

June 6, 2022

NDHSAA Board of Directors  
PO Box 817  
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NDHSAA Board Members,

Minot Public Schools will open Minot North High School with freshmen in 2022-23 and requests Association membership and placement into Class A West Region as appropriate.

Starting 2022-23, Minot North High School attendance area students (9<sup>th</sup> grade) will be housed at Central Campus with Minot High School attendance area students. As other districts, our plan is to start separating teams as soon as possible. Because of the blended arrangement, we also request the following to aid this transition:

1. Minot North High School be granted immediate 7-12 coops with Minot High School in all sports and activities except girl's golf. Minot North High School intends to sponsor girl's golf as a varsity team starting next year.
2. Minot North High School be allowed to sponsor separate 9<sup>th</sup> grade teams under its own name where possible. Students may be elevated to Minot High School junior varsity and/or varsity if appropriate.
3. Minot North High School be allowed to dissolve these coop agreements any time prior to season with direct notice to the NDHSAA Executive Director.

7-12 coop agreements would include:

- Baseball
- Boys Basketball
- Girls Basketball
- Boy Cross Country
- Girls Cross Country
- Football
- Boys Golf
- Gymnastics
- Boys Hockey
- Girls Hockey
- Boys Soccer
- Girls Soccer
- Softball
- Boys Swim & Dive
- Girls Swim & Dive
- Boys Tennis
- Girls Tennis
- Boys Track & Field
- Girls Track & Field
- Volleyball
- Boys Wrestling
- Girls Wrestling
- Debate
- Play
- Music
- Speech

We thank the Board of Directors for considering these requests and await your approval. Should any questions arise, I will be available by phone during your June meeting.

Sincerely,

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