

Hazen School Board  
Minutes of the Board of Education  
Monday, April 13, 2026  
Regular meeting

A regular meeting of the Board of Education was held on Monday, April 13, 2026, in the Hazen High School Library. After a quorum was established, the meeting was called to order at 6:00 pm, by School Board President, Mason Sickel. Meeting was opened with the Pledge of Allegiance.

**PRESENT**

Board members present were Chad Greenwalt, Cody Snider, Mason Sickel, Dave Hare, Stevie Kee, and Sandra Penn.

**PUBLIC COMMENT**

None

**MINUTES APPROVED**

Minutes of the Regular Board Meeting March 9, 2026 and Special Board Meeting March 24, 2026. Motion made by Dave Hare and second by Stevie Kee. Motion carried 6-0

**WARRANTS**

District Financial Reports for March 2026 were approved. Motion by Dave Hare and second by Stevie Kee. Motion carried 6-0

**STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT/RECOGNITION**

FCCLA sponsor and 2 students spoke about FCCLA Nationals trip to Washington DC which would be a sponsor and 3 students.

**ACTION ITEMS**

- A. Consider 2026-2027 Classified Salary Schedule and Stipends Schedule. Motion made by Cody Snider and second by Dave Hare. Motion carried 6-0
- B. Review 2024-2025 Legislative Audit & Approve any actions needed. No action needed. Motion made by Dave Hare and second by Stevie Kee. Motion carried 6-0

**INFORMATION ITEMS**

- A. CPPC- None
- B. PPC- None
- C. Principals – HES Principal, Mrs. Saranie, spoke about PT conference that was in March, PreK events are taking place this week, and Atlas testing in 2 weeks.  
HHS Principal, Bryce Harrison, spoke how this is a very busy time of year with different clubs and activities, acknowledged Quiz Bowl competition and FCCLA Nationals.
- D. Superintendent – Mr. Barrett said HES was getting a New Sign, FFA going to Camp Couchdale, and Mr. Barrett had a copy of the Newsletter for Board Members and acknowledge Mrs. Perry's great job on the Media for the school. Also, Dax Cox, Ellen Lisko and Morgan Mason have volunteered to help the Cheer Sponsor.  
CR Crawford and Taggart reps were present and presented to the Board the Hazen School District GMP Breakdown to accept. Motion made by Stevie Kee to accept and second by Dave Hare. Motion carried 6-0  
May 4 is scheduled to be Groundbreaking at Noon.

## EXECUTIVE SESSION

The Board went in to executive session to discuss Personnel employment @ 6:36pm and returned at 7:10pm with no action taken.

## PERSONNEL

1. Approve Superintendent's recommendation the Hazen School District hire the classified staff presented on the attached list for the 2026-2027 school year. Motion made by Dave Hare and second by Stevie Kee. Motion carried 6-0.
  2. Approve Superintendent's recommendation the Hazen School District hire Clay totty as Head Football Coach and Athletic Director for the remainder of the 2025-2026 school year. The dates for the contract are April 24, 2026 to June 19, 2026. Motion made by Dave Hare and second by Stevie Kee. Motion carried 6-0.
  3. Approve Superintendent's recommendation the Hazen School District offer Wendy Perry the position of Cheer sponsor for the 2026-2027 school year. Motion made by Dave Hare and second by Sandra Penn. Motion carried 6-0
  4. Approve Superintendent's recommendation the Hazen School District hire the following classified personnel pursuant to district policies:  
Lily Parson as SPED Paraprofessional effective date April 6, 2026  
Tasia Sanders as SPED Paraprofessional for the 2026-2027 school year  
Motion made by Dave Hare and second by Sandra Penn. Motion carried 6-0.
  5. Approve Superintendent's recommendation the Hazen School District hire the following certified personnel pursuant to district policies for the 2026-2027 school year:  
Holly Boothe - Dyslexia Interventionist for Elementary  
Melanie Martin - 5<sup>th</sup>/6<sup>th</sup> Social Studies  
Chris Houser - High School Social Studies, Assistant Basketball, and Assistant Softball  
Abigail Hooper – 5<sup>th</sup>/6<sup>th</sup> Math and Head Softball Coach  
Kirsten Kennedy – Kindergarten  
Motion made by Dave Hare and second by Chad Greenwalt. Motion carried 6-0
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1. Approve Superintendent's recommendation the Hazen School District accept the resignation of Summer Greenwalt, Family and Consumer Science Teachers with effective date of May 22, 2026. Motion made by Chad Greenwalt and second by Stevie Kee. Motion carried 6-0
  2. Approve Superintendent's recommendation the Hazen School District accept the resignation of Sam Sturdivant, High School Social Studies and Head Boys Basketball Coach with effective date of May 22, 2026. Motion made by Dave Hare and second by Stevie Kee. Motion carried 6-0

## ADJOURNMENT

With no further business, Mason Sickel made a motion to adjourn at 7:14pm. Next regular School Board meeting will be Monday, May 11, 2026 in the High School library.



School Board President



School Board Secretary

May 11, 2026

Date