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Monticello Community School District
Regular Meeting of the Board of Education

Monday, October 26, 2026
6:00pm

Board Room
Monticello High School
850 East Oak Street
Monticello, IA 52310

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Tentative Agenda

1. **Opening Items**
   - 1.01 Call to Order
   - 1.02 Pledge of Allegiance (led by Schlarmann)
   - 1.03 Review Mission Statement (led by Schlarmann)
     The mission of the Monticello Community Schools, a district striving for educational excellence, is to prepare students through challenging experiences, to be caring, productive, creative citizens, who will be life-long learners.
   - 1.04 Roll Call (Schlarmann, Randolph, Amsler, Stadtmueller, ~~Norton~~)
2. **Approval of Agenda**
   - 2.01 Approval of Agenda
3. **Reports/Recognitions**
   - 3.01 Recognition of Visitors
   - 3.02 Celebrations
     a. Thank you to Nick, Todd, Gina, and Shannon for your dedication and teamwork. Happy Principals Month!
     b. Congratulations to Tricia Lambert on receiving the DuTrac Back to School Mini Grant!
     c. Congratulations to Cindy Savage and Carpenter Elementary on receiving the Silos & Smokestacks Grant for the 3rd Grade Field Trip to the University of Iowa Museum of Natural History!
     d. Congratulations to the Monticello boys who finished 6th out of twenty 2A teams at the middle school State XC Meet and to Avery Blakesley and Lily Cupples who received medals for finishing in the top 50 of over 100 runners!
     e. Congratulations to the following on their volleyball all conference awards: Kenya Davis-Robinson, first team all-conference; Emma Kromminga, second team all-conference; and Brynn Schmit, honorable mention!
   - 3.04 Principal's Reports (~~Elementary~~/Middle School/High School)
   - 3.05 Curriculum Director's Report
   - 3.06 Superintendent's Report
4. **Action Items**
   - 4.01 Consider Approval of Term Sheet for Sales Tax Financing for Distribution of Sales Tax Revenue Debt
   - 4.02 Consider Approval of Garling Construction Change Order #007 for a credit in the amount of $8,593.09 – Katie Harms, OPN Architects
   - 4.03 Consider Approval of Resolution Ordering Election on the Question of Continuing to Levy and Impose a Voter Approved Physical Plant & Equipment Property Tax and Income Surtax *(By Roll Call Vote)*

4.04 Consider Approval of Early Retirement Incentive Plan for 2026-2027 School Year
4.05 Consider Approval of 2026-2027 Early Graduation Requests
4.06 Consider Approval of 2026-2027 Superintendent Goals
4.07 Consider Approval of Additional Middle School Field Trip
4.08 Consider Approval of the First Reading of the Following Board Policies:
#801.1 Planning the Budget
#1002.2 Religious Expression

5. Consent Agenda

5.01 Approval of Consent Agenda Items
5.02 Approval of Minutes
5.03 Personnel (Resignations, Hires, Terminations, Transfers)
5.04 Acceptance of Donations
5.05 Monthly Financial Reports
5.06 Approval of Bills
5.07 Approval of 2026-27 Student Support Organizations
5.08 Approval of the Second and Final Reading of the Following Board Policies
#401.1 Equal Employment Opportunity
#403.1R1 Abuse of Students by District Employees Regulations *(deletion)*
#605.4 Technology and Instructional Materials
#605.4E1 Technology and Instructional Materials Exhibit
#~~706.4~~ 803.8 Time and Effort Reporting

6. Board Member Activity Reports

6.01 Board Member Activity Reports
6.02 What Did We Learn at This Meeting and What Would We Want the Public to Know?

7. Agenda Items for Future Work Sessions

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8. Meeting Dates/Announcements

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- Next Work Session – Wednesday, November 11 @ 6:00pm
- IASB Delegate Assembly is November 18
- IASB Annual Convention is November 18-19
- Next Board Meeting – Monday, November 23 @ 6:00pm

9. Adjournment

9.01 Adjournment

Exempt Session per Iowa Code

Immediately following board meeting

I. Bargaining sessions, strategy sessions of boards or employee organizations, mediation and the deliberative process of arbitrators in a collective bargaining process are exempt from the open meetings law. IOWA CODE § 20.17(3*). Burlington Community School District v. Public Employment Relations Board*. 268 N.W.2d 517, 524 (Iowa 1978).

II. To discuss strategy in matters relating to employment conditions of employees not covered by the collective bargaining law. Iowa Code 21.9.

This is an exempt session for the Board of Education and Superintendent. There will be no action or voting taken place on any of the above items.