

BOARD OF EDUCATION CASS COUNTY
MARCELLUS COMMUNITY SCHOOLS
Marcellus, Michigan
MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION
JULY 13, 2026
REGULAR MEETING

CALL TO ORDER:

The meeting was called to order by Vice President E. Asmus at 7:00 p.m. at the Marcellus High School Library.

BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT:

E. Asmus, Good, Essex, M. Asmus, Ware, Hackenberg

BOARD MEMBERS ABSENT:

Tone

ADMINISTRATORS PRESENT:

Dunn, Johncock

ADMINISTRATORS ABSENT:

Bischoff, Essex, Osbeck, Wagner, Voss, Vanderbosch

MINUTES PREVIOUS MINUTES:

A motion was made by Ware, supported by M. Asmus, to accept the minutes of June 22, 2026 Budget Hearing Special Board meeting as presented. Roll call vote. 6 Ayes, 0 Nays. Motion Carried.

ACCOUNTS PAYABLE:

A motion was made by Ware, supported by Hackenberg, to approve the accounts payable in the amount of \$302,019.56. Roll call vote. 6 Ayes, 0 Nays. Motion Carried.

Monthly Budget update was presented by Business Manager, Jamie Johncock.

ADMINISTRATOR REPORTS:

None

COMMENTS FROM GUESTS:

None

OLD BUSINESS:

A motion was made by Ware, supported by M. Asmus, to approve the proposed new, revised, renumbered and replacement NEOLA policies are presented. Roll call vote. 6 Ayes, 0 Nays. Motion Carried.

NEW BUSINESS:

A motion was made by M. Asmus, supported by Hackenberg, to participate in 105/105c Schools of Choice. Roll call vote. 6 Ayes, 0 Nay. Motion Carried.

A motion was made by M. Asmus, supported by Ware, to keep GW Jones Bank, Huntington Bank and MILAF as the districts' depositories. Roll call vote. 6 Ayes. 0 Nays. Motion Carried.

A motion was made by Ware, supported by Hackenberg, to remain a retainer client of Thrun Law Firm. Roll call vote. 6 Ayes, 0 Nays, Motion Carried.

A motion was made by M. Asmus, supported by Good, to retain membership with MASB, School Equity Caucus, MASA, MSBO, and MASSP. Roll call vote. 6 Ayes, 0 Nays. Motion Carried.

A motion was made by M. Asmus, supported by Hackenberg, to accept the Board meeting schedule dates as presented. Roll call vote. 6 Ayes, 0 Nays. Motion Carried.

A motion was made by M. Asmus, supported by Hackenberg, to purchase a new English curriculum in the amount of \$74,446.33. Roll call vote. 6 Ayes, 0 Nays. Motion Carried.

A motion was made by M Asmus, supported by Hackenberg, to approve the hiring of Jimmy Mullins to fill the open CTE Business teaching position. Roll call vote. 6 Ayes, 0 Nays. Motion Carried.

A motion was made by M Asmus, supported by Hackenberg, to accept Lupita Eufrazio's resignation as 4th grade teacher. Roll call vote. 6 Ayes, 0 Nays. Motion Carried.

A motion was made by Ware, supported by Hackenberg, to approve the hiring of Lynne Seppala to fill the open 4th grade teaching position. Roll call vote. 6 Ayes, 0 Nays. Motion Carried.

A motion was made by Ware, supported by M. Asmus, to accept Doug Maher's resignation as Volinia Outcomes Schools Principal effective June 30, 2026. Roll call vote. 6 Ayes, 0 Nays. Motion Carried.

A motion was made by M. Asmus, supported by Ware, to approve the hiring of Dee Voss to fill the open Volinia Outcomes Schools open Principal position. Roll call vote. 6 Ayes, 0 Nays. Motion Carried.

A motion was made by Hackenberg, supported by M. Asmus, to accept Brooklynn Schiedel's resignation as middle school volleyball coach. Roll call vote. 6 Ayes, 0 Nays. Motion Carried.

A motion was made by M. Asmus, supported by Hackenberg, to approve the hiring of Tylynn Beligano to fill the open grounds/maintenance position. Roll call vote. 6 Ayes, 0 Nays. Motion Carried.

A motion was made by M. Asmus, supported by Ware, to approve the hiring of Jana Higgins to fill the open high school counselor position. Roll call vote. 6 Ayes, 0 Nays. Motion Carried.

Coaching evaluations were presented to the Board as informational.

A motion was made by M. Asmus, supported by Ware, to approve Sarah Bischoff's administration contract as presented. Roll call vote. 6 Ayes, 0 Nays. Motion Carried.

A motion was made by Ware, supported by M. Asmus, to approve Henry Essex's administration contract as presented. Roll call vote. 4 Ayes, 0 Nays, 2 Abstain. Motion Carried.

A motion was made by M. Asmus, supported by Ware, to approve Brooke Osbeck's administration contract as presented. Roll call vote. 6 Ayes, 0 Nays. Motion Carried.

A motion was made by Ware, supported by Hackenberg, to approve Lynn Wagner's administration contract as presented. Roll call vote. 6 Ayes, 0 Nays. Motion Carried.

A motion was made by M. Asmus, supported by Hackenberg, to approve Dee Voss's administration contract as presented. Roll call vote. 6 Ayes, 0 Nays. Motion Carried.

A motion was made by M. Asmus, supported by Hackenberg, to approve Dr. Michael Dunn's proposed 3-year contract as presented. Roll call vote. 6 Ayes, 0 Nays. Motion Carried.

Superintendent Dunn reported the need for bus drivers and a school bus.

A motion was made by Ware, supported by M. Asmus, to adjourn the Board meeting at 8:00 pm.
All voice vote. 6 Ayes, 0 Nays. Motion carried.