Brandon School District

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Brandon Board of Education
Regular Meeting
Central Office Board Room
1025 S. Ortonville Rd.
Ortonville, MI 48462
August 17, 2026
6:30 PM

This meeting is a meeting of the Board of Education in public for the purpose of conducting the school district's business and is not to be considered a public community meeting. There is a time for public participation during the meeting.

AGENDA

I. Call to Order
II. Roll Call
III. Pledge of Allegiance
IV. Superintendent Report
    A. Tootsie Roll Drive ~ Gary Putt: Knights of Columbus
    B. 2024-2027 Brandon Strategic Plan
    C. Food Service Presentation ~ Ashley LaHaye
    D. Introduction of New BEA Hires
V. Approval of Consent Agenda
The Brandon Board of Education deems all items listed on the consent agenda non-controversial and routine in nature. The body will approve these items under one motion and there will be no discussion. A member of the Brandon Board of Education wishing to discuss an item on the consent agenda may request it be removed from the consent agenda, and placed on the regular agenda. The body will consider and discuss the item at that time.
    A. Minutes of the August 6, 2026 Committee of the Whole Meeting
    B. Minutes of the July 20, 2026 Regular Meeting
    C. General Funds Accounts Payable in the Amount of $2,359,245.54
VI. Information and Discussion Items
    A. Board Report
VII. Action Items
    A. HR Report
    B. Executive Director of Business Operations
    C. Principal of Harvey-Swanson Elementary School
    D. Dean of Students - Harvey-Swanson Elementary
VIII. Citizens' Input
IX. Adjournment

Public Participation at Board Meetings

The Brandon Board of Education recognizes the value of public comments and the importance of expressing yourselves to us on district matters.

PUBLIC COMMENT GUIDELINES

IN PERSON: You must sign in with your name, email address or phone number, home address, group affiliation (if any) and the topic you are going to speak on. Sign In sheet is on the table with agendas.

1. When addressing the Board please recognize yourself by stating your name.
2. Each statement shall be limited to THREE (3) minutes: you can only speak once.
3. The statements shall be directed at the board only.
4. Generally, the board will not respond to public comments during the meeting.
5. Speakers are asked to express themselves in a civil manner, with due respect for the dignity and privacy of others who may be affected by your comments.

To ensure due process and respect of individual rights, the district maintains a formal process for handling complaints against individuals. A problem involving an individual or specific incident is best handled through administrative channels. Such matter should be reduced to writing and sent to the superintendent or the board president.

While it is not our intent to stifle public comment, speakers should be aware that if your statements violate the rights of others under the law of defamation or invasion of privacy, you may be held legally responsible. If you are unsure of the legal ramifications of what you are about to say, we urge you to consult first with your legal advisor.

The board wants to hear what people want to say. We expect each speaker will model for our students and others in the audience on how one can respectfully disagree with others' views or voice an opinion or ask questions.