



# ANTIOCH COMMUNITY CONSOLIDATED SCHOOL DISTRICT 34

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## MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION TUESDAY, APRIL 21, 2026 – 6:30 P.M.

A Regular Meeting of the Board of Education of Antioch School District 34 was held on Tuesday, April 21, 2026, at the Administrative Services Center, 964 Spafford St., Antioch, Illinois, in said District. President Hulting called the meeting to order at 6:30 PM.

### ROLL CALL

Present: Members Baronello, Beall, Buak, Henning, Hulting, and Ruminski.

Absent: Member Karner.

### APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Member Ruminski moved to approve the agenda as presented. Member Buak seconded the motion.

Roll Call: Members Baronello, Beall, Buak, Henning, Hulting, and Ruminski. | Aye - 6. Nay - None. | Motion carried.

### BOARD RECOGNITIONS

- A. W.C. Petty music teacher Judith Schaibly introduced five W.C. Petty students, who performed the new W.C. Petty School Song.
- B. AUGS teacher Luke Holm presented an overview of the Gifted and Talented program offered during the Success Period. The program is centered on a project-based learning approach, where students select topics they are passionate about and develop projects around those interests. Mr. Holm shared examples of student work and highlighted the outcomes of these projects. Two students, Darwin and Colton, also presented their individual projects, showcasing their learning and creativity.
- C. Oakland Gifted and Talented teacher Amy Henning recognized Oakland's Published Poets students.

### SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

Aron Borowiak, Superintendent, reported 1 FOIA request since the last regular board meeting. As of today, 1 request has been completed.

He also reported on the following:

#### Early Learning Center

- Wellness Week, in partnership with the American Heart Association, kicked off with an exciting all-school assembly led by Miss Brooke! MKM is off to a strong start, with families raising over \$1,200—thank you for your generosity and support. Throughout the week, students will continue learning about the importance of healthy habits, practicing kindness, and building a strong and positive mindset.



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- MKM's Spring Showcase was a huge success! Students had the opportunity to share with their families all the wonderful things they learned and created during their Reduce, Reuse, Recycle unit of study. The staff also hosted a fun, hands-on activity in the motor room where families created their own rainsticks using recyclable materials.

## Hillcrest

- Mrs. Reagle's fourth-grade mathematicians recently brought their learning to life through an engaging, hands-on fraction review activity. As students moved throughout the room, they solved a variety of fraction problems, with each correct answer revealing a clue to a mystery academic vocabulary word. Step by step, they worked collaboratively to solve the puzzle. This interactive "math hunt" not only strengthened their understanding of fractions but also fostered critical thinking, teamwork, and attention to detail. The classroom was filled with excitement and energy as students eagerly embraced each challenge and celebrated their progress along the way.
- Ms. Ruhl's class proudly showcased their English Learner projects during the Spring Showcase, titled My Country, My Story. Students created detailed box displays representing countries such as Mexico, the Philippines, Italy, Serbia, Iraq, Vietnam, Ecuador, and Guatemala. Each project highlighted important cultural elements, including flags, foods, holidays, landmarks, currency, and notable individuals. This meaningful experience enabled students to build and apply academic vocabulary as they researched, discussed, and presented information about diverse cultures. Many students also had the opportunity to celebrate and share their own cultural backgrounds, making the project especially personal and impactful. The final displays were shared with peers and the broader school community, helping to deepen understanding and appreciation of the rich diversity within the District.

## Oakland

- At the recent Spring Showcase, the fifth-grade historians took center stage, presenting an impressive array of independent research projects. Each student selected a pivotal moment in history and engaged in deep learning through extensive book research and primary source analysis. Moving beyond traditional essays, students brought their topics to life by engineering detailed dioramas, designing informative posters, and producing original videos. This multidisciplinary approach highlighted not only their historical understanding but also their creativity, digital storytelling, and design skills. The District is incredibly proud of the dedication and enthusiasm these students demonstrated as they shared complex historical narratives with their families and the broader school community.
- We are also excited to celebrate Oakland's second-grade students, who are now officially published authors. Through a rigorous writing process, students developed, revised, and finalized their work for publication in class books through Student Treasures Publishing. Each classroom explored unique and engaging topics: Ms. Emerson's class imagined new school rules if they were principal; Mrs. Judd's class wrote about their hopes and wishes for the future; Ms. Seifert's class shared their aspirations for what they want to be when they grow up; and Mrs. Zeddies' class created comics centered on problem and solution, dedicating their book to Mr. Reh, the Art Teacher. This accomplishment reflects strong writing instruction and a commitment to fostering student voice and creativity.

## Petty

- Petty hosted a STEM night titled Earth Day STEM Night: Invest in Our Planet! The night was a tremendous success, bringing students and families together for an evening of creating, building, and exploring. The



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event showcased engaging, hands-on activities that connected STEM learning to environmental responsibility, sparking curiosity and meaningful conversations about caring for our planet. The energy throughout the building was unmistakable, as students eagerly participated, collaborated, and discovered—all while having a great deal of fun. It was a powerful example of learning in action, with students thinking critically and engaging deeply alongside their families.

- During Spring Showcase, students and families visited many areas of the school as students showcased their learning and the great things happening at Petty. Families also had the chance to stop by the book fair, and students could earn raffle tickets for the opportunity to win wonderful gift baskets. Both nights were filled with excitement, pride, and a strong sense of community.

## AUGS

- AUGS orchestra students had the opportunity to experience the arts in an authentic and inspiring way through a visit from the Marie Ann Vos Honors String Quartet of the Encore Youth Orchestra. Their live performance showcased exceptional talent and passion, providing students with meaningful exposure to high-level musicianship and strengthening their connection to the arts.
- AUGS classes continue to reflect the District's commitment to engaging and effective instructional practices. Students recently participated in a Rally Coach activity as part of their unit on writing linear equations. In this structured partner activity, one student verbalizes their thinking while solving a problem, while the other provides coaching, feedback, and support before switching roles. This Kagan Cooperative Learning structure has proven highly effective in promoting student discourse, strengthening problem-solving skills, and deepening understanding through purposeful peer collaboration.

## District:

- None.

## Job Openings for 25-26

- AUGS
  - Paraprofessionals
  - Permanent Sub
- Elementary
  - Paraprofessionals
  - Permanent Subs
- ELC
  - Permanent Sub
- OTC
  - Bus Monitor

## Job Openings for 26-27

- AUGS
  - Special Education Resource
  - Band
  - Spanish
- Elementary



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- Teacher
- ELC
- Teacher

## Upcoming Events

- April 22 | Elementary Band Concert
- May 1 | Warrior Mile Day
- May 2 | Art Crawl
- May 6 | Intermediate Orchestra Concert
- May 7 | Band Concert
- May 11 | End of Year Staff Recognition Reception @Rivlary Alehouse
- May 13 | Orchestra Concert
- May 14 | Choir Concert
- May 19 | Regular Board Meeting
- May 27 | AUGS Graduation at D117 Fieldhouse

## **PUBLIC PARTICIPATION**

None.

## **INFORMATION/DISCUSSION**

- A. AUGS Athletics Program
  - a. Principal Joe Kouene presented an update on the AUGS Athletics and Extracurricular Programs and their achievements this year.
- B. AUGS Picture and Locker Day Update
  - a. Principal Joe Kouene presented the proposed change for the 26-27 school year locker day. School photos will be taken on this day with make-up photos to follow in September. The addition of stations will also provide opportunities for a smoother registration process.
- C. eLearning Plan for the District
  - a. Director of Curriculum and Instruction, Anita Hernandez updated the board on the projected plan for eLearning in the 26-27 school year, with no large alterations presented.

## **BOARD COMMITTEE REPORTS**

- Member Baronello commented on the equity meeting she had where Director of Curriculum and Instruction, Anita Hernandez, presented data that identified an achievement gap for our low socioeconomic group. They had discussed transportation options for after school activities, which may factor in some students being unable to participate. The possibility for other financial options were discussed to help cover the costs of Warrior Academy for some families unable to afford the cost.
- Member Henning spoke up about how negotiations are moving in a positive direction overall.



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- Members Buak and Hulting spoke on the positive outcome from speaking with Legat Architecture via virtual meeting to help streamline the process for presentation to the board meeting, resulting in a final decision of the New ELC facility layout plan.

## DONATIONS

Frequently, we receive charitable donations in the form of monetary donations and gifts through various formats. We will inform the Board of Education of these donations to the best of our ability.

April 21, 2026				
Company/Pers on Making Donations	Date Donated	Item (Description) Donated	Dollar Value	Beneficiary of Donation
CAF-America Abbott	2/18/26	check	\$8.00	AUGS Activity Account
CAF-America Abbott	2/27/26	check	\$10.00	AUGS Activity Account
CAF-America Abbott	3/9/26	check	\$10.00	AUGS Activity Account
SAVECO NORTH AMERICA	04/07/26	18 3" Binders-ordered on accident & wanted to donate	\$397.62	TBD

## CONSIDERATION TO APPROVE: CONSENT AGENDA

Aron Borowiak recommended approval of the Consent Agenda with the Treasurer’s report, with a fund balance of \$110,178,454.32.

Member Ruminski motioned approval of the consent agenda as presented.

- A. Minutes
  - a. Minutes | Regular Meeting | March 19, 2026
  - b. Minutes | Closed Session Meeting | Session 1 | March 19, 2026
  - c. Minutes | Closed Session Meeting | Session 2 | March 19, 2026
  - d. Minutes | Committee of the Whole | April 7, 2026
  - e. Minutes | Closed Session Committee of the Whole | April 7, 2026
- B. Financial Reports
  - a. Activity Fund Statement | March 2026
  - b. Bills | March 2026



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- c. Bills | April 2026
- d. Payroll Report | March 2026
- e. Treasurer's and Investment Report | March 2026
- C. Personnel Consent Agenda
  - a. New Hires/Appointments, Leave of Absence Requests, Resignations, Notification of Intent to Retire, and Discharge of Staff

First Name	Last Name	Position	Status
Carrie	Mack	Teacher	Band Camp
Brittany	Dix	Nurse	Change in FTE
Lorena	Vazquez	Teacher	ESY
Jennifer	Frisby	Teacher	ESY
Jessica	Anderson	Teacher	ESY
Jessica	Crawford	Teacher	ESY
Ria	Manalac	Teacher	ESY
Kate	Cafferkey	Teacher	ESY
Amber	Dooper	Teacher	ESY
Angela	Kruse	OT	ESY
Kara	Leitza	Social Worker	ESY
Shana	Snodgrass	Social Worker	ESY
Jillian	Everett	SLP	ESY
Kendall	Barber	PT	ESY
Stephanie	Riggs	SPED Aide (Asst.)	ESY
Amber	Silva	SPED Aide (Asst.)	ESY
Shannon	Lozano	SPED Aide (Asst.)	ESY
Heidi	Alviter	SPED Aide (Asst.)	ESY
Kim	Hellen	SPED Aide (Asst.)	ESY
Laura	O'Dowd	SPED Aide (Asst.)	ESY
Kristina	Baylen	SPED Aide (Asst.)	ESY
Bobbie	Moore	SPED Aide (Asst.)	ESY
Alexandra	Baragamian	SPED Aide (Asst.)	ESY
Jamie	Scoville	SPED Aide (Asst.)	ESY
Tim	Waldorf	SPED Aide (Asst.)	ESY
Amanda	Schrader	SPED Aide (Asst.)	ESY
Katie	Jensen	SPED Aide (Asst.)	ESY
Julie	Popp	Substitute	ESY
Sadie	Beckman	Substitute	ESY
Jose	Alarcon	Custodian	FMLA-Intermittent
Hector	Oceguera Virgen	Maintenance Technician	New Hire
Nicole	Ruiz	SPED Assistant (Aide)	New Hire
Andrea	Fuentes	Receptionist	New Hire
Rebecca	Ward	SPED Assistant (Aide)	New Hire
Falilat	Boyd	Assistant Principal	New Hire



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Courtney	Gilkison	Principal	New Hire
Roberta	Woolard	SPED Self Contained Teacher	New Hire
Madeline	Dunsworth	Teacher	Orchestra Camp
Kelsey	Chavez	3rd Grade	Reassignment
Cameron	Cheek	3rd Grade	Reassignment
Erica	Kopf	1st Grade	Reassignment
Susan	Glowacki	4th Grade	Reassignment
Sydney	Esp	SPED Resource Teacher	Reassignment
Colleen	Wolter	PFA	Rescind resignation
Mason	McAnally	Bldg. Perm. Sub.	Resignation
Brynna	Lawson	SPED Assistant (Aide)	Resignation
Brendan	Frank	Band Teacher	Resignation
Lisa	Krasnoff	Spanish	Resignation
Eileen	Hanan-Hansen	EL Teacher	Resignation
Corrine	Mogle	Paraprofessional	Resignation
Jack	Gerber	SPED Aide/Student Teacher	Resignation
Tamara	Miller	SPED Aide (Assistant)	Resignation
Francine	Burns	Assistant Secretary	Retirement
Meganne	Neurauter	Kindergarten	Sub to New Hire
Meredith	Wagner	Secretary	Summer Programming
Cindy	Spudich	Nurse	Summer Programming
Deon	Obrochta	Teacher	Summer School
Tiffany	Jones	Teacher	Summer School
Jean	Lindner	Teacher	Summer School
Katie	Koczorowski	Teacher	Summer School
Kristi	Miller	Teacher	Summer School
Darcy	Pelayo	Substitute	Summer School
Rachael	Walshire	Substitute	Summer School
Paula	Grosche	Teacher	United Way Camp
Amy	Longo	SPED Aide	United Way Camp
Elisa	Holtman	Teacher	Warrior Academy
Kelly	Weidemann	Teacher	Warrior Academy
Emily	Macanowicz	Teacher	Warrior Academy
Cristin	Castaneda	Teacher	Warrior Academy
Dona	Tindell	Teacher	Warrior Academy
Kaylee	Price	Teacher	Warrior Academy
Sherry	Halvorsen	Teacher	Warrior Academy
Angel	Capulong	Teacher	Warrior Academy
Suzanne	Rivera	Teacher	Warrior Academy
Lindsey	Sullivan	Teacher	Warrior Academy
Samantha	Chandler	Teacher	Warrior Academy
Sarah	Maciejewski	Teacher	Warrior Academy
Sadie	Beckman	SPED Aide (Asst.)	Warrior Academy

b. Stipend Report



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STIPEND HOURLY						
Location	Position	2025-2026 STIPEND	Sponsor's Name	Stipend Start Date	Stipend End Date	FUNDING ACCOUNT
HILL	Running Club	\$272.22	Cara Mizowek	3/9/2026	5/11/2026	10-1500-134-08-1
HILL	Art Club	\$181.48	Karen Nuxoll	April 1, 2026	5/12/2026	10-1500-134-08-1
HILL	Art Club	\$181.48	Deb Gregory	4/1/2026	5/12/2026	10-1500-134-08-1
HILL	Art Club	\$181.48	Jen Kalmus	4/1/2026	5/12/2026	10-1500-134-08-1
WCP	Intramural-Kickball	\$151.24	Merrick Foote	3/9/2026	5/1/2026	10-1500-134-04-1
WCP	Intramural-Volleyball	\$120.99	Alex Struss	3/3/2026	5/26/2026	10-1500-134-04-1
WCP	Intramural-Volleyball	\$120.99	Merrick Foote	3/3/2026	5/26/2026	10-1500-134-04-1

## D. Enrollment Report

Enrollment Report for Board Meetings | 2025-2026

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ANTIOCH SCHOOL DISTRICT #34 ENROLLMENT REPORT										
2025-26										
<b>Hillcrest</b>										
	6th Day	9/16/2025	10/17/25	11/06/25	12/11/2025	01/15/26	02/12/26	03/12/26	04/17/26	Diff
K	85	85	82	81	80	81	83	82	81	-4
1	87	87	87	88	88	89	88	87	87	0
2	106	108	106	106	106	106	106	105	107	1
3	102	103	103	103	103	102	103	104	103	2
4	116	117	116	116	115	115	114	113	113	-3
5	110	110	108	108	109	110	110	112	112	2
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>606</b>	<b>610</b>	<b>602</b>	<b>602</b>	<b>601</b>	<b>603</b>	<b>604</b>	<b>603</b>	<b>603</b>	<b>-3</b>
<b>OAKLAND ELEMENTARY SCHOOL</b>										
	6th Day	9/16/2025	10/17/2025	11/6/2025	12/11/2025	1/15/2026	2/12/2026	3/12/2026	4/17/2026	Diff
K	84	85	84	84	84	82	82	85	85	1
1	80	80	80	80	80	81	81	82	83	3
2	90	90	90	90	90	89	90	90	90	0
3	82	82	82	82	82	83	82	82	82	0
4	94	94	94	94	94	96	98	98	97	3
5	84	84	85	84	83	84	85	85	85	1
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>514</b>	<b>515</b>	<b>515</b>	<b>514</b>	<b>519</b>	<b>515</b>	<b>518</b>	<b>522</b>	<b>522</b>	<b>8</b>
<b>W.C. PERRY ELEMENTARY SCHOOL</b>										
	6th Day	9/16/2025	10/17/2025	11/6/2025	12/11/2025	1/15/2026	2/12/2026	3/12/2026	4/17/2026	Diff
K	62	63	62	62	62	61	61	61	61	-1
1	70	70	70	70	71	71	71	71	71	1
2	71	71	71	70	71	71	70	71	70	-1
3	73	73	73	73	74	75	77	77	77	4
4	75	75	75	75	76	77	77	77	77	2
5	90	90	90	89	89	90	90	90	90	0
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>441</b>	<b>442</b>	<b>441</b>	<b>439</b>	<b>443</b>	<b>445</b>	<b>446</b>	<b>447</b>	<b>446</b>	<b>5</b>
<b>MARY KAY MCNEILL EARLY LEARNING CENTER</b>										
	6th Day	Capacity	SLP	total	1/2 day students	2/12/2026	3/12/2026	4/17/2026	Diff	
ELC	97	210	10	220	/2	110	133	140	144	
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>97</b>						<b>133</b>	<b>140</b>	<b>144</b>	<b>47</b>
<b>ANTIOCH UPPER GRADE SCHOOL</b>										
	6th Day	9/16/2025	10/17/2025	11/6/2025	12/11/2025	1/15/2026	2/12/2026	3/12/2026	4/17/2026	Diff
6	268	268	268	268	269	269	269	266	266	1
7	285	286	286	285	284	283	281	281	282	-3
8	302	302	302	298	297	298	297	296	296	-6
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>855</b>	<b>856</b>	<b>856</b>	<b>852</b>	<b>850</b>	<b>847</b>	<b>843</b>	<b>844</b>	<b>844</b>	<b>-11</b>
<b>DISTRICT TOTAL</b>										
	6th Day	04-17-2026	Diff	2010	3108					(50)
ELC	110	144	34	2011	3086					(22)
K	231	227	-4	2012	3078					(9)
1	237	241	4	2013	3047					(31)
2	267	267	0	2014	2962					(85)
3	257	262	5	2015	2949					(13)
4	285	287	2	2016	2935					(14)
5	284	287	3	2017	2846					(89)
6	268	266	-2	2018	2810					(36)
7	285	282	-3	2019	2803					(7)
8	302	296	-6	2020	2590					(213)
OOD	25	27	2	2021	2598					8
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>2551</b>	<b>2,586</b>	<b>35</b>	2022	2661					63
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>2551</b>	<b>2,586</b>	<b>35</b>	2023	2663					2
				2024	2560					(103)
				2025	2551					(9)

Member Baronello seconded.

Roll Call Vote: Members Baronello, Beall, Buak, Henning, Hulting, and Ruminski. | Aye - 6. Nay - None. | Motion carried.

## CONSIDERATION TO APPROVE: ACTION ITEMS

### A. Administrator Contract | Hillcrest Principal

Member Ruminski moved to approve Courtney Gilkison as the Hillcrest Elementary School Principal for the 2026-27



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School Year.

Member Baronello seconded the motion.

Roll Call Vote: Members Baronello, Beall, Buak, Henning, Hulting, and Ruminski. | Aye - 6. Nay - None. | Motion carried.

## **B. Administrator Contract | WC Petty Assistant Principal**

Member Ruminski moved to approve Falilat Boyd as the WC Petty Elementary School Assistant Principal for the 2026-27 School Year.

Member Buak seconded the motion.

Roll Call Vote: Members Baronello, Beall, Buak, Henning, Hulting, and Ruminski. | Aye - 6. Nay - None. | Motion carried.

## **C. 2026-27 Staffing Plan**

Member Ruminski moved to approve the 2026-27 Staffing Plan, which includes 233.8 Certified, 215 Educational Support, and 23.2 Administration Personnel as presented.

Member Buak seconded the motion.

Roll Call Vote: Members Baronello, Beall, Buak, Henning, Hulting, and Ruminski. | Aye - 6. Nay - None. | Motion carried.

## **D. Consolidated District Plan**

Member Ruminski moved to approve the FY27 Consolidated District Plan as presented.

Member Henning seconded the motion.

Roll Call Vote: Members Baronello, Beall, Buak, Henning, Hulting, and Ruminski. | Aye - 6. Nay - None. | Motion carried.

## **E. New Early Learning Facility Schematic Design Approval**

Member Ruminski moved to approve the schematic design option 3 with adjustments to make the gym larger and adapt the two classrooms for the alternate bid for the New Early Learning Center Facility. For the record, Approval of the schematic design does not commit the district to final construction details, but it is a critical milestone that establishes the direction of the project. It provides the foundation for more detailed design development, more refined cost estimates, and continued stakeholder engagement.

Member Beall seconded the motion.



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Roll Call Vote: Members Baronello, Beall, Buak, Henning, Hulting, and Ruminski. | Aye - 6. Nay - None. | Motion carried.

## **F. Hillcrest Building Automation System**

Member Henning moved to approve the Hillcrest Elementary School Building Automated System agreement with Siemens in the amount of \$137,020 for the migration of the district's existing building automation workstation from Insight to Desigo CC.

Member Ruminski seconded the motion.

Roll Call Vote: Members Baronello, Beall, Buak, Henning, Hulting, and Ruminski. | Aye - 6. Nay - None. | Motion carried.

## **G. Approval to Release bid for Hillcrest Playground**

Member Beall moved to approve the Green Associates to release the bid for the Hillcrest Elementary School Playground Renovation Project - The 2026 Hillcrest Site Renovation Project Number: 1364-2026002 - for public bid on behalf of Antioch CCSD 34, on April 22, 2026.

Member Buak seconded the motion.

Roll Call Vote: Members Baronello, Beall, Buak, Henning, Hulting, and Ruminski. | Aye - 6. Nay - None. | Motion carried.

## **H. Intergovernmental Agreement with D117 for Facility Usage for Graduation Purposes**

Member Beall moved to approve the intergovernmental agreement with CHSD117 for the facility usage for graduation purposes as presented.

Member Baronello seconded the motion.

Roll Call Vote: Members Baronello, Beall, Buak, Henning, Hulting, and Ruminski. | Aye - 6. Nay - None. | Motion carried.

## **I. Special Education Transportation | Contract Extension**

Member Ruminski moved to approve the extension of the Safeway Transportation Services Corporation contract for the period of July 1, 2026, through June 30, 2029. The proposed extension includes rate adjustments of 3.0% for the 2026-27 and 2027-28 school years, and 2.5% for the 2028-29 school year.

Member Henning seconded the motion

Roll Call Vote: Members Baronello, Beall, Buak, Henning, Hulting, and Ruminski. | Aye - 6. Nay - None. | Motion



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carried.

## **J. Third Party Transportation Agreement**

Member Buak moved to approve the third-party transportation agreement as presented.

Member Henning seconded the motion.

Roll Call Vote: Members Baronello, Beall, Buak, Henning, Hulting, and Ruminski. | Aye - 6. Nay - None. | Motion carried.

## **K. Easter Seals 2026-27 Contract Agreement**

Member Baronello moved to approve the school year 2026-27 Easterseals - Illinois Autism Partnership Contract Agreement for coaching and consultation support and services for \$25,434.

Member Ruminski seconded the motion.

Roll Call Vote: Members Baronello, Beall, Buak, Henning, Hulting, and Ruminski. | Aye - 6. Nay - None. | Motion carried.

## **L. Love Your Classroom, LLC 2026-27 Contract Extension**

Member Ruminski moved to approve the contract extension for the 2026-27 school year with Love Your Classroom - BCBA Agreement for consultation on behaviors and developing Behavior Improvement Plans with support at a cost of \$97,200.00 plus mileage.

Member Henning seconded the motion.

Roll Call Vote: Members Baronello, Beall, Buak, Henning, Hulting, and Ruminski. | Aye - 6. Nay - None. | Motion carried.

## **M. ESY 2026 Staff Hiring Recommendations**

Member Henning moved to approve the hiring of personnel for Antioch CCSD34's Extended School Year Services as provided.

Member Ruminski seconded the motion.

Roll Call Vote: Members Baronello, Beall, Buak, Henning, Hulting, and Ruminski. | Aye - 6. Nay - None. | Motion carried.

## **CLOSED SESSION**

Member Beall moved to enter a closed session at 8:09 pm for the following reasons per the Open Meetings Act:



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- a. The appointment, employment, compensation, discipline, performance, or dismissal of specific employees, specific individuals who serve as independent contractors in a park, recreational, or educational setting, or specific volunteers of the public body or legal counsel for the public body, including hearing testimony on a complaint lodged against an employee, a specific individual who serves as an independent contractor in a park, recreational, or educational setting, or a volunteer of the public body or against legal counsel for the public body to determine its validity. However, a meeting to consider an increase in compensation to a specific employee of a public body that is subject to the Local Government Wage Increase Transparency Act may not be closed and shall be open to the public and posted and held in accordance with this Act.
- b. Collective negotiating matters between the District and its employees or their representatives, or deliberations concerning salary schedules for one or more classes of employees.
- c. The purchase or lease of real property for the use of the District, including meetings held for the purpose of discussing whether a particular parcel should be acquired.
- d. Litigation, when an action against, affecting or on behalf of the particular District has been filed and is pending before a court or administrative tribunal, or when the District finds that an action is probable or imminent, in which case the basis for the finding shall be recorded and entered into the closed meeting minutes.
- e. Student disciplinary cases.

Member Henning seconded the motion.

Roll Call Vote: Members Baronello, Beall, Buak, Henning, Hulting, and Ruminski. | Aye - 6. Nay - None. | Motion carried.

President Hulting announced that no action will be taken when the open session reconvenes.

## **RECONVENE TO OPEN SESSION**

Member Hulting called the open session to order at 9:31 PM.

Roll Call Vote: Members Baronello, Beall, Buak, Henning, Hulting, and Ruminski. | Aye - 6. Nay - None. | Motion carried.

## **FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS AND MEETING SUMMARY**

- Principals' Wish List review
- Beyond the Bell Extracurricular Edition

## **ADJOURNMENT**

Member Hulting motioned, and Member Ruminski seconded to adjourn at 9:37 PM.



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Roll Call Vote: Members Baronello, Beall, Buak, Henning, Hulting, and Ruminski. | Aye - 6. Nay - None. | Motion carried.

Respectfully submitted,

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**Mary Beth Hulting, President**

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**Angela Baronello, Secretary**