

**NORTH BRANCH INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 138
NORTH BRANCH AREA EDUCATION CENTER, ROOM B122
POLICY COMMITTEE MEETING
December 11, 2025**

The Policy Committee met on Thursday, December 11, 2025 at 4:30 p.m. in Room B122 at the North Branch Area Education Center.

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

Absent: Superintendent Paul and Taylor Swanson

The following policies were reviewed and will move to January 8, 2026 board consent agenda.

Policy 609 - Religion

Policy 615 - Testing Accommodations, Modifications, and Exemptions for IEPs, Section 504 Plans, and LEP Students

Policy 618 - Assessment of Student Achievement

Policy 619 - Staff Development for Standards

Policy 710 - Extracurricular Transportation

The following policies were reviewed following the regular review process and will move to a first reading at the January 8, 2026 school board meeting.

Policy 598 NB - Early Entrance to Kindergarten

Policy 608 - Instructional Services - Special Education

The following policies were reviewed following the regular review process and will not move to the January 8, 2026 school board meeting consent agenda and/or first reading.

Policy 620 - Credit for Learning

Policy 624 - Online Learning Options

The meeting concluded at 5:21 PM.

Heather Naegele, Clerk