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