

**NORTH BRANCH INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 138**  
**SCHOOL BOARD RETREAT**  
**June 12, 2025**

The School Board of Independent School District 138 held a school board retreat on Thursday, June 12, 2025, at 6:00 p.m. in the Boardroom at the North Branch Area Education Center.

Members Present: Sarah Grovender, Shelly Johnson, Jesse LaValla, Tim MacMillan, Heather Naegele (remote), Superintendent Paul, and Adam Trampe

Absent: None

The School Board Retreat held on June 12, 2025, that opened with an icebreaker and celebration of the year's accomplishments. The agenda focused on key district priorities, including a facilities study, school safety, and the superintendent evaluation. The board reviewed current building utilization and discussed a recommended facilities option that reconfigures grade levels and reallocates space for improved efficiency. A school safety Q&A allowed for discussion of protocols and targeted strategies for improvement, followed by a conversation around the superintendent's performance.

The board adjourned the retreat at 8:10 p.m.

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Heather Naegele, Clerk