



# Dickinson-Iron Intermediate School District Board Of Education – Regular Meeting Wednesday, January 14, 2026

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Members Present	William Borga, Carol Brunswick, Lisa Koon-Bloomburg, Nancy deKoster, Janet VanWagner, Marsha Wainio
Members Absent	Dale Alessandrini
Others Present	Jennifer Huotari, Amanda Sanicki, Darren Schiltz, Katie Dooley, Amy Ryan, Elisa Anderson, Joe Tinti, Angel Inglese, Casey McCormick, Jill Johnson
Call To Order	President William Borga called the Regular Meeting to order at 5:00 p.m. and led the Pledge of Allegiance.
Public Participation	None
Agenda Approval	Moved by Carol Brunswick, supported by Nancy deKoster to approve the amended agenda as presented. MOTION CARRIED 6-0                      ABSENT - 1
Minutes	Moved by Lisa Koon-Bloomburg supported by Janet VanWagner to approve the minutes of December 10, 2025, Regular Board Meeting as presented. MOTION CARRIED 6-0                      ABSENT - 1
Invoices	Moved by Marsha Wainio supported by Nancy deKoster to approve the invoices for payment as follows: General Services - \$225,492.23 Special Education - \$118,377.94, Technical Education - \$41,922.94, Early Childhood Education - \$113,460.35. Capital Projects - \$510.00; Technical Education Capital Projects – \$79,500.00 MOTION CARRIED 6-0                      ABSENT - 1
Financial Report & Budget Adjustments	Moved by Carol Brunswick supported by Janet VanWagner to approve the financial report and budget adjustments as presented. MOTION CARRIED 6-0                      ABSENT - 1
Board Committee Reports	Carol Brunswick briefed on the Personnel Committee meeting that was held January 8, 2026.
School Board Recognition Month	Superintendent Huotari presented the board members with a Certificate of Appreciation and thanked them for their dedication and commitment to our ISD.
Open, Analyze CAT2 Bids	Moved by Carol Brunswick supported by Lisa Koon-Bloomburg to allow Darren to review and analyze all bids and then have Building & Site make the recommendation and approval to award the winning bid. MOTION CARRIED 6-0                      ABSENT - 1

Approved 02.11.2026

Out of State, Overnight Travel – Gen Fund	Moved by Nancy deKoster supported by Carol Brunswick to approve the out of state, overnight travel for Superintendent Huotari to Pittsburg, PA, March 11-13, 2026, with Bay College all expenses paid as presented.  MOTION CARRIED 6-0 ABSENT - 1
Move Board Meeting in March	Moved by Lisa Koon-Bloomberg supported by Nancy deKoster to approve moving the March board meeting from March 11 <sup>th</sup> to March 18 <sup>th</sup> , 2026, as presented.  MOTION CARRIED 6-0 ABSENT - 1
Unpaid Leave Request – ECE	Moved by Carol Brunswick supported by Lisa Koon-Bloomberg to approve the unpaid leave request for Robyn Prevost as presented.  MOTION CARRIED 6-0 ABSENT - 1
Part-time Associate Classroom Coordinator— ECE	Moved by Marsha Wainio supported by Janet Van Wagner to ratify and approve filling the position of Associate Classroom Coordinator with Mist Aho at Step 1 as presented.  MOTION CARRIED 6-0 ABSENT - 1
Information And Communications	None
Superintendent Report	Superintendent Huotari presented on the passing of Firearms Safety Curriculum, updated on House Bills/news; Addressed that the Labor Day Waiver Hearing is being held Monday, January 19 <sup>th</sup> in her office at 9a.m.; Joe, Jen, and Darren will be meeting January 15 <sup>th</sup> with the architect for the Technical Education Center; Jen has been visiting the classrooms within our ISD and plans on visiting many more in the coming months.
Other	None
Adjourn	There being no further business it was moved by Marsha Wainio to adjourn the meeting at 5:23 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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Nancy deKoster, Secretary  
DICKINSON-IRON ISD BOARD OF EDUCATION  
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