



NORTH BEND SCHOOL DISTRICT

Hillcrest Elementary School · North Bay Elementary School
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A Regular Meeting of the North Bend School District #13 Board of Directors was held Thursday, March 5, 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 amend the agenda by adding discussion and potential action about adding a softball player from Reedsport, and the changing of the resignation of the North Bend School District Nurse from 6-12-26 to 4-3-26. Director DeAnne Wiedenman seconded the motion, which was approved unanimously. 7-0

Carol Yardley – Aye

Anna Huit - Aye

Megan Kronsteiner – Cahill – Aye

DeAnee 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)

Community Member Shelly Reese addressed the Board with her concerns over the Bonneville Power Association project on Viking Lane.

4. COMMUNICATIONS

A. Board Reports and Communication - None

B. Student Representatives to the Board

i. High School Representatives - None

C. Mr. Nichols - Hillcrest Elementary STEAM Night

Mr. Nichols highlighted the Hillcrest Elementary STEAM Night. Over 120 students attended. 300 parents, siblings, and extended family members participated alongside students. The students got to go between five stations. There was a planetarium, paper rocket engineering, simulation of Mars Rover problem solving, screenless coding, and art creating constellation creations. Mr. Nichols thanked everyone for making this family night so successful.

D. Association Reports

i. North Bend Education Association Report - Eva Varga

Eva Varga shared a brief report with the board. She thanked Mr. Nichols for highlighting Hillcrest Elementary STEAM Night and also recognized Read Across America Week, noting that it coincides with Dr. Seuss's birthday. She engaged the board with a few Oregon Battle of the Books (OBOB) questions and briefly mentioned Oregon House Bill 4075 as something to keep

an eye on. She also shared that Marathon Madness activities are getting underway at Hillcrest Elementary.

The Extra Mile shows how staff appreciate their colleagues. Traci Stapleton was highlighted and thanked by Jeni Green. Also, March 6th is Maintenance Worker Appreciation day. Eva thanked Mark Koechel, Travis Metz, Brett Clarno, Thomas Hudman, Robbie Bogart, Benny McAllister, and Marti McAllister

E. Superintendent Report

The superintendent provided updates on the March state revenue forecast, noting a slight improvement in Oregon's budget outlook while emphasizing that advocacy for stable K-12 funding remains important. An update was also shared regarding House Bill 4075 and potential impacts to the Common School Fund.

The superintendent recognized Classified Appreciation Week and thanked classified staff for their essential contributions to students, schools, and district operations.

Updates were provided on district properties, including a signed agreement for the Broadway property with a closing date of April 30 and the completed sale of the Pacific Avenue property, which resulted in proceeds of just over \$257,000.

A reconfiguration update was shared, noting that transportation proposals will be reviewed on March 16, with a recommendation anticipated at the April board meeting.

The superintendent also reminded the board that Spring Break will take place March 23-27.

Superintendent Crider thanked our tech and maintenance team for all of their hard work in getting our new boardroom

5. ACTION / CONSENT AGENDA ITEMS

A. Board Meeting Minutes

i. February 5, 2026 - Regular Meeting

ii. February 19, 2026 - Work Session

B. New Hires

C. Annual Contract Renewals

Director Megan Kronsteiner – Cahill moved to approve all Action/Consent Agenda items, plus changing the resignation of the North Bend School District Nurse from 6-12-26 to 4-3-26. Director Michelle Roberts seconded the motions, which was approved unanimously. 7-0

Carol Yardley – Aye

Anna Huit - Aye

Megan Kronsteiner – Cahill – Aye

DeAnee Wiedenmann - Aye

Michelle Roberts – Aye

Julie B. Hale - Aye

Nathan McClintock - Aye

6. RECONFIGURATION PROGRESS UPDATE

Superintendent Crider gave an update on the District's reconfiguration process.

Staff assignments for next year have been finalized and staff have been notified. Input has also been gathered regarding preferences should additional openings occur before the start of the school year. A Google Form will be shared soon to collect staff questions and ideas to support transition planning.

Three board members toured North Bay Elementary this week to help identify potential improvements to the student experience. Ideas ranged from smaller updates such as cleaning and painting to possible larger facility improvements.

Grade-level teams will meet this Friday at their assigned schools to continue transition planning, including preparation for a May 21 student transition field trip. Kindergarten and first-grade students will visit Hillcrest, while grades two through four will visit North Bay. Wayfinder will support culture-building activities during the visit, including a student handprint banner to be displayed on the first day of school.

7. RESOLUTION — CLASSIFIED EMPLOYEE APPRECIATION (ACTION)

Director DeAnne Wiedenmann read the resolution aloud

Director Julie B. Hale moved to approve Classified Employee Recognition Week. Director Megan Kronsteiner - Cahill seconded the motion, which was approved unanimously. 7-0

Carol Yardley – Aye

Anna Huit - Aye

Megan Kronsteiner – Cahill – Aye

DeAnee Wiedenmann - Aye

Michelle Roberts – Aye

Julie B. Hale - Aye

Nathan McClintock - Aye

8. RESPONSE TO INSTRUCTION (RTI) REBOOT

Heather Flammang and Leah Johnston who are a part of the Response to Instruction (RTI) Reboot, RTI DILT Team (District Implementation Leadership Team) shared a brief history of elementary literacy instruction in North Bend and an overview of the current systems, alignment, and successes of the ORTIi Reboot.

9. K -12 HEALTH CURRICULUM UPDATE

Director of Teaching and Learning, Dayna Cahill provided an update on the Districts process for the upcoming Health Curriculum adoption.

10. POSTPONEMENT OF SOCIAL STUDIES CURRICULUM (ACTION)

Director DeAnne Wiedenmann moved to approve the postponement of the adoption of the K-12 social studies curriculum. Director Anna Huit seconded the motion, which was approved unanimously. 7-0

Carol Yardley – Aye

Anna Huit - Aye

Megan Kronsteiner – Cahill – Aye

DeAnee Wiedenmann - Aye

Michelle Roberts – Aye

Julie B. Hale - Aye

Nathan McClintock - Aye

11. BOARD COMMENTS

Director Anna Huit mentioned that she was thankful to be a part of the Level – Up OSBA board training. Board Chair Nathan McClintock said the girls' basketball team will be traveling to St. Helens for a playoff game.

12. INFORMATION ONLY

A. February 2026 Enrollment Numbers

B. District Financial Info and Check Register

C. Work Session — Thursday, March 19, 2026

D. Next Regular Meeting — Thursday, April, 2 2026

13. ADJOURN – The meeting was adjourned by consensus at 7:32pm

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