

MACOMB INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL BOARD
MEETING MINUTES
September 16, 2026

CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order by Vice President Hubler at 4:05 p.m.

Members Present: Hubler, Farley, White and Schulte.
Members Excused: Genest.

Administrators Present: DeVault, Bollinger, Rilley, and Flye.

APPROVAL OF
AGENDA

1. The Agenda was accepted and moved by Farley, supported by Schulte. Ayes: all; Nays: none. Motion carried.

INTERESTING THINGS

Superintendent DeVault reported that the Donald Bollinger Education Center has officially opened and the students and staff are amazed! Parents that did not attend the dedication ceremony were able to meet the teacher and tour the building on September 2nd and 9th. They look forward to hosting more events for families.

This past Thursday, Lutz welcomed 35 new students to the Lutz family. It was wonderful to see the bright, smiling faces of our returning students as they came back to school. Lutz will celebrate its 50th anniversary on the 19th of September from 1-3 p.m. This special event will also include a celebration of the opening of the newly renovated building B.

The final check for the “Shoe Me Love” came in at \$2,070 for the Secondary Autism Program Fundraiser. Students were also excited to start practicing E-sports and competing with the EI programs.

OPEN MEETINGS
COMPLIANCE

Vice President Hubler asked patrons wishing to be heard to fill out a form for that purpose and submit it to Mr. White. Three minutes per person would be allowed under Section II, A.

STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT
DATA

Chief Academic Officer Alesia Flye reported that the state has publicly released the MSTEP, PSAT and SAT data. The data presented today will be used by districts for exploration, predictions, observations and inferring in order to take action. Dr. Flye introduced John Cafagna, ISD Consultant who shared that since 2023, ELA scores for grades 3-7, 8 & 11 have gone down at the state level but remained flat in Macomb County. NWEA scores were pretty close to MSTEP scores in reading which proves it is important to take action on NWEA results and start intervention groups. There is some disconnect in the NWEA projections for 8th grade reading, and we are setting up a meeting to find out why that is. There are some noticeable patterns in some grade levels. Social studies standards were readjusted last year so you can see a change in those

scores. Dr. Flye added that we are making sure great work is happening, but we acknowledge there is work to be done. Districts need to define the problems they see with their data and take action. We just started implementing curriculum and it's going to take quite a few years, but we are encouraged by some of the improvements.

CONSENT AGENDA

10. Moved by Schulte, supported by Farley, to approve the September 16, 2026 Consent Agenda, as recommended by Administration. Ayes: all; Nays: none. Motion carried.

RETIREMENTS

11. It is recommended that the Board of Education approve the following retirements:

Christina Proulx
Bus Driver

Lauren Laicu-LaPaugh
AI/TC

Trisha Dunn
Consultant

Moved by White, supported by Farley, that the Board of Education accepts, with regret, notifications of retirement as per the above and expresses its deep appreciation for their efforts on behalf of the Board and its Administration. Ayes: all; Nays: none. Motion carried.

SPECIAL REPORTS AND FUTURE BUSINESS

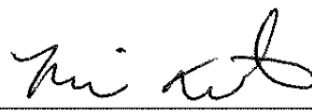
Superintendent DeVault reported that given conflicting schedules, the September 23, 2026 Board meeting may be canceled, or the time may be changed to 4:00 p.m.

ADJOURNMENT

17. Moved by White, supported by Schulte, to adjourn. Ayes: all; Nays: none. Motion carried.

The meeting was adjourned at 5:38 p.m.


Donald Hubler, Vice President


Brian White, Secretary

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