

**North Star Academy**  
**3030 Wright Street**  
**Marquette, MI 49855**  
**Regular Board Meeting Agenda**  
**March 20th, 2024**  
**5:15 p.m.**

*North Star Montessori Academy fosters a Montessori environment allowing the whole child the freedom and support to question, think deeply, and make connections. Our Montessori environment yields confident, motivated, and self-directed learners able to think critically, work collaboratively, and become respectful citizens in an ever-changing world.*

**Board Members:** Melissa Bowers, Roger Zappa, Jessica Danek, Nicole Harrington, Lindsay McWebb

**NMU:** Betty LaPointe, EdD – Director, Charter Schools Curriculum Assessment & Quality Control

1. Call to Order
2. Roll call – Board of Directors
3. Others present
4. Agenda adoption
5. Public comment

**Consent Agenda**

1. a) Approval of proposed minutes from February 28th, 2024 meeting.  
b) Approval of February financial statements and February bills for payment

**Action Items**

1. Approval of 2024-2025 School Calendar
2. Approval of updated NSMA Insurance coverage

**Reports/Discussion**

1. Superintendent Report- Mary VanderMolen
2. Principal Report- Angela Chang
3. ESP Update
2. NMU Charter Schools Office Report

**Announcements**

1. Next regularly scheduled meeting is Wednesday, April 24th, 2024
2. Public Comment
3. Board Member Comment

#### 4. Motion to adjourn

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