



NORTH BEND SCHOOL DISTRICT

Hillcrest Elementary School · North Bay Elementary School
North Bend Middle School · North Bend High School · Evergreen Virtual Academy

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A Regular Meeting of the North Bend School District #13 Board of Directors was held Thursday, May 7, 2026, beginning at 6:00 PM, in the Technology Building 2525 Pacific St North Bend, Oregon 97459.

Minutes

1. CALL TO ORDER, FLAG PLEDGE, ROLL CALL

Present: Board Chair Nathan McClintock; Board Members Julie B. Hale, Anna Huit, Megan Kronsteiner – Cahill, Michelle Roberts, DeAnne Wiedenmann, and Carol Yardley
Superintendent Tim Crider; and Board Secretary Michelle Brix

2. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Director Anna Huit moved to approve the agenda as presented. Director DeAnne Wiedenmann seconded the motion, which was approved unanimously. 7-0

Carol Yardley – Aye

Anna Huit - Aye

Megan Kronsteiner – Cahill – Aye

DeAnne Wiedenmann - Aye

Michelle Roberts – Aye

Julie B. Hale - Aye

Nathan McClintock - Aye

3. PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

The Board welcomes comments and questions from the public. If you wish to address the Board, please fill out a public participation sheet available at the table and give it to the Board Secretary. We ask that you limit your comments to three (3) minutes. The Board will not engage in discussion with members of the public during this time, it is for public comment only. The Board Chair has the discretion to limit the number of comments on a particular topic. Speakers may offer objective criticism of school operations and programs, but the Board will not hear comments regarding individual school personnel or board members. (Policy BDDH: Public Comment at Board Meetings)

Clinton Harold addressed the Board about declining enrollment and concerns associated with the North Bend School Districts 2026-2027 Roadmap.

4. COMMUNICATIONS

A. Board Reports and Communication - None

B. Student Representatives to the Board

i. High School Representatives - None

C. Association Reports

i. North Bend Education Association Report — Garrett Holmes

Garrett Holmes updated the Board. Spring fever is in the air. There is an increase in student restlessness. As school winds down, a lot of staff are understandably feeling like they are ready for the well-deserved summer break. He highlighted our OBOB team, and congratulated them on their first-place win at the state competition. The North Bend School District Wildland Firefighting team finished second place in our regional firefighting challenge, and the districts Knowledge Bowl team finished in second place.

Saxophonist, Alexander Peck was the first ever Solo Band State Championship in North Bend High School history.

Trang Vo recently passed the Vietnamese Language Proficiency Test as a Freshman. She is on track to possibly receive the Seal of Multiliteracy.

The Extra Miles shows how staff appreciate their colleagues. Those nominated this month are:

Alexa Lucero and Amey Moldt.
D. Superintendent Report
Superintendent Crider gave his report to the Board:

High School OBOB Team

The North Bend High School OBOB team earned 1st place at the state competition, competing against some of the largest districts in Oregon. Congratulations to the team on this outstanding accomplishment and for representing North Bend so well.

Esports

The North Bend High School Esports team completed another successful season, competing at a high level against schools across the state while defending their state title. Congratulations to the team for their continued success and sportsmanship.

Graduation

Graduation is scheduled for Friday, June 5, 2026. The ceremony will celebrate the accomplishments of the graduating class as they prepare for their next chapter.

Budget Process

The 2026–27 budget process is underway, with Budget Committee meetings scheduled for May 12 and, if needed, May 19 at the Tech Building. Following committee approval, the proposed budget is expected to move to the Board for adoption on June 8.

Choir

The North Bend High School Choir has qualified for the state competition on May 8, 2026, at Oregon State University. Congratulations to the students and director on this achievement.

Band

The North Bend High School Band will compete at the state level on May 14 at Oregon State University. The band also recently performed for the Powers School District, where students were recognized not only for their musical performance, but also for their respectful and appreciative conduct throughout the visit.

Problems Continue with Modern Tech

A historical note from a September 2019 report highlighted ongoing challenges with telephone access at the high school. At that time, rather than adding an additional extension line, the recommendation was simply to relocate the phone to another room.

Kinney High School History

The original Kinney High School building opened in 1909 after being donated by developer Lorenzo D. Kinney. The school district later discovered the donated land was not actually owned by Kinney, requiring the district to purchase the property itself. The building was subsequently renamed North Bend High School.

Viking Lane Property

BPA's survey contractor is finalizing information needed to complete the partition process, and a draft road maintenance agreement is being prepared for legal review. Geotechnical boring along Viking Lane is scheduled between May 27 and June 12, with traffic impacts expected to be minimal.

5. ACTION / CONSENT AGENDA ITEMS

A. Board Meeting Minutes

- i. April 2, 2026 Regular Meeting
- ii. April 16, 2026 Work Session

B. New Hires/Resignations

C. Surplus

Director Julie B. Hale moved to approve all Action/Consent Agenda Items. Director Megan Kronsteiner - Cahill seconded the motion, which was approved unanimously. 7-0

Carol Yardley – Aye

Anna Huit - Aye

Megan Kronsteiner – Cahill – Aye

DeAnne Wiedenmann - Aye

Michelle Roberts – Aye

Julie B. Hale - Aye

Nathan McClintock - Aye

6. ANNOUNCE BUDGET COMMITTEE OPENING

The District is announcing the vacancy on the North Bend School District Budget Committee for position 2. The term for that position expires 06/30/26. Position 2 is currently held by Jeff Bridgens.

Board Chair Nathan McClintock read aloud the announcement of the budget committee opening. The Board will appoint a budget committee member during the next budget cycle, as there isn't enough time per board policy to appoint one at this time.

7. RECONFIGURATION UPDATE

Superintendent Crider provided an update.

The district continues to make progress toward the Fall 2026 reconfiguration transition. Family outreach efforts included the release of a "Reconfiguration Roadmap to Fall 2026," intent-to-return forms, and a transportation survey. Feedback strongly supported the addition of shuttle or express bus routes to improve transportation efficiency and reduce travel time for families.

Staffing transitions and transfer requests remain underway as the district works to align staffing needs with student support priorities. Hiring pools for grades 3–5 have also been posted in anticipation of upcoming openings.

Emergency preparedness planning continues at North Bay through a partnership with ODHS to secure a FEMA Type 5 Container as part of the state's resilience hub

initiative. Maintenance planning and accessibility upgrades, including a new stair lift at Hillcrest Elementary, are also moving forward.

Student visitation trips and family open house events are scheduled later this month to support a smooth transition for students and families into their future school buildings.

Instructional coaches continue work on SEL scope and sequence planning focused on emotional regulation, positive peer interactions, bullying prevention, and student communication skills.

Transportation transition planning with First Student is progressing well, including onboarding opportunities for staff, new district buses, and the addition of seatbelts on all buses as part of the district's commitment to student safety.

Master scheduling work continues, with plans for additional targeted intervention supports in math and writing at North Bay Elementary.

8. NATIONAL SCHOOL NURSE DAY RESOLUTION (ACTION)

Director DeAnne Wiedenmann read the resolution below:

TEXT OF RESOLUTION 2026-04:

WHEREAS, children are the future and, by investing in them today, we are ensuring our world for tomorrow; and

WHEREAS, all students have a right to have their health needs safely met while in the school setting; and

WHEREAS, children today face more complex and life-threatening health problems requiring care in school; and

WHEREAS, school nurses have served a critical role in improving public health and in ensuring student's academic success for more than 100 years; and

WHEREAS, school nurses are professional nurses that advance the well-being, academic success and life-long achievements of all students by serving on the frontlines and providing a critical safety net for our nation's most fragile children; and

WHEREAS, school nurses act as a liaison to the school community, parents and health care providers on behalf of children's health by promoting wellness and improving health outcomes for our community's children; and

WHEREAS, school nurses are members of school-based mental health teams; and

WHEREAS, school nurses understand the link between health and learning and are in a position to make a positive difference for children every day,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the North Bend School District Board of Directors celebrates and acknowledges the accomplishments of school nurses everywhere and their efforts of meeting the needs of today's students by improving the delivery of healthcare in our schools and offers gratitude to school nurses who

contribute to our community by helping students stay healthy, in school, and ready to learn, and keeping parents and guardians at work, not just on this National School Nurse Day, but at every opportunity through the year.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the North Bend School District Board of Directors strongly encourages all members of our community to join with it in personally expressing appreciation to our school nurses for their dedication and devotion to their work and proclaims May 12th, 2026 National School Nurse Day.

Adopted this 7th day of May, 2026.

Director Megan Kronsteiner – Cahill moved to approve Resolution 2026-04 as set forth above. Director Anna Huit seconded the motion, which was approved unanimously. 7-0

Carol Yardley – Aye

Anna Huit - Aye

Megan Kronsteiner – Cahill – Aye

DeAnne Wiedenmann - Aye

Michelle Roberts – Aye

Julie B. Hale - Aye

Nathan McClintock - Aye

9. TEACHER APPRECIATION WEEK RESOLUTION (ACTION)

Director Megan Kronsteiner – Cahill read the resolution below:

TEXT OF RESOLUTION 2026-05:

WHEREAS, teachers mold future citizens through guidance and education; and

WHEREAS, teachers encounter students of widely differing backgrounds; and

WHEREAS, our country’s future depends upon providing quality education to all students; and

WHEREAS, teachers spend countless hours preparing lessons, evaluating progress, counseling and coaching students and performing community service; and

WHEREAS, our community recognizes and supports its teachers in educating the children of this community.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the North Bend School District Board of Directors proclaims May 4-8, 2026 to be TEACHER APPRECIATION WEEK; and **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the North Bend School District Board of Directors strongly encourages all members of our community to join with it in personally expressing appreciation to our teachers for their dedication and devotion to their work.

Adopted this 7th day of May, 2026.

Director DeAnne Wiedenmann moved to approve Resolution 2026-05 as set forth above.

Director Julie B. Hale seconded the motion, which was approved unanimously. 7-0

Carol Yardley – Aye

Anna Huit - Aye

Megan Kronsteiner – Cahill – Aye

DeAnne Wiedenmann - Aye

Michelle Roberts – Aye

Julie B. Hale - Aye

Nathan McClintock - Aye

10. PUBLIC HEARING: TITLE VI INDIAN EDUCATION - Director of Teaching and Learning, Dayna Cahill gave an update to the Board on the Districts' Indian Education Program. There was a parent meeting on April 28, 2026 at the Hall of Champions.

A. Open Public Hearing 6:45pm

B. Public Comments and Questions – No Public Comments or Questions

C. Close Public Hearing 6:46pm

11. K -12 HEALTH CURRICULUM ADOPTION (ACTION)

Director Anna Huit wanted to thank Dayna and Bruce in the Curriculum Department for the time they put in to the adoption. She is thankful for the knowledge of the standards that are required in the curriculum.

Director Julie B. Hale moved to approve the adoption of The Great Body Shop for grades K-8 and Live Well for grades 9-12. Director Anna Huit seconded the motion, which was approved unanimously. 7-0

Carol Yardley – Aye

Anna Huit - Aye

Megan Kronsteiner – Cahill – Aye

DeAnne Wiedenmann - Aye

Michelle Roberts – Aye

Julie B. Hale - Aye

Nathan McClintock - Aye

12. 2026-27 BOARD MEETING DATES AND WORK SESSION SCHEDULE (ACTION)

Director DeAnne Wiedenmann moved to approve the proposed 2026-27 Board Meeting and Work Session Schedule as presented. Director Anna Huit seconded the motion, which was approved unanimously. 7-0

Carol Yardley – Aye

Anna Huit - Aye

Megan Kronsteiner – Cahill – Aye

DeAnne Wiedenmann - Aye

Michelle Roberts – Aye

Julie B. Hale - Aye

Nathan McClintock - Aye

13. CLASSROOM STAFFING RATIOS/COURSE OFFERINGS

Director of Teaching and learning, Bruce Martin gave an informational update regarding district staffing and course offerings.

14. INTER DISTRICT TRANSFERS (ACTION)

A. The District recommends the following numbers for non-resident student admission for each grade level:

Director of Teaching and Learning Bruce Martin gave an overview of the Inter District Transfer process.

Director Michelle Roberts moved for the Board to establish for the 2026-27 school year that the District will accept the following number of nonresident students who apply to the North Bend School District: Kindergarten 25; First Grade 3; Second Grade 15; Third Grade 10; Fourth Grade 12; Fifth Grade 5; Sixth Grade 6; Seventh Grade 16; Eighth Grade 20; Ninth Grade 10; Tenth Grade 20; Eleventh Grade 20; Twelfth Grade 20. Director DeAnne Wiedenmann seconded the motion, which was approved unanimously. 7-0

Carol Yardley – Aye

Anna Huit - Aye

Megan Kronsteiner – Cahill – Aye

DeAnne Wiedenmann - Aye

Michelle Roberts – Aye

Julie B. Hale - Aye

Nathan McClintock - Aye

15. GRANT OVERVIEW

Superintendent Crider gave a high-level overview of the various Federal, State, and Local grants currently supporting the North Bend School District. This highlighted how grant funding supports programs, services, staffing positions, and targeted student needs aligned with district priorities and Strategic Plan goals while helping maximize district resources.

16. BOARD COMMENTS - None

17. INFORMATION ONLY

A. District Financial Info and Check Register

- B. April 2026 Enrollment Numbers
- C. May 12, 2026 - Budget Committee Meeting
- D. June 8, 2026 - Next Regular Meeting

18. DISMISS TO EXECUTIVE SESSION – 7:26pm

A. To consult with counsel concerning the legal rights and duties of a public body with regard to current litigation or litigation likely to be filed. 192.660 (2)(h)

Representatives of the news media and designated staff shall/shall not be allowed to attend. All other members of the audience are asked to leave the room. Representatives of the news media are specifically directed to not report on any of the deliberations during the executive session, except to state the general subject of the session as previously announced. No decision may be made in executive session, except for a student expulsion. At the end of the executive session, we will return to open session.*

**"Shall not" refers to the four exceptions: student expulsions, consultation with labor negotiators, discussing student medical or educational records, and cases in which they or their media organization are involved in litigation with the district that will be discussed during the executive session.*

19. RETURN TO OPEN SESSION – 8:15pm

20. AUTHORIZATION TO PURSUE RESOLUTION OF ESD FUNDING ALLOCATION DISPUTE (ACTION)

Director Julie B. Hale moved that the Board authorize the North Bend School District (NBSD) to continue to pursue a settlement with the South Coast Education Service District (SCESD) regarding the allocation of ESD funds intended for NBSD students, as previously approved by the Board. In the absence of an agreeable settlement proposal, I further move that the Board authorize the Superintendent and legal counsel to pursue all available legal remedies, up to and including the initiation of litigation against SCESD and related parties, and to take all necessary steps to enforce the District's rights in this matter. Director Anna Huit seconded the motion, which was approved unanimously. 7-0

Carol Yardley – Aye

Anna Huit - Aye

Megan Kronsteiner – Cahill – Aye

DeAnne Wiedenmann - Aye

Michelle Roberts – Aye

Julie B. Hale - Aye

Nathan McClintock - Aye

21. ADJOURN – The meeting was adjourned by consensus at 8:16pm

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