MARGARETTA LOCAL SCHOOLS
BOARD OF EDUCATION (BOE)
REGULAR MEETING AGENDA, February 23, 2026 at 6:30 p.m.
at the Margaretta Elementary Cafeteria, 5906 Bogart Road W. Castalia, Ohio

I. Call to Order

Roll Call
J. Hula___ E. Lippert___ P. Schoenegge___ B. Sutorius___ A. Tucker___

II. The Pledge of Allegiance

III. Approval of Minutes

Motion to approve the minutes from the Organizational and Regular Board of Education meeting held on January 12, 2026 and from the Board of Education Work Session held on February 14, 2026.

Roll Call
J. Hula___ E. Lippert___ P. Schoenegge___ B. Sutorius___ A. Tucker___

IV. Board and Staff Reports

A. Townsend Community School Report- Innovation Grant - Ryan Bohn

B. Sponsor TCS Report - Ed Kurt

C. Facility Report

V. Public Participation

VI. Introduction of Additional Items to the Agenda

VII. Treasurer's Financial Report/Schedule of Bills

VIII. Treasurer's Report

A. Informational

1. Excess Costs FY25 Update-
   Amount Billed to other districts for open enrolled-in students: $300,584.80

   Amount Billed to Margaretta for open enrolled-out students: $63,795.13

   Net Positive amount of $236,789.67

   Additional $50,463.96 able to billed to other districts by billing student specific expenses

2. Legacy Update - $42,000 raised as of 2/20/2026
   - Ed, Diane, and Keegan gave tour to Rick Hogrefe 2/18

B. New Business

1. Resolution (#25-26-52), to adopt a Five Year Forecast for Fiscal Year 2026 through Fiscal Year 2030

Roll Call
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2. Resolution (#25-26-53), to approve expenditures that have exceeded the $3,000 threshold of the “then and now” provisions of Ohio Revised Code Section 705.41(d)

Roll Call
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3. Motion to approve a five year agreement with Tyler Technologies for transportation routing software at the cost of $2,410 per year, retro to January 14, 2026

Roll Call
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IX. Superintendent’s Report

A. New Business

1. Motion to approve The Music Department out of State Travel and Itinerary to New York City from March 30, 2027 until April 3, 2027 (see itinerary attached)

Roll Call
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2. Resolution (#25-26-54), to authorize the continued membership in the Ohio High School Athletic Association for the 2026-2027 School Year

Roll Call
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3. Motion to approve MOU with OAPSE to create a sick leave donation system for two specific employees for the remainder of the 2025-2026 school year only

Roll Call
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4. Resolution (#25-26-55), to approve an MOU agreement with Lorain County Community College (LCCC) for the purpose of providing opportunities for students to enroll in the dual credit College Credit Plus (CCP) Program for the 2026-2027 School Year

Roll Call
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5. Motion to approve MOU with OAPSE to establish a retire/rehire option for their employees.

Roll Call
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6. Motion to approve a contract between Margaretta Local Schools and New Story Schools to provide New Story with agreed upon transportation services for the remainder of the 2025-2026 school year

Roll Call
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7. Resolution (#25-26-56) to approve an agreement for behavioral health services with The Caring Collective LLC for the remainder of the 2025-2026 school year
Roll Call
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8. Resolution (#25-26-57) to approve the establishment of an Innovation School Zone application for Kindergarten Readiness for the 2026-2027 School Year
Roll Call
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C. Personnel Actions

1. Motion to approve FMLA/unpaid leave requests, (Included for review)

Roll Call
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Certified

1. Motion to approve the hiring of the following 2026 spring sport coaches, pending completion of all state and local requirements:

Track and Field:

Luke Weyer - Varsity Assistant Coach
Marnie Hallett-Szymanaki - JH Boys Track Coach
Olivia Wimmer - JH Girls Track Coach
Conar Burns - JH Boys Assistant Coach

Roll Call
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2. Motion to approve the following volunteers for the 2026 season:

Ryan Bohn - Volunteer Baseball Coach
Bill Minshall - Volunteer Track Coach

Roll Call
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3. Motion to hire Jeff Keck, Substitute Instructional Tutor retro to February 18, 2026 for the remainder of the 2025-2026 school year pending completion of all state and local requirements

Roll Call
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Classified

1. Motion to approve the hiring of the following 2026 spring sport coaches, pending completion of all state and local requirements:

   Softball:
   Israel Palomo - 75% Varsity Assistant Coach
   Addie Kromer - 25% Varsity Assistant Coach
   Andy Kennedy - 50% JV Coach
   Jordyn Hawkins - 50% JV Coach

   Baseball:

   Chris Cullen - 50% Varsity Assistant Coach
   Dan Hedberg - 50% Varsity Assistant Coach
   Jeff Todd - 50% JV Coach
   Kaleb Carpenter - 50% JV Coach

   Track and Field:

   Taylor Deer - Varsity Assistant Coach
   Courtney Orshoski - JH Girls Assistant Coach

Roll Call
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2. Motion to approve the following volunteers for the 2026 season:

   Austin Dillery - Volunteer Baseball Coach
   Steve Craig - Volunteer Baseball Coach
   Courtney Fitzgerald - Volunteer Softball Coach
   Brian Stimmel - Volunteer Track Coach
   Aaron Canada - Volunteer Track Coach

Roll Call
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3. Motion to hire Dylan Morris, Athletic Event Worker for the 2026 season

Roll Call
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4. Motion to accept the resignation of Troy Miller, Special Education Aide and Strength and Conditioning Coach effective February 6, 2026

Roll Call
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5. Motion to hire Connie Todd, Substitute Special Education Aide retro to February 11, 2026

Roll Call
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6. Motion to hire Carrie McDonald and Brian McCormick, Substitute Bus Aides for the remainder of the 2025-2026 school year pending completion of all state and local requirements

Roll Call
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7. Motion to hire Josh Ward, Fleet Mechanic effective 3/9/2026 pending completion of all state and local requirements

Roll Call
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Informational Items
1. 2027-2028 calendar and amendments to 2026-2027 school year calendar

X. Motion to enter Executive Session. Motion to enter Executive Session to discuss the appointment, employment, dismissal, discipline, promotion or compensation of public employees

Roll Call
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XI. Motion to return from Executive Session to open session

Roll Call
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XII. Motion to Adjourn the Board Meeting

Roll Call J. Hula___ E. Lippert___ P. Schoenegge___ B. Sutorius___ A. Tucker___

The Next Regular Board of Education Meeting is scheduled for March 16, 2026 starting at 6:30 p.m. at The Margaretta Elementary Cafeteria, 5906 Bogart Rd. West. Castalia, Oh 44824