

**BOARD OF EDUCATION  
NORTH BRANCH EDUCATIONAL SERVICES CENTER  
6655 JEFFERSON, PO BOX 3620  
NORTH BRANCH, MICHIGAN 48461-3620**

The regular meeting of the North Branch Board of Education was held at 7:00 p.m. on Monday, April 26, 2021 in the board room located in the North Branch Educational Services Center, 6655 Jefferson, North Branch, Michigan.

President Deshetsky called the meeting to order at 7:02 p.m.

Roll Call indicated the following Board members present:

Members Present: Daniel Deshetsky, President  
Cheryl Howell, Treasurer  
Cory Mabery, Vice President  
Joshua Leach, Secretary  
Brenden Miller, Trustee - absent  
Jason Cullin, Trustee  
Maria Hoebeke, Trustee

Others Present:	James D. Fish	Superintendent
	Amber White	Curriculum
	Mark Brown	Technology Support Coordinator
	Jeff Drayton	Director of Operations & Technology
	Rhoda Lucia	Recording Secretary

Community Members – 0

Moved by Mabery, supported by Leach Board of Education approve the agenda as presented.  
Roll Call Vote: Leach aye, Mabery aye, Deshetsky aye, Hoebeke aye, Howell aye, Cullin aye  
6 aye, 0 nay, 1 absent – Motion Carried

**Student Report – None**

**Presentation – None**

**Board Committee Reports –**

Facility Committee Meeting – (April 21@ 7am) – Mr. Mabery reviewed the items that were discussed at the facility committee meeting:

- H-Vac System
- Wrestling Room
- Five year plans

Curriculum Committee Meeting (April 22 @ 5pm) – Mrs. Howell reviewed the items that were discussed at the curriculum committee meeting:

- Five year curriculum plan
- Presentation by Ms. Picarski from the Elementary and Mr. James from the Ruth Fox
- Skyward textbook program
- Five year technology plan
- Summer School Program
- Testing

Mr. Fish thanked our State Representative, Gary Howell, for looking into the summer school program restrictions regarding our school of choice students.

**Comments from the Public - None**

**Consent Agenda -**

Moved by Howell, supported by Mabery the Board of Education approve the consent agenda including the approval of April 12, 2021 regular meeting minutes.

Roll Call Vote: Mabery aye, Leach aye, Deshetsky aye, Cullin aye, Hoebeke aye, Howell aye 6 aye, 0 nay, 1 absent – Motion Carried

**Items for Discussion/Action -**

Moved by Mabery, supported by Deshetsky the Board of Education approval of the updated 5 year plans for Technology, Facilities and Curriculum.

Roll Call Vote: Cullin aye, Mabery aye, Howell aye, Hoebeke aye, Leach aye, Deshetsky aye 6 aye, 0 nay, 1 absent – Motion Carried

Moved by Howell, supported by Cullin the Board of Education acknowledge the extended continuity of Learning plan for the month of April.

Roll Call Vote: Deshetsky aye, Howell aye, Hoebeke aye, Leach aye, Cullin aye, Mabery aye 6 aye, 0 nay, 1 absent

Moved by Deshetsky, supported by Leach the Board of Education adopt the 2021-2022 General fund Budget for the LCISD as presented and attached.

Roll Call Vote: Mabery aye, Deshetsky aye, Howell aye, Cullin aye, Leach aye, Hoebeke aye 6 aye, 0 nay, 1 absent

**Communications -**

Mrs. White, Curriculum Director, informed the board of the following:

- Read by Grade 3 law

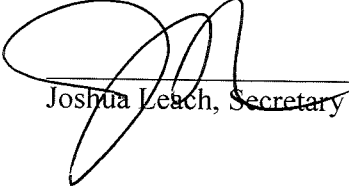
Mr. Fish, Superintendent, informed the board of the following:

- House and Senate 2021-22 Budget Proposals – School Equity Caucus
- Biden Administration Extends Universal Free School Lunch through 2022
- Celebrating High School Seniors
  - County Press will publish May 2, 9, 16 and let us know after May 16 who has not submitted photos
- High School Senior Prom Contract and Guest Form
- Michigan School Data – School of Choice Student Information
- Antigen Testing for Spring Athletes
- Schneider Electric & HVAC Update (part of facility committee update)
  - Will be in the district May 11-12, 2021
- Early/Middle College 5<sup>th</sup> year seniors – Presented with diplomas by Mr. Hiltunen at May 10<sup>th</sup> meeting
- May 24<sup>th</sup> – Recognition of Football, Volleyball, Girls B-Ball teams and potentially Drama Performers. Moving the meeting to the auditorium.

**Comments from the Public – None**

**Comments from Board Members –** The board members made comments.

Moved by Leach, supported by Howell by the Board of Education adjourn at 8:45 pm  
Roll Call Vote: Howell aye, Hoebeke aye, Cullin aye, Deshetsky aye, Mabery aye, Leach aye  
6 aye, 0 nay, 1 absent – Motion Carried



Joshua Leach, Secretary

**Lapeer County Intermediate School District ("ISD")**  
**General Fund Operating Budget**  
**RESOLUTION**

A regular meeting of the Board of Education of North Branch School District was held at the Educational Services Center board room on Monday, April 26, 2021, at 7:00 pm.

Members present were:

The following preamble and resolution were offered by Member Deshetsky and seconded by Member Leach.

WHEREAS:

**This Board received the ISD General Fund Operating Budget on or before May 01, 2021; and**

WHEREAS:

In accordance with Section 380.624 of the Revised School Code, this Board must now adopt a resolution expressing its support or disapproval of the proposed ISD budget, and must submit to the ISD Board any specific objections and/proposed changes the Board may have to the budget prior to June 01, 2021.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

**The ISD General Fund Operating Budget for the 2021-2022 school year be (please check one)**

☒ Supported or

☐ Disapproved for the reasons attached hereto, and

that the Secretary of the Board is hereby directed to submit a copy of this Resolution to the Secretary of the ISD Board of Education, along with any specific objections or proposed changes to the budget.

Ayes: Members – Mabery, Deshetsky, Howell, Cullin, Leach, Hoebeke

Nays: Members - None

Absent: Members - Miller

Motion Declared Passed.

The undersigned duly qualified and acting Secretary of the Board of Education of North Branch, Michigan hereby certifies that the foregoing is a true and complete copy of a resolution adopted by the Board at a regular meeting held on Monday, April 26, 2021, the original of which resolution is a part of the Board's minutes, and further certifies that notice of the meeting was given to the public under the Open Meetings Act, 1976 PA 267, as amended.

Signed: 

Joshua Leach

Secretary, North Branch Board of Education