



“Raising the Standards of Education”

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MERRITT BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Mission Statement

“The mission of Merritt Academy is to instill in its students academic excellence, character development, a love for lifelong learning and service to others.”

**AMENDED AGENDA MEETING
REGULAR MEETING – October 30, 2025**

8:00 am

**Merritt Academy
59900 Havenridge
New Haven, Michigan 48048**

Call to Order

Roll Call

Karen Bochatyn
Jean Dery
Norma Joshua-Lee
Kiersten Clarkson
Michael Broyles

Approval of the Agenda

The Board will either approve the agenda as presented or amend the agenda with the approval of the Board

Call to the Public

The meeting is a meeting of the Board of Directors in public for the purpose of conducting the Academy’s business and is not considered a public community meeting. Those that may wish to address the Board on agenda items only may do so at this time by being recognized by the chair. There will be a second Call to the Public near the end of the agenda where interested parties may address the Board on any items of their choice. Those that request to address the Board have a maximum of three minutes in which to speak.

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**Consent Items
meeting**

Approval of the minutes from the September 25, 2025

Approval of the Board's Treasurer's Report with from
September 2025

**Educational Service
Provider's Report**

Reports from Troy Peyer, Superintendent
and Nate Seiferlein, Principal.

Board Correspondence

None

Discussion Items

Addition to Board Policies 5610 and 5611

Action Items

Bank Resolution
Acceptance of audit letter

Approval of updated board policies 5610 and 5611.

Approval to update student handbook to align with board
policies 5610 and 5611.

Approval of bank resolution

**Board Committee
Reports/Board
Individual Comments**

Board Members will have an opportunity to present
any committee reports or make personal comments
of their choice.

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**Announcement/
Upcoming Events**

The next Regular Board of Director's meeting
will be held on November 20, 2025 at 8:00 am
at Merritt Academy.

Adjournment

These meetings of the Board of Directors are in public for the purpose of conducting the school's business and are not to be considered a public community meeting. There is a time for public participation during each meeting as indicated in the agenda.

Upon request to the academy office, the academy shall make reasonable accommodations for a person with a disability to be able to participate in this meeting.