

**School Board Meeting:**

**August 28, 2023**

**Subject:**

Out-of-State Trip  
FFA to IN

**Presenter:**

**Scott Thielman  
Superintendent**

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**SUGGESTED SCHOOL BOARD ACTION:**

Final approval 60 days before trip according to Policy 610

**DESCRIPTION:**

Five Buffalo FFA members, Donna Socha, Jacob Wilts will attend the 2023 National FFA Convention in Indianapolis from October 31 through November 3, 2023. The 96th National FFA Convention is filled with many educational opportunities for our members and advisors. Attendance at this convention is highly recommended by the Minnesota Department of Education.

While at the convention, our members will have the opportunity to meet with other FFA members from across the United States, attend the career show with hundreds of representatives from colleges, universities and businesses from all facets of the agriculture industry and will be able to hear from some of the best motivational speakers in the country. A highlight of the convention this year will be seeing Miriana Eiden from the Buffalo FFA chapter compete on the national stage for Prepared Public speaking.

This is a wonderful opportunity for our Buffalo FFA members. The skills and knowledge gained at this event will have a positive impact on all of us.