

**BOARD OF EDUCATION
UMATILLA COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT 8R, HERMISTON**

**There will be a Regular Meeting of the
Board of Education of the Umatilla County School District 8R
at Hermiston School District Offices
Boardroom
305 S.W. 11th Street.
Hermiston, Oregon 97838
Monday, May 11, 2026, 6:00 PM**

Rosa Cerda-Diaz
Executive Assistant to the
Superintendent and Board of Education

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Is there anyone here tonight who would like to address the board?
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Board of Education Goals

 1. Academic Achievement. Demonstrate continuous improvement in all measured areas for each student.
 2. Stewardship. Maintain sound fiscal stewardship of community resources consistent with board policy.

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HERMISTON, OREGON**

May 11, 2026

SUPERINTENDENT'S RECOMMENDATION

2.0. INTRODUCTORY ITEMS

2.2. TOPIC: Adoption of the Agenda

It is recommended.

RECOMMENDATION:

. that the Board of Education adopts the agenda as presented.

Regular Meeting Minutes
UMATILLA COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT #8, HERMISTON
April 13, 2026

1. CALL TO ORDER REGULAR MEETING

Chair Hurst call to order the regular Meeting at 6:00 P.M.

Hermiston School Board members present: Mr. James Hurst, Ms. Bonnie Luisi, Ms. Teri Vander Stelt, Ms. Lili Gomez, Mr. Greg Jones, and Mr. Phillip Spicerkuhn. Also, in attendance were Superintendent Dr. Tricia Mooney, Assistant Jake Bacon, Director of Business Services Kati Saul, and Executive Assistant to the Superintendent and Board Rosa Cerda-Diaz.

Absent members: Mr. Chris Elliott

2. INTRODUCTORY ITEMS

2.1. Pledge of Allegiance

Chair Hurst led everyone to the Pledge of Allegiance.

2.2. Adoption of Agenda

Ms. Bonnie Luisi made a motion to adopt the agenda as presented. The motion was seconded by Ms. Lili Gomez and passed unanimously with a vote of 6-0.

2.3. Approval of Minutes

Ms. Teri Vander Stelt made a motion to approve the minutes for the Regular Meeting March 9, 2026, Executive Session for Regular Meeting March 9, 2026, Special Meeting March 23, 2026, and the Executive Session for Special Meeting March 23, 2026. The motion was seconded by Ms. Bonnie Luisi and passed unanimously with a vote of 6-0.

3. COMMUNICATIONS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

3.1. Student Board Representative

Miss Kari Bazan shared an update on student leadership activities at Hermiston High School, highlighting FCCLA achievements in leadership and community involvement, as well as the start of spring sports including baseball, track, and soccer. She noted a baseball win over Kamiakin High School, strong performances by the track team, and the Dance Team earning a hip hop state title. Ms. Bazan also announced the All-City Band and Choir Concert on April 30 and noted there are eight weeks remaining for seniors until graduation. She concluded that HHS has had a busy and successful Spring.

3.2. Oregon School Employees Association

No representative was in attendance.

3.3. Hermiston Association of Teachers

HAT President Mr. Jonthan Robledo provided an update on teacher and activities and association updates. He noted that there were eight weeks remaining in the school year and welcomed staff and students back following Spring Break. He expressed appreciation for the Instructional Coaches for their outstanding work in facilitating recent training at the High School. Mr. Robledo also shared information regarding the Oregon Education Association Representative Assembly (OEARA) in Portland, where education-related issues were discussed and OEA

Leadership elections take place. Lastly, he noted that Classified Negotiations will be on Wednesday, April 15.

4. PUBLIC COMMENTS

No written comments were submitted prior to the meeting, nor were any requests made to address the board virtually. Additionally, no comments were made in person.

5. REPORTS

5.1. Board of Education

Board members reported on activities they participated in or attended since the last board meeting.

- Ms. Lili Gomez attended the Chess Tournament at West Park Elementary School which Armand Larive Middle School participated. She recognized both schools for their efforts and participation. She also attended an Armand Larive Middle School baseball game, which she noted went very well.
- Ms. Teri Vander Stelt and Mr. Greg Jones served as FCCLA judges at a conference, where they observed students presenting various projects investigations. They noted a wide range of topics presented during the event.
- Mr. James Hurst expressed ongoing concerns regarding the future use of artificial intelligence in education; however, she also shared his enthusiasm for the Dance Team, noting their continued success.

5.2. Business Office

5.2.1. Financial Reports

Ms. Saul reviewed the revenue, expenditure, and ending fund balance reports for February 2026. Both the revenue and expenditure reports are green with an ending fund balance of 10.07%.

5.3. Superintendent's Office

5.3.1. Enrollment Report

Dr. Mooney shared updates with the board, including recognition of the Dance Team scheduled for April 27 at the work session following their state title. She also referenced the COSA/OSBA Legislative report highlighting the impact of education, shared information regarding a Stand for Children's tool being developed to track student contact time and reviewed the district enrollment report as of March 31, 2026.

6. STUDY ITEMS

6.1. Review of IMESD Opt Out

Dr. Mooney provided a review of the IMESD Opt Out.

7. CONSENT ITEMS**

7.1. Human Resources Department

Ms. Bonnie Luisi made a motion to approve the Consent Items 7.1.1. through 7.2.1. The motion was seconded by Ms. Lili Gomez and passed unanimously with a vote of 6-0.

7.1.1. Personnel Appointments

That the Board of Education approves the appointment of the following employees for the 2026-2027 school year:

NAME	POSITION	BUILDING ASSIGNMENT
Kathryn Davis	Teacher	Hermiston High School
Madison Dudley	Teacher	Hermiston High School
Janet Sexton	Teacher	Hermiston High School
Brenda Appleton	Teacher	Hermiston High School

7.1.2. Personnel Resignation

That the Board of Education approves the resignation of the following employees:

NAME	POSITION	BUILDING ASSIGNMENT
Ericka Maxwell	Teacher	Hermiston High School
Andrew Weedon	Teacher	Sunset Elementary
Savannah Diaz	Teacher	West Park Elementary
Nellie Crowther	Teacher	Armand Larive Middle School
Courtney Walchli	Teacher	Loma Vista Elementary
Rodney Coder	Teacher	Hermiston High School
Janna Padberg	Teacher	Loma Vista Elementary

7.2. Business Office

7.2.1. Acceptance of Gifts

That the Board of Education Accepts the following gifts:

<u>School/Program</u>	<u>Gift</u>	<u>Value</u>	<u>Donor</u>
HHS Athletics	Video Board @ HHS Gym	\$10,000	Hermiston Basketball Club
HOSA	Healthcare Conference	\$750	Family Health Assoc.
Desert View Elementary	Cash Donations	\$110.64	American Online Giving Foundation
West Park Elementary	Cash Donations	\$256.28	American Online Giving Foundation
Rocky Heights	Cash Donations	\$110.64	American Online Giving Foundation

8. ACTION ITEMS

8.1. Action Item Placeholder

There was no Action Item.

9. CALENDAR AND FUTURE ITEMS

9.1. Future Agenda Item Discussion

Chair Hurst addressed Tech and AI for future discussion.

9.2. Calendar Review

Dr. Mooney reviewed future calendars and upcoming events highlighting KOHU participation, summer program registration, kinder registration, band concerts, sports, OSEA negotiations, and other activities.

10. EXECUTIVE SESSION

10.1. ORS 332.060(2)(f)

To consider information or records that are exempt by law from public inspection.

10.2. ORS 192.660(2)(i)

To review and evaluate the employment-related performance of the chief executive officer of any public body, a public officer, employee, or staff member who does not request an open hearing.

11. ADJOURN

With no further business, Chair Hurst adjourned the meeting at 7:21p.m.

Date

Chairman

Superintendent/Clerk

Secretary

Special Meeting Minutes
UMATILLA COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT #8, HERMISTON
April 27, 2026

1. CALL TO ORDER SPECIAL MEETING*

Chair Hurst called to order the regular meeting at 6:00 P.M.

Hermiston School Board Members present: Mr. James Hurst, Ms. Bonnie Luisi, Ms. Teri Vander Stelt, Ms. Lili Gomez, Mr. Greg Jones, Mr. Chris Elliott, and Mr. Phillip Spicerkuhn. Also, in attendance were Superintendent Dr. Tricia Mooney, Director of Business Services Kati Saul, and Executive Assistant to the Superintendent and Board Rosa Cerda-Diaz.

2. INTRODUCTORY ITEMS

2.1. Pledge of Allegiance

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2.2. Adoption of Agenda

Mr. Phillip Spicerkuhn made a motion to adopt the agenda as presented. The motion was seconded by Ms. Bonnie Luisi and passed unanimously with a vote of 7-0.

3. PRESENTATIONS AND RECOGNITIONS

3.1. State Dance Team Recognition

Athletic director Larry Usher presented the Hermiston High School Dance Team, along with Head Coach Alex Anteau and Assistant Coach Jayden Hosten. He highlighted the team's success and commended the athletes for their effort, time, and commitment, noting the strong character and dedication demonstrated throughout the season.

3.2. Desert View and Sunset Elementary Update

Mr. Melville, Desert View Elementary (DVES) and Mrs. Andreason, Sunset Elementary (SES) Principals, introduced their leadership staff and shared current building initiatives, that include Character Traits and Communication. They reported that students work toward achieving all four components of the Portrait of a Graduate, with monthly teacher nominations recognizing the student accomplishments. Instructional Coaches Kara Frazer (DVES) and Susan Frink (SES) highlighted strategies for student collaborative practice in the classroom. Mr. Melville and Mrs. Andreason also presented interim assessment results, areas of growth, and identified areas for improvement.

4. PUBLIC COMMENTS

No written comments were submitted prior to the meeting, nor were any requests made to address the board virtually. Additionally, no comments were made in person.

5. REPORTS

5.1. Board of Education

Board members reported on activities they participated in or attended since the previous board meeting.

- Ms. Lili Gomez reported that she attended a chess tournament in Portland where Armand Larive Middle School students competed. She also recognized West Park Elementary for continuing to support and maintain its chess program.
- Ms. Bonnie Luisi reported that she attended Sandstone Middle School Pinning Ceremony and noted that the event went well. She also shared that the Hermiston Education Foundation (HEF) will be meeting to discuss goals and ideas.
- Mr. Greg Jones reported that he attended a baseball game and noted that the new concessions and restroom facilities are appreciated.
- Mr. Chris Elliott reported that he attended a softball and football game and watched a couple of former HHS players at Eastern Oregon University (EOU) and shared that it was a great experience.

5.2. Superintendent's Office

Dr. Mooney shared with the board that it was notified by the Department of Education (DOE) of the Grant for Summer Learning was not funded.

6. **CONSENT ITEMS****

No consent items were presented.

7. **ACTION ITEM**

No action items were presented

8. **CALENDAR/FUTURE ITEMS**

8.1. Future Agenda Item Discussion

Mr. Chris Elliott requested an overview of staffing and positions for the 2026-2027 school year.

8.2. Calendar Review

Dr. Mooney reviewed future calendars and upcoming events. She noted the Hermiston High School and Desert View Elementary pinning ceremonies, as well as the **May 4** Finance Committee Meeting and Budget Committee Meeting at 6:00 p.m. She also highlighted the Evening of Excellence **May 5**, Highland Hills Elementary's pinning ceremony on **May 7**, and the District Recognition Banquet on **May 20**. Additionally, she informed the Board of a curriculum presentation scheduled for the **May 11** Board Meeting with Dr. Farley and Mr. Depew.

9. **EXECUTIVE SESSION**

9.1. ORS 192.660(2)(i)

To Review and evaluate the employment-related performance of the chief executive officer of any public body, a public officer, employee, or staff members who does not request an open hearing.

10. **ADJOURN**

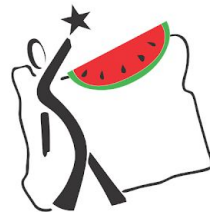
With no further business, Chair Hurst adjourned the meeting at 6.59 p.m.

Date

Chairman

Superintendent/Clerk

Secretary



HERMISTON
SCHOOL DISTRICT

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Social Sciences Curriculum Adoption

May 11, 2026





Importance of High-Quality Instructional Materials

- Quality materials provide coherent content and quality instruction across all classrooms
- Quality materials raise expectations for all students through access to grade-level content.
- Having an adopted curriculum is especially important during the implementation of new standards and for newer teachers.
- High-quality instructional materials can give educators within a school and across a school system a common foundation to organize the work they're undertaking at the classroom level. Often significantly reducing teacher preparation time.
- High-quality instructional materials can drive teacher growth through a shared experience that creates the floor, but not the ceiling, around the teaching and learning that happens in our classrooms.



HSD's Upcoming Adoptions

Year	Subject	Level
24-25	Health	K-12
25-26	Social Sciences	K-12
26-27	World Languages, PE	K-12
27-28	ELA	K-12
28-29	Math & ELD	K-12
29-30	Science	K-12





District Adoption of Curriculum

Caravans Begin (November/December)

- Publishers coordinate with each ESD and schedule Caravans across State
- Publisher caravans have remained virtual since 2019

School District forms Subject-Specific Adoption Committee (November/December)

- Committee consists of Principals, Teachers, Instructional Coaches, District Reps

Committee Reviews and Rates Published Materials Against Criteria (January/February)

Committee Narrows Down to ~2 Choices (February/March)

2 Choices are presented for Community and Staff Review/Input (March/April)

- Curriculum is sent to buildings for review
- Curriculum is kept at DO for Community review

District Selects Curriculum, Presents Materials for Board Consideration (April/May)

- If approved, ordering of materials and staff trainings are arranged



Is a School District Required to Adopt ODE Approved Curriculum?

Three Choices

Choice 1 - Adopt Materials approved by ODE

Choice 2 - Independent Adoption

- Use ODE Curriculum Criteria and Provide Proof of Completion
- Identify any gaps and plan for supplemental materials as needed.

Choice 3 - Postpone Adoption

- Can postpone for up to 2 Years by submitting “Request for Postponement”





Elementary Process

- Reviewed [State Adoption Ratings](#)
- Solicited Feedback from Committees, Admin, Coaches to Discuss Feasibility of Independent Adoption
- Created Process for Integrated Units (Priority Standard Units-PSUs)
- Board Consideration





Elementary Social Sciences Material Recommendation

Independent Adoption - Priority Standard Units

Integrate Standards

Time Required to Manage Additional Instructional materials

Training Required to Utilize Additional Instructional Materials

Reinforces Teaching Subjects in Isolation

Contradicts Integration Priority

Cost

We believe we can write materials that are easier for teachers to manage, ensure more SS standards are taught, lead to better outcomes for our kids, and will cost the school district a fraction of what it will cost to purchase publisher materials





Elementary Social Sciences - PSU Samples

Kindergarten - Brenda Caldwell

3rd Grade - Kara Frazier

4th Grade - Ibbet Radant





Secondary Process

Health Adoption Committee

- 4 science teachers
 - HHS: 2 Teachers
 - Middle Schools: 1 Teacher from each building
- 1 Instructional Coach (Travis Jones)
- 4 Building Administrators (Andy Hall, Casey Arstein)
- 2 “At-Large” Representatives (Myself, Ana Castro)





Secondary Process (cont . . .)

Phase 1: Planning and Preparation

1. Build Team (November)
2. Establish Process (November)
3. Determine Timeline for Decision Making (May 1)





Secondary Process (cont...)

Study and Review

1. Evaluate State Approved Curriculum Options
2. Narrowed choice of publishers:
 - Middle School: **TCI, McGraw Hill**
 - High School: **TCI, McGraw Hill**
3. Ordered and received materials for vetting process
4. Lesson Studies
 - Middle School - 8th grade US History
 - High School - 11th grade US History





Secondary Process (cont...)

Decide and Launch

1. Final evaluation
 - [Middle School results](#)
 - [High School results](#)
2. Final decision (12-1 vote for TCI) made at our meeting on March 12
3. Materials displayed in all secondary buildings during the week of conferences (March 3 & April 1)
4. Materials displayed at District Office (April 20 - present)





Secondary Recommendation: TCI (Teachers' Curriculum Institute)

Why TCI?

1. Strong Alignment to Oregon Standards (Exemplary Rating by State)
2. Deeper Learning Through Inquiry
3. TCI strengthens the skills our district values most: Portrait of a Graduate
4. Real-World Relevance
5. Consistent 6–12 Experience (One Publisher)
6. Strong Teacher Support

The bottom line is TCI moves us beyond simply covering content and into deep learning, future readiness, and true student ownership of learning.



Middle School



*History Alive! The
Ancient World*

Grade 6 & 7



*History Alive! The
United States Through
Industrialism*

Grade 8



High School



History Alive! World Connections

Grade 10



History Alive! Pursuing American Ideals

Grade 11



Government Alive! Power, Politics, and You



Econ Alive! The Power to Choose

Grade 12

Questions???

Did you know.....

Abraham Lincoln is in the National Wrestling Hall of Fame. It is reported that he lost only once in 1832 to Hank Thompson during the Black Hawk War, the extent of Lincoln's military service.



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GENERAL FUND REVENUE DATA ENTRY REPORT

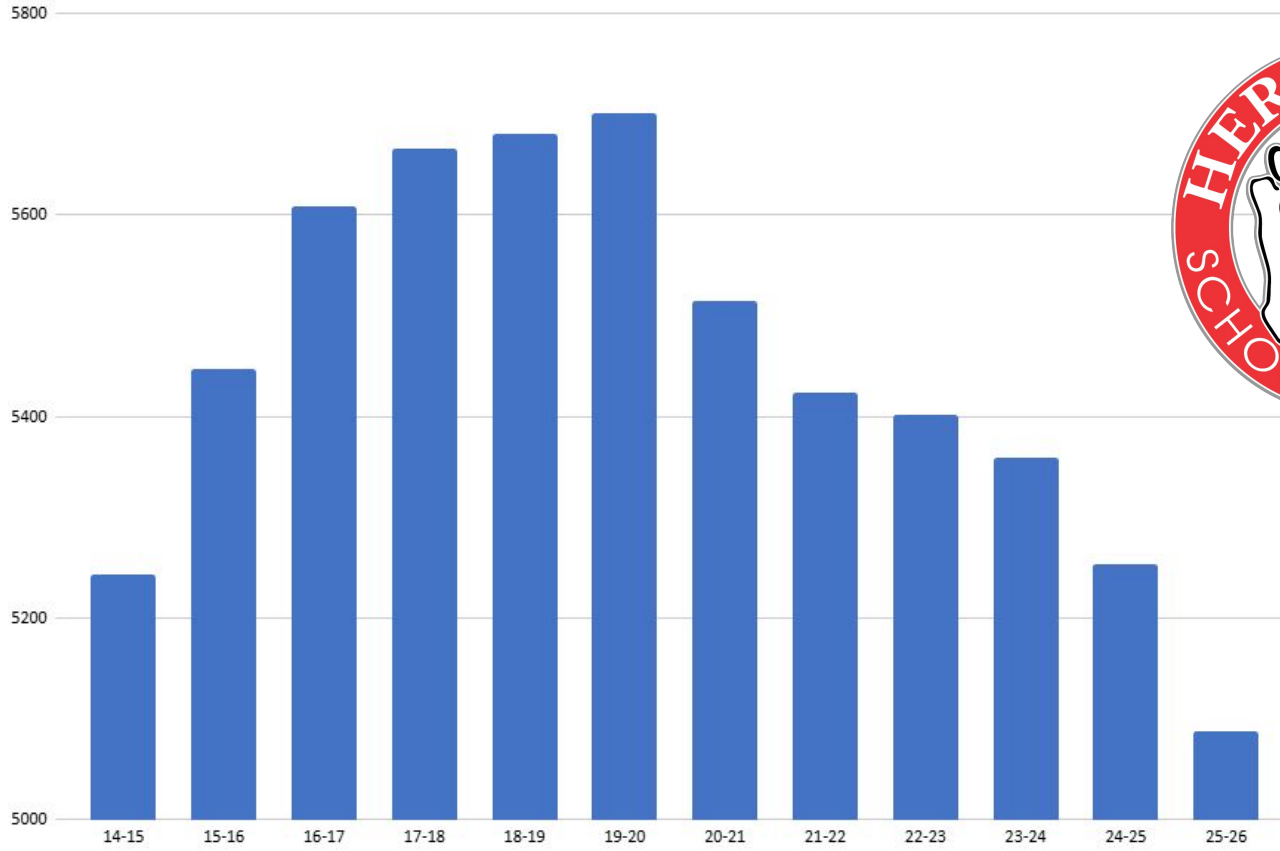
MONTH	TAXES	INTST/FEES	INTER	STATE SSF	STATE OTH	FEDERAL	OTHER	TOTAL PROJ.	TOTAL ACT.	VARIANCE	
JUL PRO	\$ -	\$ 134,157	\$ -	\$ 10,313,042	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 10,447,199		\$ (86)	0.00%
JUL ACT	\$ -	\$ 134,071	\$ -	\$ 10,313,042	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -		\$ 10,447,113	\$ (86)	YTD
AUG PRO	\$ 27,816	\$ 170,534	\$ 523,263	\$ 5,153,428	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 5,875,041		\$ 1,600	0.03%
AUG ACT	\$ 29,969	\$ 169,981	\$ 523,263	\$ 5,153,428	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -		\$ 5,876,641	\$ 1,514	YTD
SEP PRO	\$ 29,980	\$ 253,105	\$ 271,366	\$ 5,153,428	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 5,707,879		\$ (69,843)	-1.22%
SEP ACT	\$ 27,812	\$ 182,597	\$ 271,366	\$ 5,153,428	\$ -	\$ 2,834			\$ 5,638,037	\$ (68,329)	YTD
OCT PRO	\$ 57,091	\$ 208,517	\$ 261,631	\$ 5,153,428	\$ 13,000	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 5,693,667		\$ (101,050)	-1.77%
OCT ACT	\$ 14,164	\$ 162,406	\$ 261,631	\$ 5,154,416	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 5,592,618	\$ (169,379)	YTD
NOV PRO	\$ 10,595,921	\$ 233,106	\$ 537,327	\$ 5,153,428	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 16,519,782		\$ (90,308)	-0.55%
NOV ACT	\$ 10,571,483	\$ 162,792	\$ 533,390	\$ 5,154,416		\$ 7,394			\$ 16,429,474	\$ (259,687)	YTD
DEC PRO	\$ 1,525,249	\$ 202,869	\$ 261,631	\$ 5,153,428	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 7,143,177		\$ 378,932	5.30%
DEC ACT	\$ 1,960,726	\$ 181,303	\$ 261,631	\$ 5,114,752		\$ 3,697			\$ 7,522,110	\$ 119,245	YTD
JAN PRO	\$ 249,612	\$ 197,722	\$ 478,931	\$ 5,153,428	\$ 380,825	\$ 55,000	\$ -	\$ 6,515,519		\$ (359,704)	-5.52%
JAN ACT	\$ 286,049	\$ 231,223	\$ 511,153	\$ 5,114,752		\$ 12,638			\$ 6,155,815	\$ (240,458)	YTD
FEB PRO	\$ 59,606	\$ 195,816	\$ 261,631	\$ 5,153,428	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 5,670,481		\$ 309,342	5.46%
FEB ACT	\$ 46,549	\$ 175,646	\$ 261,631	\$ 5,114,752	\$ 377,548	\$ 3,697			\$ 5,979,823	\$ 68,884	YTD
MAR PRO	\$ 312,494	\$ 301,831	\$ 273,356	\$ 5,159,614	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 6,047,295		\$ (286,411)	-4.74%
MAR ACT	\$ 306,049	\$ 172,991	\$ 272,156	\$ 5,005,991		\$ 3,697			\$ 5,760,884	\$ (217,527)	YTD
APR PRO	\$ 77,359	\$ 207,874	\$ 261,631	\$ 5,159,614	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 5,706,478			
APR ACT									\$ -		
MAY PRO	\$ 86,125	\$ 264,595	\$ 261,631	\$ 5,159,614	\$ 75,000	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 5,846,965			
MAY ACT									\$ -		
JUN PRO	\$ 297,372	\$ 240,874	\$ 11,976	\$ -	\$ 380,825	\$ -	\$ 2,700,000	\$ 3,631,047			
JUN ACT									\$ -		
Projected	\$ 13,318,625	\$ 2,611,000	\$ 3,404,377	\$ 61,865,879	\$ 849,651	\$ 55,000	\$ 2,700,000	\$ 84,804,532			
Budget Book	\$ 13,318,625	\$ 2,611,000	\$ 3,396,946	\$ 61,708,913	\$ 848,637	\$ 55,000	\$ 2,700,000	\$ 84,639,121			
Variance	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 7,431	\$ 156,966	\$ 1,014	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 165,411			
TOT ACT	\$ 13,242,800	\$ 1,573,010	\$ 2,896,222	\$ 51,278,977	\$ 377,548	\$ 33,956	\$ -	\$ 69,402,514	FORECAST ACT	\$	84,587,004
% collected	99.43%	60.25%	85.07%	82.89%	44.44%	61.74%	0.00%	81.84%			
NOTE:											
LEGEND		Above or within 2.00% of projection				Between 2.01% & 5.00% below			Below 5.01% of projection		

GENERAL FUND EXPENDITURE DATA ENTRY REPORT								
MONTH	PROJ. P/R	ACTUAL P/R	PROJ. A/P	ACTUAL A/P	TOTAL		VARIANCE	
JULY PROJECTED	1,171,033		\$ 1,687,695		\$ 2,858,728	MONTHLY	\$ (1,829)	-0.06%
JULY ACTUAL		\$ 1,169,627		\$ 1,687,271	\$ 2,856,899	YTD	\$ (1,829)	-0.06%
AUGUST PROJECTED	1,367,516		\$ 1,241,542		\$ 2,609,058	MONTHLY	\$ (2,855)	-0.11%
AUGUST ACTUAL		\$ 1,364,745		\$ 1,241,458	\$ 2,606,203	YTD	\$ (4,685)	-0.09%
SEPTEMBER PROJECTED	5,916,123		\$ 798,099		\$ 6,714,222	MONTHLY	\$ (36,561)	-0.54%
SEPTEMBER ACTUAL		\$ 5,742,251		\$ 935,410	\$ 6,677,661	YTD	\$ (41,246)	-0.34%
OCTOBER PROJECTED	6,123,682		\$ 949,822		\$ 7,073,504	MONTHLY	\$ (1,812)	-0.03%
OCTOBER ACTUAL		\$ 6,120,568		\$ 951,125	\$ 7,071,692	YTD	\$ (43,058)	-0.22%
NOVEMBER PROJECTED	6,241,848		\$ 938,472		\$ 7,180,320	MONTHLY	\$ 237,397	3.31%
NOVEMBER ACTUAL		\$ 6,416,431		\$ 1,001,286	\$ 7,417,717	YTD	\$ 194,339	0.74%
DECEMBER PROJECTED	6,067,743		\$ 1,022,986		\$ 7,090,729	MONTHLY	\$ (102,819)	-1.45%
DECEMBER ACTUAL		\$ 5,990,560		\$ 997,350	\$ 6,987,910	YTD	\$ 91,520	0.30%
JANUARY PROJECTED	5,964,517		\$ 983,053		\$ 6,947,570	MONTHLY	\$ 83,665	1.20%
JANUARY ACTUAL		\$ 5,873,244		\$ 1,157,991	\$ 7,031,235	YTD	\$ 175,185	0.50%
FEBRUARY PROJECTED	6,245,312		\$ 904,606		\$ 7,149,918	MONTHLY	\$ (82,564)	-1.15%
FEBRUARY ACTUAL		\$ 6,221,256		\$ 846,098	\$ 7,067,354	YTD	\$ 92,621	0.26%
MARCH PROJECTED	6,098,402		\$ 1,003,839		\$ 7,102,241	MONTHLY	\$ (220,755)	-3.11%
MARCH ACTUAL		\$ 5,866,744		\$ 1,014,743	\$ 6,881,486	YTD	\$ (128,134)	-0.36%
APRIL PROJECTED	6,086,850		\$ 1,019,220		\$ 7,106,070	MONTHLY		
APRIL ACTUAL		\$ -		\$ -	\$ -	YTD		
MAY PROJECTED	10,296,138		\$ 1,427,006		\$ 11,723,144	MONTHLY		
MAY ACTUAL		\$ -		\$ -	\$ -	YTD		
JUNE PROJECTED	10,981,188		\$ 2,050,952		\$ 13,032,140	MONTHLY		
JUNE ACTUAL		\$ -		\$ -	\$ -	YTD		
PROJECTED	\$ 72,560,352		\$ 14,027,292		\$ 86,587,644			
BUDGET BOOK	\$ 73,266,723		\$ 14,269,879		\$ 87,536,602			
VARIANCE	\$ (706,371)		\$ (242,587)		\$ (948,958)	(proj. difference in budgeted expenditures)		
TOTAL ACTUAL		\$ 44,765,426		9,832,730	\$ 54,598,156	FORECAST ACT	\$	86,459,510
% spent to date		61.69%		70.1%	63.06%			
Note:	PR expense of \$244,739.90 for Summer learning 2025 was reclassified from SIA in October 2025 due to reduced grant award.							
LEGEND MONTHLY	Below or within 2.00%		Between 2.01% & 5.00% above			Above 5.01% of projection		
LEGEND YTD	Below or within 2.00%		Between 2.01% & 5.00% above			Above 5.01% of projection		

GENERAL FUND MONTHLY ENDING FUND BALANCE REPORT

DATE	Revenue	Expenditure	Ending Fund Balance	Variance		EFB Monthly Projection for Year End
1-Jul-25 PROJECTED			\$ 11,403,867			
ACTUAL			\$ 11,508,708			
31-Jul-25 PROJECTED	\$ 10,447,199	\$ 2,858,728	\$ 18,992,338			
ACTUAL	\$ 10,447,113	\$ 2,856,899	\$ 19,098,923	\$ 1,743	0.01%	10.00%
31-Aug-25 PROJECTED	\$ 5,875,041	\$ 2,609,058	\$ 22,258,320			
ACTUAL	\$ 5,876,641	\$ 2,606,203	\$ 22,369,361	\$ 6,198	0.03%	10.01%
30-Sep-25 PROJECTED	\$ 5,707,879	\$ 6,714,222	\$ 21,251,978			
ACTUAL	\$ 5,638,037	\$ 6,677,661	\$ 21,329,737	\$ (27,083)	-0.13%	9.98%
31-Oct-25 PROJECTED	\$ 5,693,667	\$ 7,073,504	\$ 19,872,141			
ACTUAL	\$ 5,592,618	\$ 7,071,692	\$ 19,850,662	\$ (126,146)	-0.63%	9.89%
30-Nov-25 PROJECTED	\$ 16,519,782	\$ 7,180,320	\$ 29,211,603			
ACTUAL	\$ 16,429,474	\$ 7,417,717	\$ 28,862,419	\$ (454,026)	-1.55%	9.55%
31-Dec-25 PROJECTED	\$ 7,143,177	\$ 7,090,729	\$ 29,264,051			
ACTUAL	\$ 7,522,110	\$ 6,987,910	\$ 29,396,619	\$ 132,567	0.45%	10.11%
31-Jan-26 PROJECTED	\$ 6,515,519	\$ 6,947,570	\$ 28,832,000			
ACTUAL	\$ 6,155,815	\$ 7,031,235	\$ 28,521,199	\$ (310,801)	-1.08%	9.69%
28-Feb-26 PROJECTED	\$ 5,670,481	\$ 7,149,918	\$ 27,352,564			
ACTUAL	\$ 5,979,823	\$ 7,067,354	\$ 27,433,669	\$ 81,105	0.30%	10.07%
31-Mar-26 PROJECTED	\$ 6,047,295	\$ 7,102,241	\$ 26,297,618			
ACTUAL	\$ 5,760,884	\$ 6,881,486	\$ 26,313,066	\$ 15,448	0.06%	10.03%
30-Apr-26 PROJECTED	\$ 5,706,478	\$ 7,106,070	\$ 24,898,026			
ACTUAL	\$ -	\$ -			0.00%	
31-May-26 PROJECTED	\$ 5,846,965	\$ 11,723,144	\$ 19,021,847			
ACTUAL	\$ -	\$ -			0.00%	
30-Jun-26 PROJECTED	\$ 3,631,047	\$ 13,032,140	\$ 9,620,754			
ACTUAL	\$ -	\$ -			0.00%	
INITIAL FORECASTED EFB	\$ 84,804,532	\$ 86,587,644	\$ 9,620,754			10.00%
ACTUALS TO DATE	\$ 69,402,514	\$ 54,598,156				
ANTICIPATED ACTUALS*	\$84,587,004	\$86,459,510	\$ 9,636,203			10.03%
Monthly Comp.	Above or within 2.00% of projection	Between 2.01% & 5.00% below projection	Below 5.01% of projection			
	*Calculated using actuals through the current month and projected revenue and expenditures for future months					
NOTE:	Final as of December 8, 2025 completed audit of June 30, 2025 financials.					
ENDING FUND BALANCE LEGEND	8.00% to 9.00% and above	Between 7.99% to 7.50%	7.49% and below			30

April Enrollment



4/30/2026 HERMISTON SCHOOL DISTRICT 8R - ELEMENTARY ENROLLMENT BY TEACHER													
Desert View	363	Highland Hills	302	Loma Vista	394	Rocky Heights	427	Sunset	352	West Park	374		
Kinder													
McClanahan, Laura	16	Adams, Emily	15	Bartley, Renae	16	Jones, Wendy	20	Brown, Jessica	20	Kellison, Amber	22	Total	350
Ramirez, Nichole	15	Koenig, Marian	15	Dowd, Abigail	17	Merrifield, Kalei	17	Bruce, Madison	22	Mahon, Sarah	20		
Spears, Elsy	17	Schwirse, Dezi	16	Padberg, Janna	15	Moreno, Mya	17	Hunting, Kaitlyn	24	Searles, Eileen	23		
		Gutierrez, Sarajane	1	Gall, Nicole (Life S)	2	Victorio, Daisy	15			Diaz, Savannah (SC)	1		
				Perkins, S (Life S)	2	Baker, Kennedy(BRITE)	1			Morris, Melissa (SC)	0		
						Hatfield, Diana(BRITE)	1			Jones, Anne (DK)	0	Avg,	
Total	48		47		52		71		66		66		18.4
1st grade													
Bennett, Jeannine	18	Liebe, Martha	16	Milligan, Amber	18	Badillo-Juarez, Ana	18	Hantke, Sonia	17	Schaefer, Stacy	16	Total	357
Farley, Kelsey	19	Seibel, Carolina	15	Newton, Jammie	18	Downing, Jeanne	16	Mosher, Aimee	17	Wattenburger, Marci	19		
Lillie, Shelly	19	Watson, Bailey	14	Powell, Annette	18	Dunkel, Michelle	18	Shasteen, Anani	17	Zuniga, Mariana	15		
		Gutierrez, Sarajane (SP)	1	Tomer, Jolee	18	Godby, Katia	17			Diaz, Savannah (SC)	6		
				Gall, Nicole (Life S)	1	Baker, Kennedy(BRITE)	2			Morris, Melissa (SC)	1		
				Perkins, S (Life S)	1	Hatfield, Diana(BRITE)	2						
Total	56		46		74		73		51		57		17.9
2nd grade													
Lowery, Jennifer	20	Johnston, Osieauna	16	Clayton, Nicole	22	Combs, Heather	19	Colbray, Delta	21	Johnston, Dawn	17	Total	370
Rettkowski, Tiffany	18	Perez, Madison	16	Meade, Alesia	23	Putman, Britanee	19	Torres, Martha	21	Neddo, Tess	18		
Wells, Sarah	19	Phipps, Samantha	15	McConnell, Jennifer	23	Rodriguez, Adriane	19	Trotter, Natalie	21	Springstead, Amy	18		
				Gall, Nicole (Life S)	1	West, Courtnee	18			Diaz, Savannah (SC)	0		
				Perkins, S (Life S)	2	Baker, Kennedy(BRITE)	1			Morris, Melissa (SC)	3		
						Hatfield, Diana(BRITE)	0						
Total	57		47		71		76		63		56		19.5
3rd grade													
Artz, Cristal	20	Juul, Mackenzie	17	Mulkey, Kaitlin	21	Basso, Caroline	23	Maddox, Noelle	18	Morgan, Michelle	23	Total	376
Cope, Lyndsey	19	Ranger, Kelsey	18	Walchli, Courtney	21	Cotterell, Emily	26	Smith, Monica	18	Purswell, Kim	22		
Smith, Debra	17	Verwold, Taylor	17	Wilson, Hannah	21	Phillips, Bobbi	26	Zumaya, Gabriela	18	Smith, Brittany	21		
				Gall, Nicole (Life S)	3	Baker, Kennedy(BRITE)	1	Arenas, Patti (NC)	3	Diaz, Savannah (SC)	1		
				Perkins, S (Life S)	1	Hatfield, Diana(BRITE)	0			Morris, Melissa (SC)	1		
Total	56		52		67		76		57		68		20.9
4th grade													
Kramer, Hailey	24	Cooke, Angie	25	Hamilton, Natalie	19	James, Megan	23	Pope, Lindsey	18	Dopps, Kathy	19	Total	374
Lomas, Sara	23	Plum, Deanna	26	McCann, Jessica	21	Lindeman, Alissa	23	Rouska, Aaron	18	Madrigal, Jaime	19		
Wellsandt, Darci	24			Stuart, Eleanor	20	Thompson, Hannah	22	Srofe, Bailey	20	Young, Makaylee	20		
				Gall, Nicole (Life S)	1	Baker, Kennedy(BRITE)	0	Arenas, Patti (NC)	1	Diaz, Savannah (SC)	1		
				Perkins, S (Life S)	2	Hatfield, Diana(BRITE)	1			Morris, Melissa (SC)	4		
Total	71		51		63		69		57		63		22.0
5th grade													
Dynes, Kelly	25	Cook, Justine	20	Culligan, Tracy	20	Best, Sara	21	Byrd, Kayla	18	Childs, Michelle	19	Total	385
McCormack, Janey	25	Greenough, Kelly	20	Hinton, Kelsey	22	Herrera, Daniel	21	Cruz, Anthony	20	Degan, Amanda	22		
Miller, Sydney	25	Hamann, Bonnie	19	Roberts, Cailyn	22	Linn, Josh	20	Stephenson, Peyton	20	Nyzc, David	23		
				Gall, Nicole (Life S)	1	Baker, Kennedy(BRITE)	0	Arenas, Patti (NC)	0	Diaz, Savannah (SC)	0		
				Perkins, S (Life S)	2	Hatfield, Diana(BRITE)	0			Morris, Melissa (SC)	0		
Total	75		59		67		62		58		64		21.4



HERMISTON
SCHOOL DISTRICT
IMESD

SEP OCT NOV DEC JAN FEB MAR APR MAY JUN JUL AUG

Consideration

May 11, 2026





How does the Local Service Plan (LSP) get changed? Is the HSD board one vote or does percentage of students matter?

ESDs receive 4.5% of the State School Fund resources (\$524 per ADMw) to provide services equitably across a region. Each ESD is responsible for annually developing a Local Service Plan (LSP) in collaboration with component district leadership. The criteria for approval of the LSP is $\frac{2}{3}$ of the component districts, with at least 50% of the students, must vote in favor (ORS 334.175). By law, ESDs are required to spend 90% of their basic school formula revenue on the four core service areas (Special Education, Technology Instructional Services, Administrative Services).





How will a return to IMESD impact HSD CTE programs?

The district remains a direct recipient of Carl Perkins, Student Investment Account (SIA) and High School Success (HSS) funding through ODE, maintaining full internal control and accountability over annual allocations and reporting. The district will continue to receive support from IMESD with CTE licensure, program renewals, documentation and reporting.





How will special education direct services to students change?

Direct services to students are not changing. HSD students will continue to receive special education services as outlined in the students Individualized Education Plan (IEP).

The education of the student is the responsibility of the district.





Is the HSD special education model changing?

No. The “HSD model” that is different from some districts is due to the separation of responsibilities between the classroom teacher and the special education facilitator. The classroom teacher provides instruction and the facilitator is responsible for case management.

Both instruction and case management remain the responsibility of the district.





How does the district qualify students for special education differently than the IMESD?

There is no difference. For a child to be found eligible for special education a group of qualified professionals and the parents look at the child's evaluation results. Together, they decide if the child is a "child with a disability" as defined by IDEA. If the parents do not agree with the eligibility decision, they may ask to challenge the decision. This process remains the responsibility of the district.





Who makes the decision about a child qualifying for special education?

These are decisions of the IEP team. Team members include:

- Parent/Guardian
- Special Education Teacher
- School District Representative
- Child (if appropriate)
- District or Regional Support Staff (depending on student's needs)
- Special Education Facilitator
- General Education Teacher
- School Psychologist or Evaluation Specialist
- Translator / Interpreter





How does the IMESD special education evaluation process differ from the HSD evaluation process?

It does not differ. The evaluation process follows state and federal laws, Oregon Administrative Rules and ODE guidance. The evaluation must assess the child in all areas related to the suspected disability and is intended to answer the following questions:

Does the child possess a disability?

Does the disability impact their education?

Does the child require specially designed instruction?

The results are used to determine eligibility and inform the educational program. If a parent disagrees, they have the right to request an Independent Educational Evaluation (IEE).





How does a move back to the IMESD benefit Hermiston?

- By design, ESDs create efficiencies in resource allocation (braiding of resources).
- District focus of resources on instruction
- ESD covered audiology
- ESD covered technology contracts (Synergy, Business Software)
- Component district rates for contracted services





How does a move back to the IMESD directly benefit Hermiston students?

- Efficiency in resources allows the district to continue to focus investments in classrooms and student programs.
- ESDs specialize in staff that support specific needs of K-12 students allowing districts to focus on instruction.





What are the other benefits of the returning the IMESD that add value?

Being in a Team:

- Growing relationships and experiencing support from other districts in a new era of school accountability.
- Eastern Oregon possesses some of the top leaders and innovative practices in the state.
- Political influence and representation would increase at the state and federal level.
- Knowledge of and access to P-14 resources for students.
- Knowledge of and access to resources for staff.





What services is the IMESD already providing to the district through State Contract?

- Deaf/ hard of hearing
- Visually impaired
- TBI
- Autism
- Migrant Education
- Preschool Promise
- School Safety and Prevention Specialist
- Early Intervention / Early Childhood Special Education
- Blue Mountain Early Learning Hub
- OTREN
- SSA Technical Assistance
- Transition Network Facilitator
- Everyday Matters
- State Assessment and Collections





What services is the IMESD already providing to the district through district Contract?

- Child Find
- Virtual Learning Academy
- SORA Virtual Library





Are current HSD programs (lifeskills, social communications, behavior) for students changing?

The services provided to students in these programs are not changing. There are currently no expected changes to the programs.

The education of students remains the responsibility of the district.



**BOARD OF EDUCATION
UMATILLA COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT #8R, HERMISTON
HERMISTON, OREGON**

May, 11 2026

ASSISTANT SUPERINTENDENT'S RECOMMENDATION

8.0. CONSENT: Human Resources Department

8.1.1. TOPIC: Personnel Appointment

It is recommended.

RECOMMENDATION:

. that the Board of Education approves the appointment of the following employees:

NAME	POSITION	BUILDING ASSIGNMENT
Amy Nguyen	Teacher	Armand Larive Middle School
Laisha Zamudio	Teacher	Armand Larive Middle School

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ASSISTANT SUPERINTENDENT'S RECOMMENDATION

8.0. CONSENT: Human Resources Department

8.1.2. TOPIC: Personnel Resignation

It is recommended.

RECOMMENDATION:

. that the Board of Education approves the resignation of the following employees:

NAME	POSITION	BUILDING ASSIGNMENT
Dani'el Killion	Teacher	Hermiston High School
Samantha French	Teacher	Highland Hills Elementary
Shawna Yeager	Teacher	West Park Elementary
Mary Wells	Teacher	Hermiston High School
Ricardo Santoyo	Teacher	Hermiston High School
Keri Kunz	Teacher	Hermiston High School

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SUPERINTENDENT'S RECOMMENDATION

8.2. Business Office

8.2.1. TOPIC: Acceptance of Gifts

It is recommended. . . .

RECOMMENDATION:

. that the Board of Education accepts the following gifts:

School/Program	Gift	Value	Donor
HSD	N/A	\$436.92	American Online Giving Foundation
HHS	N/A	\$183.46	American Online Giving Foundation
West Park Elem.	N/A	\$110.64	American Online Giving Foundation
HSD	Board Participation	\$2,000	First Student
HSD	Scholarships	\$5,000	First Student



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APPLICATION FOR ACCEPTANCE OF GIFT

Unit to be presented with Gift/Donation: Hermiston School District

Name of Donor: American Online Giving Foundation

Donor Address: 611 Meredith Rd NE #700 Calgary, Alberta Canada AB T2E 2W5

Donor Telephone Number: _____

Description of gift(s)/donation(s) including Serial #, purchase date, original purchase price and current cash value: Check #0000572683 \$436.92

Purpose of gift/donation: _____

Signature of Donor: N/A

Date: _____

Authority to accept a gift, donation, emolument, favor, or gratuity to the School District is vested in the Board of Education. All such gifts shall become property of the School District.

Gifts will be considered for acceptance, with full District responsibility for maintenance, if they are of a type appearing on approved standard equipment lists or are closely related in instructional value.

Recommendation of Unit Administrator Kate Sand Date: 3/12/2020

Recommendation of Business Manager Kate Sand Date: 3/12/2020

Recommendation of Superintendent T. Rooney Date: 5/5/20

Action of the Board of Education: Accepted _____ Not Accepted _____

Secretary to the Board of Education _____ Date: _____



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APPLICATION FOR ACCEPTANCE OF GIFT

Unit to be presented with Gift/Donation: Hermiston High School

Name of Donor: American Online Giving Foundation

Donor Address: 611 Meredith Rd NE #700 Calgary, Alberta Canada AB T2E 2W5

Donor Telephone Number: _____

Description of gift(s)/donation(s) including Serial #, purchase date, original purchase price and current cash value: Check #0000572325 \$183.46

Purpose of gift/donation: _____

Signature of Donor: N/A

Date: _____

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Recommendation of Unit Administrator [Signature] Date: 3/11/26

Recommendation of Business Manager [Signature] Date: 3/12/2026

Recommendation of Superintendent [Signature] Date: 5/5/26

Action of the Board of Education: Accepted _____ Not Accepted _____

Secretary to the Board of Education _____ Date: _____



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APPLICATION FOR ACCEPTANCE OF GIFT

Unit to be presented with Gift/Donation: West Park Elementary School

Name of Donor: American Online Giving Foundation

Donor Address: 611 Meredith Rd NE #700 Calgary, AB T2E 2W5

Donor Telephone Number: _____

Description of gift(s)/donation(s) including Serial #, purchase date, original purchase price and current cash value: Check #0000586942 \$110.64

Purpose of gift/donation: _____

Signature of Donor: N/A

Date: _____

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Recommendation of Unit Administrator [Signature] Date: 04/15/26

Recommendation of Business Manager [Signature] Date: 4/27/2026

Recommendation of Superintendent [Signature] Date: 5/5/26

Action of the Board of Education: Accepted _____ Not Accepted _____

Secretary to the Board of Education _____ Date: _____



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APPLICATION FOR ACCEPTANCE OF GIFT

Unit to be presented with Gift/Donation: Hermiston School District

Name of Donor: First Student

Donor Address: 191 Rosa Parks St, 8th Floor Cincinnati, OH 45202

Donor Telephone Number: _____

Description of gift(s)/donation(s) including Serial #, purchase date, original purchase price and current cash value: Ck 11214526 \$2,000

Purpose of gift/donation: Reimbursement for Advisory Board Participation

Signature of Donor: N/A

Date: 05/05/2026

Authority to accept a gift, donation, emolument, favor, or gratuity to the School District is vested in the Board of Education. All such gifts shall become property of the School District.

Gifts will be considered for acceptance, with full District responsibility for maintenance, if they are of a type appearing on approved standard equipment lists or are closely related in instructional value.

Recommendation of Unit Administrator Katie I. Saul Date: 05/05/2026

Recommendation of Business Manager Katie I. Saul Date: 05/05/2026

Recommendation of Superintendent J. Mooney Date: 5/5/26

Action of the Board of Education: Accepted _____ Not Accepted _____

Secretary to the Board of Education _____ Date: _____



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APPLICATION FOR ACCEPTANCE OF GIFT

Unit to be presented with Gift/Donation: Hermiston School District

Name of Donor: First Student

Donor Address: 191 Rosa Parks St, 8th Floor Cincinnati, OH 45202

Donor Telephone Number: _____

Description of gift(s)/donation(s) including Serial #, purchase date, original purchase price and current cash value: Ck 11216901 \$5,000

Purpose of gift/donation: Scholarships

Signature of Donor: N/A

Date: 05/05/2026

Authority to accept a gift, donation, emolument, favor, or gratuity to the School District is vested in the Board of Education. All such gifts shall become property of the School District.

Gifts will be considered for acceptance, with full District responsibility for maintenance, if they are of a type appearing on approved standard equipment lists or are closely related in instructional value.

Recommendation of Unit Administrator [Signature] Date: 05/05/2026

Recommendation of Business Manager [Signature] Date: 05/05/2026

Recommendation of Superintendent [Signature] Date: 5/5/26

Action of the Board of Education: Accepted Not Accepted

Secretary to the Board of Education _____ Date: _____

**BOARD OF EDUCATION
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HERMISTON, OREGON**

May 11, 2026

SUPERINTENDENT'S RECOMMENDATION

9.0. ACTION ITEM

9.1. TOPIC: Teaching and Learning

It is recommended.

RECOMMENDATION:

. that the Board of Education approve the adoption of TCI (Teacher Curriculum Institute) Social Sciences materials for grades 6-12.

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SUPERINTENDENT'S RECOMMENDATION

9.0. ACTION ITEM

9.2. TOPIC: Award ITB 2026-02 HHES Painting

It is recommended.


RECOMMENDATION:

. that the Board of Education authorizes Superintendent Mooney and/or Director of Business Services Saul to execute a contract with ***Patriot Painting LLC***, for interior & exterior building painting at Highland Hills Elementary School, pursuant to Invitation to Bid 2026-02 Highland Hills Elementary Painting.

BID TABULATION

Highland Hills Elementary Painting (ITB 2026-02)

Bids due: April 22, 2026 at 2 p.m. local time

	Full Circle General Contracting LLC	Patriot Painting LLC	Finnery Construction Inc.	4 Seasons Paint Co	Warm Springs Construction Enterprise
BID FORM & CERTIFICATIONS	Yes	Yes	Yes	Nonresponsive	Yes
AFFIDAVIT OF NON-COLLUSION	Yes	Yes	Yes	Nonresponsive	Yes
BID SECURITY	Nonresponsive	Yes	Yes	Nonresponsive	Yes
BASE BID	\$ 226,192.52	\$ 196,876.00	\$ 163,200.00		\$ 732,505.44
MODULAR CLASSROOM BID	\$ 7,905.97	\$ 7,780.00	\$ 6,500.00		\$ 66,055.60
FIRST-TIER SUBCONTRACTOR LIST*	Yes	Yes	Yes		Yes

*(DUE W/IN 2 HOURS OF BID DATE)

It was determined that Finnery Construction Inc. was not licensed in Oregon and was deemed nonresponsive on 4/23/2026

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SUPERINTENDENT'S RECOMMENDATION

9.0. ACTION ITEM

9.3. TOPIC: Award ITB 2026-03 HHES 2026 HVAC Improvements

It is recommended.


RECOMMENDATION:

. that the Board of Education authorizes Superintendent Mooney and/or Director of Business Services Saul to execute a contract with ***Apollo Mechanical Contractors***, for heating and cooling system updates at Highland Hills Elementary School, pursuant to Invitation to Bid 2026-03 Highland Hills Elementary 2026 HVAC Improvements.

BID TABULATION

Highland Hills Elementary 2026 HVAC Improvements (ITB 2026-03)

Bids due: April 23, 2026 at 2 p.m. local time

	Apollo Mechanical Contractors		
BID FORM & CERTIFICATIONS	Yes		
AFFIDAVIT OF NON-COLLUSION	Yes		
BID SECURITY	Yes		
BASE BID	\$ 139,753.00		
FIRST-TIER SUBCONTRACTOR LIST (DUE W/IN 2 HOURS OF BID DATE)	Yes		

Apollo Mechanical Contractors was the only bidder to participate.

BOARD MEMBERS CALENDAR

Tue May 12, 2026

- **8:00am – 8:30am KOHU Odds & Ends Show**
Where: KOHU
Calendar: Board Members
Created by: Rosa Cerda-Diaz
Who: Tricia Mooney, Kohunews@gmail.com

- **11:00am – 2:00pm Boys/Girls Varsity Golf @ Shadle Park HS**
Where: 3225 N Columbia Circle, Spokane, WA
Calendar: Board Members
Created by: Rosa Cerda-Diaz

- **2:45pm-3:15pm LVES Pinning Ceremony**
Where: Loma Vista Elementary School, 2095 NE 10th St, Hermiston
Calendar: Board Members
Created by: Rosa Cerda-Diaz

Thu May 14, 2026

- **2:45pm-3:15pm SES Pinning Ceremony**
Where: Sunset Elementary School, 300 E Catherine Ave, Hermiston
Calendar: Board Members
Created by: Rosa Cerda-Diaz

Fri May 15, 2026

- **3:00pm – 9:00pm Boys/Girls Varsity Track & Field @ Walla Walla HS**
Where: 800 Abbott Rd, Walla Walla, WA
Calendar: Board Members
Created by: Rosa Cerda-Diaz

Mon May 18, 2026

- **6:00pm-8:00pm Second Formal Budget Committee Meeting**
Where: DO Boardroom
Calendar: Board Members
Created by: Rosa Cerda-Diaz

Tue May 19, 2026

- **7:45am-8:15am ALMS Pinning Ceremony**
Where: Library, Armand Larive Middle School, 1497 SW 9th St, Hermiston
Calendar: Board Members
Created by: Rosa Cerda-Diaz

Wed May 20, 2026

- **6:00pm – 8:00pm HSD Annual Recognition Banquet**
Where: Hermiston High School Commons
Calendar: Board Members
Created by: Rosa Cerda-Diaz

Thu May 21, 2026

- **LVES Spring Book Fair**
Calendar: Board Members
Created by: Rosa Cerda-Diaz

- **7:00am-8:00am HAT Morning Meeting**
Where: DO
Calendar: Board Members
Created by: Rosa Cerda-Diaz

BOARD MEMBERS CALENDAR

■ **2:45pm-3:15pm WPES Pinning Ceremony**
Where: West Park Elementary 555 SW 7th St, Hermiston
Calendar: Board Members
Created by: Rosa Cerda-Diaz

■ **3:00pm – 8:00pm Boys/Girls Varsity Track & Field @ Central Valley HS**
Where: 821 S Sullivan Rd, Spokane Valley, WA
Calendar: Board Members
Created by: Rosa Cerda-Diaz

Fri May 22, 2026

■ **LVES Spring Book Fair**
Calendar: Board Members
Created by: Rosa Cerda-Diaz

■ **8:15pm-8:45pm DO Pinning Ceremony**
Where: DO Boardroom, 305 SW 11th St, Hermiston
Calendar: Board Members
Created by: Rosa Cerda-Diaz

■ **3:00pm – 8:00pm Boys/Girls Varsity Track & Field @ Central Valley HS**
Where: 821 S Sullivan Rd, Spokane Valley, WA
Calendar: Board Members
Created by: Rosa Cerda-Diaz

Tue May 26, 2026

■ **6:00pm – 7:30pm Hermiston High School Scholarship**
Where: HHS, Main Commons
Calendar: Board Members
Created by: Rosa Cerda-Diaz

Thu May 28, 2026

■ **SES Spring Book Fair**
Calendar: Board Members
Created by: Rosa Cerda-Diaz

■ **2:45pm-3:15pm RHE Pinning Ceremony**
Where: Rocky Heights Elementary, 650 W Standard Ave, Hermiston
Calendar: Board Members
Created by: Rosa Cerda-Diaz

Fri May 29, 2026

■ **SES Spring Book Fair**
Calendar: Board Members
Created by: Rosa Cerda-Diaz

■ **6:30pm-8:00pm Senior Celebration Walk/Parade**
Where: Kennison Field, 600 S 1st St, Hermiston
Calendar: Board Members
Created by: Rosa Cerda-Diaz

Mon June 1, 2026

■ **8:15am-9:15am Board Finance Committee Meeting**
Where: DO
Calendar: Board Members
Created by: Rosa Cerda-Diaz

BOARD MEMBERS CALENDAR

Tue June 2, 2026

- **6:00pm-7:00pm Sandstone 8th Grade Evening of Excellence**
Where: HHS Purple Gym
Calendar: Board Members
Created by: Rosa Cerda-Diaz

Thu June 4, 2026

- **7:00pm-9:00pm Hermiston High School Graduation**
Where: 7000 W Grandridge Blvd, Kennewick, WA
Calendar: Board Members
Created by: Rosa Cerda-Diaz

Mon June 8, 2026

- **6:00pm-8:00pm Regular Board Meeting**
Where: DO Boardroom
Calendar: Board Members
Created by: Rosa Cerda-Diaz

Fri June 12, 2026

- **2:00pm-2:30pm Maintenance & Custodial Pinning Ceremony**
Where: Auditorium-HHS, 600 S 1st St., Hermiston
Calendar: Board Members
Created by: Rosa Cerda-Diaz

**BOARD OF EDUCATION
UMATILLA COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT #8R, HERMISTON
HERMISTON, OREGON**

May 11, 2026

EXECUTIVE SESSION

The board of education will now meet in executive session pursuant to the following Oregon Revised Statute(s):

	Statutory Citation	Subject	Media Permitted?
	ORS 192.660(2)(a)	To consider the employment of a public officer, employee, staff member or individual agent.	Yes
X	ORS 192.660(2)(b)	To consider the dismissal or disciplining of, or to hear complaints or charges brought against, a public officer, employee, staff member or individual agent who does not request an open hearing.	Yes
	ORS 192.660(2)(d)	To conduct deliberations with persons designated by the governing body to carry on labor negotiations.	No
	ORS 192.660(2)(e)	To conduct deliberations with persons designated by the governing body to negotiate real property transactions.	Yes
	ORS 192.660(2)(f)	To consider information or records that are exempt by law from public inspection.	Yes
	ORS 192.660(2)(h)	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.	No
	ORS 192.660(2)(i)	To review and evaluate the employment-related performance of the chief executive officer of any public body, a public officer, employee, or staff member who does not request an open hearing.	Yes
	ORS 192.660(2)(k)	To consider matters relating to school safety or a plan that responds to safety threats made toward a school.	Yes
	ORS 332.061(1)	To conduct a hearing to expel minor students or to examine confidential medical records	No

The Hermiston School District Board of Education will now meet in executive session pursuant to ORS **(per above)**. Representatives of the news media and designated staff shall be allowed to attend the executive session. All other members of the audience are asked to leave the room. Representatives of the news media are specifically directed not to report on or otherwise disclose any of the deliberations or anything said about these subjects 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, the board will return to open session and welcome the audience back into the room.

Attorney General's Public Records and Meetings Manual, p. K-9.

Board Policy BDC-AR: Executive Sessions – News Media
<http://policy.osba.org/hermiston/AB/BDC%20R%20G1.PDF>