Hartland Consolidated Schools
Regular Meeting-Board of Education
June 15, 2026
Minutes

Members present:	K. Coleman, C. Shaw, G. Keller, D. Custodio, G. Gogoleski, J. Scott
Members absent:	J. Campbell
Admin. Present:	C. Hughes, R. Bois, K. Gregory, J. Fitzgerald, M. Gunn, M. Frasier

President Coleman called the meeting to order at 6:30 p.m. in the Boardroom of the Hartland Educational Support Service Center. The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

INTRODUCTIONS

1. INTRODUCTION OF THE TOP 10 STUDENTS-CLASS OF 2026
   Superintendent Hughes introduced Principal Fitzgerald who introduced three of the Top 10 Students of the Class of 2026. Each student received a certificate of recognition from the Board.
2. TEACHER OF THE YEAR/SUPPORT PERSON OF THE YEAR
   Superintendent Hughes introduced Principal Fitzgerald who highlighted the Teacher of the Year, Lauren DePestel, and introduced the Support Person of the Year, Bridgette Stanaway.

6/15/26 AGENDA APPROVED

Motion by Shaw, supported by Custodio, that the agenda for the June 15, 2026 regular meeting be approved as presented.
Gogoleski: yes, Shaw: yes, Keller: yes, Scott: yes, Custodio: yes, Coleman: yes
Motion carried 6-0.

6/15/26 CONSENT AGENDA APPROVED

Motion by Custodio, supported by Shaw, that the consent agenda for the June 15, 2026 special meeting be approved.
Gogoleski: yes, Shaw: yes, Keller: yes, Scott: yes, Custodio: yes, Coleman: yes
Motion carried 6-0.

1. APPROVAL OF MINUTES – JUNE 1, 2026 SPECIAL MEETING
   That the minutes of the June 1, 2026 special meeting be approved.
2. PAYMENT OF INVOICES
   That the Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent and the Chief Financial Officer, approves the financial report approves the financial report as of May 31, 2026, and the payment of invoices totaling $1,603,122.93 and payroll obligations totaling $3,769,254.89.
3. CALL FOR JULY ORGANIZATIONAL MEETING
   That the Board of Education schedules the July organizational meeting for July 20, 2026 at 6:30 p.m.
4. NEW TEACHER HIRES
   That the Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent and the Assistant Superintendent of Personnel and Student Services, offers a probationary teaching contract to Danielle Christensen for the 2026-2027 school year, at the step 10, BA +10 salary tract, pending verification of credentials and Public Acts 99, 83 & 189 requirements, if applicable.

   That the Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent and the Assistant Superintendent of Personnel and Student Services, offers a probationary teaching contract to Lidia Barska for the 2026-2027 school year, at the step 4, MA salary tract, pending verification of credentials and Public Acts 99, 83 & 189 requirements, if applicable.

   That the Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent and the Assistant Superintendent of Personnel and Student Services, offers a probationary teaching contract to Kelly Behnke for the 2026-2027 school year, at the step 5, MA salary tract, pending verification of credentials and Public Acts 99, 83 & 189 requirements, if applicable.

SUPERINTENDENTS REPORT

Superintendent Hughes introduced Principal Gunn who introduced the new teachers at Creekside, Morgan Fawcett and Kelly Behnke.

Superintendent Hughes introduced Principal Frasier who introduced the new teacher at Lakes, Danielle Christensen.

Superintendent Hughes introduced Chief Financial Officer Rachel Bois who reviewed the proposed budget for the 2026-27 school year.

CALL TO THE PUBLIC

There was no response to Call to the Public.

2026-2027 PARENT/STUDENT HANDBOOKS

Motion by Shaw, supported by Custodio, that the Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent and the Assistant Superintendent of Personnel and Student Services, approves the Secondary, Intermediate and Elementary Parent/Student Handbook changes for the 2026-2027 school year as presented.
Gogoleski: yes, Shaw: yes, Keller: yes, Scott: yes, Custodio: yes, Coleman: yes
Motion carried 6-0.

SINKING FUND RENEWAL

Motion by Keller, supported by Shaw, that the Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent and the Chief Financial Officer, approves the sinking fund renewal as presented.
Gogoleski: yes, Shaw: yes, Keller: yes, Scott: yes, Custodio: yes, Coleman: yes
Motion carried 6-0.

2025-2026 BUDGET AMENDMENTS

Motion by Custodio, supported by Shaw, that the Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent and the Chief Financial Officer, approves the 2025-26 budget amendments as presented.
Gogoleski: yes, Shaw: yes, Keller: yes, Scott: yes, Custodio: yes, Coleman: yes
Motion carried 6-0.

GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS ACT RESOLUTION-2026-2027 BUDGET

Motion by Shaw, supported by Custodio, that the Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent and the Chief Financial Officer, approves the General Appropriations Act Resolution – 2026-2027 as presented.
Gogoleski: yes, Shaw: yes, Keller: yes, Scott: yes, Custodio: yes, Coleman: yes
Motion carried 6-0.

SCHOOL BOND LOAN FUND

Motion by Shaw, supported by Custodio, that the Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Chief Financial Officer, approves the School Loan Revolving Fund Annual Application as presented.
Gogoleski: yes, Shaw: yes, Keller: yes, Scott: yes, Custodio: yes, Coleman: yes
Motion carried 6-0.

ADMINISTRATIVE DEAN OF STUDENTS JOB DESCRIPTION

Motion by Custodio, supported by Shaw, that the Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent and the High School Principal, approves the Administrative Dean of Students job description as presented.
Gogoleski: yes, Shaw: yes, Keller: yes, Scott: yes, Custodio: yes, Coleman: yes
Motion carried 6-0.

FUTURE MEETINGS

President Coleman noted the next meetings will be a Policy Committee meeting June 29, 2026, at 6:30 p.m., in the Boardroom at the Hartland Educational Support Service Center, and July 20, 2026, Organizational meeting, 6:30 p.m., in the Boardroom at the Hartland Educational Support Service Center.

Superintendent Hughes asked President Coleman if the Board could schedule a special meeting prior to the committee meeting on June 29th for additional new hires.

ADJOURNMENT

The meeting adjourned at 7:15 p.m.

Cindy Shaw
Acting Secretary

Renee Braden
Recording Secretary