

Western Michigan University

BOARD OF TRUSTEES

Thursday, September 10, 2026



Closed Informal Session – 10:00 AM; **Formal Session – Noon**

Hybrid Meeting Platform (In-Person and Virtual)

Student Center Ballroom and Livestreamed at <https://wmich.edu/trustees>

**Individuals wishing to address the Board of Trustees during either Public Comment section must notify Stacy Thinnies at stacy.thinnies@wmich.edu by 5PM Wednesday, September 9th.*

1. Acceptance of the Agenda – *Turfe*
2. Approval of the Minutes (*June 25, 2026*) – *Turfe*
3. Remarks by the Chair of the Board – *Turfe*
4. Remarks by the President – *Kavalhuna*
5. Updates by the Faculty Senate President – *Hahn*
6. Updates by the Western Student Association President – *Kritzman*
7. Updates by the Graduate Student Association President – *Mejia*
8. AFSCME Adopt-A-Highway Project and Food Drive – *Prellwitz, O'Connor*
9. WMU Particle Accelerator Lab, Physics Department – *Pancella, Rudegeair*
10. Western Michigan University Employee Graduates - *Kavalhuna*
11. Public Comments Regarding Action Items – *Thinnies*

Action Items – *Turfe*

12. American Association of University Professors (AAUP) Labor Agreement – *Van Der Kley*
13. Honorary Degree Recommendation for David Dombrowski – *Kavalhuna*
14. Consent Items – *Turfe*
 - A. Donation of Real Estate to the City of Kalamazoo
 - B. Personnel Report
 - C. Curriculum Proposals
 - D. Annuity and Life Income Funds Performance Report
 - E. Operating Cash Investment Report
15. General Public Comments – *Thinnies*

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