

**BOARD OF EDUCATION
NOVI COMMUNITY SCHOOL DISTRICT
NOVI, MICHIGAN
September 17, 2026**

TOPIC: MASA President Celebration

During this evening's meeting, Michigan Association of Superintendents & Administrators (MASA) Executive Director Tina Kerr and current MASA President Tom Livezey will conduct a ceremonial passing of the gavel to Superintendent Ben Mainka. This tradition formally recognizes the transition of leadership and Superintendent Mainka's installation as president of MASA.

MASA represents superintendents and educational leaders throughout Michigan, providing professional learning, advocacy, leadership development, and opportunities for collaboration. Superintendent Mainka's selection reflects both his commitment to public education and the respect of his superintendent colleagues across the state. His service as MASA president will also provide an opportunity to represent Novi Community School District and help strengthen public education throughout Michigan.

RECOMMENDATION:

The Novi Community School District Board of Education formally celebrates and congratulates Superintendent Ben Mainka upon his installation as president of the Michigan Association of Superintendents & Administrators.

**APPROVED AND RECOMMENDED FOR BOARD
RECOGNITION**

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Ben Mainka', written over a horizontal line.

Benjamin Mainka, Superintendent