

MCESA Mission

"Provide leadership, deliver services and leverage resources to improve the education of students in collaboration with constituent districts, schools and the community at large."

MCESA Board of Education
9/15/2026 MCESA Board of Education Meeting
5:30 PM, Sugnet Distance Learning Room

I. Call to order.

1. Roll Call: President J. Gunderson, Vice President J. Wagner, Secretary G. Wilson, Treasurer K. Heye, Trustee K. Baczewski, Trustee B. Leibfritz, Trustee D. Sommer
2. Pledge of Allegiance.

II. Public Comment

At this time, the Board will provide an opportunity for citizens to speak on educational matters. Citizens desiring to speak at this time should ask to be recognized and identify themselves and their topic. Public communication is limited to five minutes per speaker.

III. Consent Agenda

3. Minutes:
 - a. July 21, 2026 Board Meeting
4. Check Register: July 2026 and August 2026 Payments
5. Gifts:
 - a. To the Imagination Library Program:
 - i. Accept donations from individuals to the Imagination Library totaling \$745.
6. Grant Awards: None.
7. Personnel:
 - a. Approve the hiring of Kassandra Kramer, Teacher, effective August 18, 2026.
 - b. Approve the hiring of Kaylee Chamberlain, Paraeducator, effective August 18, 2026.
 - c. Approve the hiring of Cera Gallagher, Paraeducator, effective August 18, 2026.
 - d. Approve the hiring of Jenna Madison, Paraeducator, effective August 18, 2026.
 - e. Approve the hiring of Emily Thompson, Paraeducator, effective August 18, 2026.
 - f. Approve the hiring of Julia Wilkins, part-time Physical Therapist, effective August 18, 2026.
 - g. Approve the hiring of Otis Caldwell Jr., Paraeducator, effective August 18, 2026.
 - h. Approve the hiring of Haley Yaros, Occupational Therapist, effective September 21, 2026.

To expedite the business of the Board, but not diminish the importance of each item, a Consent Agenda has been approved.

IV. Reports

8. Equity Committee
9. Stewardship Committee
10. Treasury Report:
 - a. Treasurer Heye, Committee Chair, or Designee

- b. Dave Smith, Director of Finance
 - 11. Consider Acceptance of Treasury Report
- V. Superintendent's Report
 - 12. Charter Schools Update
 - a. Letter of Appreciation from ACEA
 - 13. Superintendent's Contract Discussion
 - 14. Talent Together Update
- VI. Other Topics the Board May Wish to Consider

This portion of the agenda is utilized by the Board to introduce topics for future study, to discuss school district and educational service agency related matters, to complete professional association business and related items of interest. Action may be taken during this time.
- VII. Adjournment
- VIII. Walking Tour of Sugnet Building Following Meeting