

**NORTHWESTERN MICHIGAN COLLEGE
BOARD OF TRUSTEES
STUDY SESSION MINUTES
Wednesday, April 23, 2025
NMC Hagerty Center, Room A**

CALL TO ORDER—Chair Laura J. Oblinger called the regular meeting to order at 10:00 a.m.

ROLL CALL

Trustees present: Laura J. Oblinger, Mark B. Keely, Kennard R. Weaver, Kenneth E. Warner, Pamela T. Horne, Andrew K. Robitshek (10:06-11:46)

Trustees absent: Chris M. Bott

Also present: President Nick Nissley, Troy Kierczynski, Todd Neibauer, Marcus Bennett, Lynne Moritz, Jason Slade, Diana Fairbanks, Dino Hernandez, Molly Norville, Kathryn DePauw, Zach Whitaker, Rachel Urkowitz, Suzanne Allen, Jeff Caviston, Debbie Edson, Al Zelinski, Barb Benson, Pat Warner, Eleanor Lynn, Don Coe, Lorraine Beers, Katharine Marvin

REVIEW OF AGENDA—The agenda was accepted as presented.

Chair Oblinger recognized the study session included Foundation Board members. The following FB members were present: Suzanne Allen, Jeff Caviston, Debbie Edson, Al Zelinski, Barb Benson, Pat Warner, Eleanor Lynn, Don Coe, and Lorraine Beers.

PUBLIC INPUT—There was no public input offered.

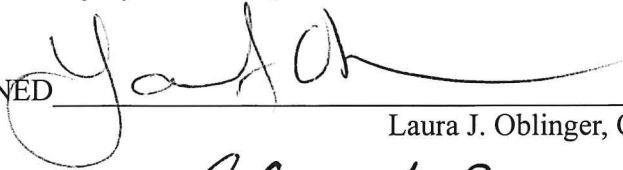
DISCUSSION: Michigan Open Meetings Act and FOIA—The Board of Trustees and NMC Foundation Board members engaged in discussion regarding the Michigan Open Meetings Act and Freedom of Information Act, which apply to both public bodies.

REVIEW OF FOLLOW-UP REQUESTS—Confirmed requests made by the Board that require administrative follow-up for information to be provided to the Board at a later date.

ADJOURNMENT—The meeting adjourned at 11:57 p.m.

Recorded by Lynne Moritz, Executive Director of the President's Office and Board Operations.

SIGNED



Laura J. Oblinger, Chair

ATTESTED



Chris M. Bott, Secretary