

**TOWN OF HINSDALE
School Board
MINUTES OF NONPUBLIC SESSION**

DATE: 4-8-2026

PRESENT:

April Anderson	Y
Wayne Dingman, Jr.	Y
Kendra Gardner	Y
Kaylah Hemlow	Y
Laura Hubbard	Y

MOTION TO ENTER NONPUBLIC SESSION MADE BY: K. Hemlow

MOTION SECONDED BY: K. Gardner

SPECIFIC EXEMPTION RELIED UPON AS A FOUNDATION FOR THE NONPUBLIC SESSION:

RSA 91-A:3 II

(a): The dismissal, promotion, or compensation of any public employee or the disciplining of such employee, or the investigation of any charges against him or her, **unless** the employee affected (1) has a right to a public meeting, and (2) requests that the meeting be open, in which case the request shall be granted.

(c): Matters which, if discussed in public, would likely affect adversely the reputation of any person, **other than a member of this board**, unless such person requests an open meeting. This exemption shall extend to include any application for assistance or tax abatement or waiver of a fee, fine or other levy, if based on inability to pay or poverty of the applicant.

THE BOARD ENTERED INTO A NONPUBLIC SESSION AT 7:46 PM.

OTHER PERSONS PRESENT DURING THE NONPUBLIC SESSION:

J. Fortson, Business Administrator; and Dr. David Ryan, Superintendent

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF SUBJECT MATTER DISCUSSED AND FINAL DECISIONS:

Leave of Absence Request from HES School Counselor:

After discussion, the following motions were made:

K. Gardner MOVED to approve the request. K. Hemlow SECONDED. VOTE: 5-0-0, MOTION PASSED.

Non-renewals:

Dr. Ryan shared non-renewals and transfers at HES and HMHS. Letters will be going out to the impacted employees.

Varsity Track & Field Coach:

Dr. Ryan requested permission to hire a coach under 21 years of age. S. Sengaloun will volunteer to assist with the coaching.

After discussion, the following motions were made:

K. Gardner MOVED to waive the age requirement to hire the Varsity Track & Field coach. K. Hemlow SECONDED. VOTE: 5-0-0, MOTION PASSED.

Board Nomination form for HES Classroom Teacher (Grade Three):

Dr. Ryan nominated Taylor Furtado for the Third Grade Classroom Teacher position for 2026-2027.

After discussion, the following motions were made:

K. Hemlow MOVED to approve the nomination for Taylor Furtado. W. Dingman, Jr. SECONDED. VOTE: 5-0-0, MOTION PASSED.

Staff Climate Survey:

Discussed the results of the staff climate survey. Dr. Ryan will review the feedback with the Principals.

Retirement Request from HES Classroom Teacher:

K. Gardner MOVED to accept Paula Snide's retirement at the end of the 2026-2027 school year. L. Hubbard SECONDED. VOTE: 5-0-0, MOTION PASSED.

MOTION TO RECONVENE THE PUBLIC SESSION MADE BY: K. Gardner

SECONDED BY: L. Hubbard

ROLL CALL VOTE:

April Anderson	Y
Wayne Dingman, Jr.	Y
Kendra Gardner	Y
Kaylah Hemlow	Y
Laura Hubbard	Y

THE BOARD RECONVENED TO THE PUBLIC SESSION AT 8:56 pm.

I attest that this is a true copy of the minutes.

Maria A. Webb