

GRESHAM-BARLOW SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 10 JT.
Minutes of Special Board Work Session

Thursday, June 11, 2026

The Gresham-Barlow School District Board of Directors held a special work session on Thursday, June 11, 2026. This meeting was held virtually and a Zoom link was provided for virtual meeting attendance.

Board Members present:

Heather Coleman-Cox, Shawn Farrens, Kris Howatt, Blake Petersen, Brenna Puderbaugh.

Cabinet Members present:

Dr. Tracy Klinger, Superintendent
John Koch, Deputy Superintendent
Dr. Sara Deboy, Assistant Superintendent
Michael Sweeten, Executive Director of Human Resources

Opening Items

1. Call to Order (4:03 p.m.)

The meeting was called to order at 4:03 p.m. by the board chair, Blake Petersen.

2. Roll Call (4:03 p.m.)

Directors Riegelmann and Sedda were absent from the meeting. Director Coleman-Cox joined the meeting a few minutes late. A quorum of the board was in attendance.

Approve Meeting Agenda (4:03 p.m.)

MOTION 97: Move to approve the meeting agenda as presented. This motion, made by Kris Howatt and seconded by Brenna Puderbaugh, Carried.

Aye: Shawn Farrens, Kris Howatt, Blake Petersen, Brenna Puderbaugh

Absent: Heather Coleman-Cox

Aye: 4, No: 0, Absent: 1

Executive Session

3. Recess into Executive Session - Personnel ORS 192.660(2)(b) (4:03 p.m.)

The meeting was recessed into executive session at 4:03 p.m. in order to discuss Personnel pursuant to ORS 192.660(2)(b). Executive sessions are closed to the public. Members of the public attending virtually were excused from the meeting and the audio and video portion of the virtual meeting was muted until the end of the executive session. No decision may be made in executive session.

4. Reconvene into Special Board Work Session (5:39 p.m.)

Following the executive session, the board reconvened into the special work session at 5:39 p.m.

Action Item

5. Action on Matters Discussed in Executive Session (5:43 p.m.)

Chair Petersen shared that during the executive session the board reviewed information regarding a personnel matter,

and the board may take action on how to proceed at this time.

MOTION 98: Make a motion to uphold the non-renewal recommendation as presented and voted on at the December 11, 2025 board meeting. This motion, made by Kris Howatt and seconded by Shawn Farrens, Carried.
Aye: Shawn Farrens, Kris Howatt, Blake Petersen, Brenna Puderbaugh
No: Heather Coleman-Cox
Aye: 4, No: 1, Absent: 2

Closing Items

6. Announcements (5:45 p.m.)

Chair Petersen reviewed the announcements included in the board agenda packet. A link for virtual meeting attendance will be provided for upcoming meetings.

7. Adjournment (5:45 p.m.)

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 5:45 p.m.

Submitted by: _____

Sarah Avery
Executive Assistant to the Superintendent and
Board of Directors

Note: These minutes were approved by the board on _____:sa