

MINNEOTA PUBLIC SCHOOLS – ISD #414

MARCH 25, 2026 SCHOOL BOARD SPECIAL MEETING MINUTES

A Special Meeting of the Board of Education of ISD #414, Minneota Public Schools, was called to order by Chair Abby Thostenson on Wednesday, March 25, 2026 at 7:00 am in the Conference Room.

Roll call was taken. Members present included Emily Coequyt, Jon Buysse, Abby Thostenson, Julie Mead, Tom Skorczewski, Ryan Runia, and Martin Hennen.

Nicolle Johnston and Heather Anderson also attended the meeting.

Motion by Buysse, second by Runia, to approve the meeting agenda with three updates and additions – 1) include Kristy Schumacher in the list of Bounce Back teachers, 2) approve a Tier 4 contract with Sorcha Vikter, and 3) approve JD Pesch as a Volunteer Baseball Coach and Christa Bouwman as a Volunteer Softball Coach. Motion carried unanimously.

Motion by Mead, second by Hennen, to approve Jessica Bradley, Kaley Buysse, Kim Caster, Jared Josephson, Sarah Stassen, Cindy Van Keulen, Erin Walerius, and Kristy Schumacher as Summer Bounce Back Program Teachers. Motion carried unanimously.

Motion by Skorczewski, second by Runia, to approve a 2026-2028 High School Principal Contract with Heather Anderson. Motion carried unanimously.

Motion by Skorczewski, second by Buysse, to approve a Tier 3 Teacher Contract with Sarah Spieker, English-Language Arts teacher. Motion carried unanimously.

Motion by Skorczewski, second by Hennen, to approve a Tier 4 Teacher Contract with Sorcha Vikter, English-Language Arts teacher. Motion carried unanimously.

Motion by Skorczewski, second by Runia, to approve JD Pesch as a Volunteer Baseball Coach and Christa Bouwman as a Volunteer Softball Coach. Motion carried unanimously.

Motion by Buysse, second by Runia, to adjourn the meeting. Motion carried unanimously.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 7:06 am.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/Martin Hennen

Martin Hennen, Clerk