

Harney Education Service District

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Monthly Board Meeting May 20, 2026 Harney ESD Board of Directors

Present: Doug Stott, Director, Chair
Scott Davies, Director
Charles Dunten, Director
Thomas Doman, Director
Sandy Volle, Director, Vice Chair
Shannon Criss, Secretary to the Board, Superintendent
Corissa Wright, Business Manager
Janet Caldwell, HESD Program Director
Holly York, Administrative Assistant/Board Clerk

Absent Excused:

Kurt Van Batavia, Director
Mileah SkunkCap, Director

CALL TO ORDER

Chair Doug Stott called the May 20, 2026 meeting to order at 1:41 PM at the Harney ESD Regional Services Center located at 25 Fairview Heights Loop. This meeting was also available to attend virtually.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Chair Doug Stott.

VISITORS

Tanya Harris
Crystal Hussey
Eric Nichols (online)

Executive Session as per ORS 192.660(2) (i) - No Executive Session needed.

ACTION ITEMS

Consent Agenda

- Approval of April 15, 2026 minutes
- Approval of May 1, 2026 Special minutes

After review of the Consent Agenda Charles Dunten made a motion to approve as presented. Sandy Volle seconded. No discussion. Motion carried unanimously.

NEW BUSINESS

- Policy revision BD/BDA - Sandy Volle made a motion to approve the policy revision and Charles Dunten seconded; the motion carried unanimously.

- Contract for Cheyenne Fowler - Shannon Criss stated that Osters will be providing business services next year, which is a savings for the ESD. Shannon outlined the substantive changes of the Superintendent contract. Sandy Volle made a motion to ratify the contract with Cheyenne and Tom Doman seconded. The motion was carried unanimously.

OLD BUSINESS

- N/A

PRESENTATIONS AND REPORTS

Financials

Business Manager, Cori Wright, presented the disbursements, general fund balances, and significant expenditures.

Scott Davies made a motion to purchase snow tires from Shannon Criss, Sandy Volle seconded. The motion was carried unanimously.

Charles Dunten made a motion to approve the expenditures/disbursements as presented. Scott Davies seconded. No discussion. Motion carried unanimously.

PROGRAM REPORTS

Donna Schnitker

- Shannon Criss shared that Donna Schnitker will be retiring due to health issues and acknowledged her excellence in her field and wished her well on her health journey or retirement.

Superintendent Report

Shannon Criss shared the following:

- Shannon Criss gave gratitude to the board for their service.

DISCUSSION ITEMS

N/A

MEETING CLOSURE

With no further business, Chair Doug Stott adjourned the meeting at 2:10 PM.

Doug Stott, Board Chair