



Regular Board Meeting

Hibbing Public Schools

Wednesday, April 8, 2026 at 3:30 PM CDT

Hibbing High School Auditorium

Agenda

I. Call to Order of regular meeting

II. Pledge Of Allegiance

III. Public Comment

IV. Administrative Reports:

A. Directors / Student Director:

B. Administrators and Staff:

C. Committee Report:

V. Motion to approve the Agenda

VI. Motion to approve the Consent Agenda:

A. Minutes of the March 18, 2026 Regular Meeting

B. Minutes of the March 26, 2026 Special Meeting

C. Minutes of the March 30, 2026 Special Meeting

D. Approve the 2026 spring coaches list.

E. Approve the hiring off Savanna Mellesmoen to Job #60 Pupil Support Assistant, 30 hours per week, Greenhaven Elementary, effective April 9, 2026.

F. Approve the hiring of Sarah Houtkooper as a summer school teacher, grades 9-12, 60 hours, Monday - Thursday, 8:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. effective June 15-July 23, 2026, contingent upon summer school numbers.

G. Approve the hiring of Kris Lindstrom as a summer school teacher, grades 9-12, 60 hours, Monday - Thursday, 8:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. effective June 15-July 23, 2026, contingent upon summer school numbers.

H. Approve the hiring of Amy Mandt as a head girl's volleyball coach, effective August 17, 2026.

I. Postings and Transfers for the month of March, 2026- None

VII. Administrative Business:

A. Motion to approve the 2026-2027 school calendar.

B. Motion to adopt the Resolution Directing the Administration to Make Recommendations for Reductions in Programs and Positions.

C. Motion to adopt the Resolution Relating to the Termination and Nonrenewal of the Teacher Contract of M'Kayla Kessler, a Probationary Teacher.

D. Motion to adopt the Resolution Relating to the Termination and Nonrenewal of the Teacher Contract of Elisha Otonichar, a Probationary Teacher.

E. Motion to adopt the Resolution Proposing to place Matthew Anderson on unrequested leave of absence.

F. Motion to adopt the Resolution Proposing to place Jennifer Hiltner on unrequested leave of absence.

G. Motion to adopt the Resolution Proposing to place Ryan Olson on unrequested leave of absence.

H. Motion to adopt the Resolution Proposing to place Shannon Rocco on unrequested leave of absence.

I. Motion to adopt the Resolution Proposing to place Megan Zubich on unrequested leave of absence.

J. Motion to adopt the Resolution Proposing to place Kirk Lewis on unrequested leave of absence.

K. Motion to adopt the Resolution eliminating positions and laying off certain employees in AFSCME Bargaining Unit as presented.

L. Motion to approve the last day of school for Pk-12 students on May 29, 2026 to allow time for staff to move out of classrooms due to realignment.

M. Motion to eliminate the position of Executive Assistant to the Superintendent and Staffing Coordinator, effective June 30, 2026.

VIII. Discussion Items:

A. Reconfiguration Update.

B. End of the year timeline.

IX. Adjournment