

**MINUTES OF THE SPECIAL MEETING
OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION
BEMIDJI AREA SCHOOLS
JULY 20, 2026**

The special meeting of the Board of Education, Bemidji Area Schools, Bemidji, Beltrami/Hubbard Counties, Minnesota, was held on Monday, June 15, 2026, at 4:45 p.m., in the District Office Board Room.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Anna Manecke, Jack Aakhus, Dave Wall, Jenny Frenzel, Ann Long Voelkner, Todd Haugen and Superintendent Jeremy Olson

MEMBERS ABSENT: None

CALL TO ORDER: 4:45 p.m.

The motion was offered by Anna Manecke, seconded by Ann Long Voelkner, and carried by all in attendance to approve the agenda.

AGENDA

Work Session: Discussion only, no action taken.

Proposed JW Smith Fundraising Committee

There was a discussion about a proposed JW Smith Fundraising Committee.

Discussion of BHS Cell Phone Procedures

There was a discussion about BHS cell phone procedures.

Adjournment

The motion was offered by Jenny Frenzel, seconded by Dave Wall, and carried by all in attendance to adjourn the meeting. Time: 5:56 p.m.

Jenny Frenzel, Clerk

Date Approved

Todd Haugen, Chair

Date Approved