

**MINUTES OF THE SPECIAL MEETING
OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION
BEMIDJI AREA SCHOOLS
JUNE 15, 2026**

The special meeting of the Board of Education, Bemidji Area Schools, Bemidji, Beltrami/Hubbard Counties, Minnesota, was held on Monday, June 15, 2026, at Approx. 7:30 p.m., in the District Office Board Room.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Anna Manecke, Jack Aakhus, Todd Haugen, Dave Wall, and Superintendent Jeremy Olson

MEMBERS ABSENT: Jenny Frenzel, Ann Long Voelkner, Finn Jorgensen, Jacobi Burmeister Pater – Student Representatives

CALL TO ORDER: 7:35 p.m.

The motion was offered by Dave Wall, seconded by Jack Aakhus and carried by all in attendance to approve the agenda.

AGENDA:

The motion was offered by Jack Aakhus, seconded by Dave Wall, and carried by all in attendance to go into closed session for the Superintendent's Evaluation. Time: 7:36.

Superintendent's Evaluation (Closed Session, MN State Statute 13D.05 Subd. 3)

Chair Haugen called the board back into open session, Time: 8:03 p.m.

The motion was offered by Jack Aakhus, seconded by Dave Wall, and carried by all in attendance to go into closed session for Attorney-Client Privilege. Time: 8:04.

Attorney-Client Privilege (Closed Session, MN State Statute 13D.01, Subd. 3)

The motion was offer by Jack Aakhus, seconded by Dave Wall, and carried by all in attendance to go into open session. Time: 8:25.

The motion was offered by Dave Wall, seconded by Anna Manecke, and carried by all in attendance to waive the attorney client privilege for the letter dated February 4, 2019.

ADJOURNMENT:

The motion was offered by Anna Manecke, seconded by Jack Aakhus and carried by all in attendance to adjourn the meeting. Time 8:26.

Jenny Frenzel, Clerk

Date Approved

Todd Haugen, Chair

Date Approved