BOARD OF EDUCATION
NOVI COMMUNITY SCHOOL DISTRICT
NOVI, MICHIGAN
November 12, 2026

ASSISTANT SUPERINTENDENT OF TEACHING AND LEARNING

TOPIC: Michigan Youth in Government Spring Conference

Mr. Eric Scobie, a teacher at Novi High School, is requesting that the Novi High School Michigan Youth in Government participate in the 2027 Michigan Youth in Government Spring Conference, from April 22, 2027, through April 25, 2027, at the Lansing Center in Lansing, Michigan.

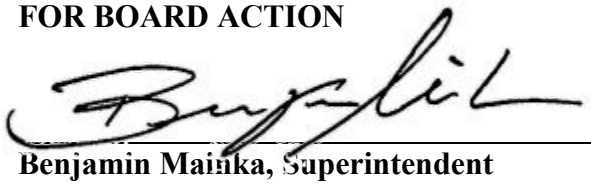
MYIG Mission Statement: "To provide leadership training to meet the needs of a democratic society and to develop an understanding and awareness of Michigan state government and national issues. To create an inclusive environment in which students develop an understanding and appreciation of the diversity of others. To strengthen young people and communities through emphasizing character development and the values of caring, honesty, respect, and responsibility in all that we do."

Students will be role-playing the actual Michigan legislature, including holding sessions in the state Capitol chambers. More info: myig.org

Students will be asked to pay $400.00 to cover the conference registration, lodging, NCSD transportation, substitute teacher expenses, and fingerprinting/criminal background check fees for our parent chaperones. An additional $100.00 will be asked for students to bring during the trip to cover meals while at the conference.

RECOMMENDATION:
That the Novi Community School District Board of Education approve the Michigan Youth in Government Spring Conference, April 22, 2027, through April 25, 2027, in Lansing, Michigan.

APPROVED AND RECOMMENDED
FOR BOARD ACTION



Benjamin Mainka, Superintendent