

Harney Education Service District

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Special Board Meeting May 1, 2026 Harney ESD Board of Directors

Present: Doug Stott, Director, Chair
Charles Dunten, Director
Shannon Criss, Superintendent
Sandy Volle, Director, Vice Chair
Thomas Doman, Director
Kurt Van Batavia, Director
Scott Davies, Director
Mileah SkunkCap, Director
Corissa Wright, Business Manager
Janet Caldwell, HESD Program Director
Holly York, Admin. Asst.

Absent Excused:

CALL TO ORDER

Chair Doug Stott called the May 1, 2026 meeting to order at 10:07 am at the Harney ESD Regional Services Center located at 25 Fairview Heights Loop.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Chair Doug Stott. Doug acknowledged the visitors.

VISITORS

Lindsey Brown (online)
Jennifer Bruck
Janice Dunten
Cheyenne Fowler
Tanya Harris
Crystal Hussey

ACTION ITEMS

Executive Session as per ORS 192.660(2) (i) - Adjourned regular meeting at 10:08 a.m. for Executive Session ORS 192.660 (2)(a) - To consider the employment of a public officer, employee, staff member or individual agent.

Adjourned from Executive Session ORS 192.660 (2)(a) AT 11:28 P.M.

Doug called for a motion to approve the appointment of Cheyenne Fowler as Superintendent. Sandy moved to approve the motion, seconded by Tom. The motion carried with a 4-2-1 vote:

- **Ayes:** Tom, Doug, Sandy, and Mileah.
- **Nays:** Kurt and Scott.
- **Abstentions:** Charles.

Doug emphasized the board's commitment to prioritizing the needs of the students as they move forward. The board will now initiate contract negotiations with Ms. Fowler.

MEETING CLOSURE

With no further business, Chair Doug Stott adjourned the meeting at 11:30 am.

Doug Stott, Board Chair