NORTH BRANCH INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 138
NORTH BRANCH AREA EDUCATION CENTER, ROOM B122
POLICY COMMITTEE MEETING
October 8, 2026

The Policy Committee met on Thursday, October 8, 2026 at 4:30 p.m. in the District Office Conference, Room #316A at the North Branch Area Middle School.

Remote Participation Notice: One or more School Board members may participate in this meeting remotely pursuant to Minnesota Statutes § 13D.02 or § 13D.021, using interactive technology. This provision applies to both regular business meetings and work sessions.

Members in Attendance: Sarah Grovender, Pakou Lee, Heather Naegele, Tim MacMillan, Superintendent Paul, Taylor Swanson, Todd Tetzlaff and David Treichel

Absent: None

The following policies were reviewed following the regular review process and will move forward for a first reading at the November 12, 2026 school board meeting.

Policy 516.5 - Overdose Medication

Policy 519 - Interviews of Students by Outside Agencies

Policy 697 NB - Controversial Issues in the Classroom

The following policies were not reviewed and will return to a future meeting.

Policy 506 NB - Student Discipline
Bringing policy back to the November 12, 2026 meeting to be reviewed with Policy 504 NB – Student Dress and Appearances

The meeting concluded at 5:30 PM.

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Heather Naegele, Clerk