

**BOARD OF EDUCATION  
HANCOCK PUBLIC SCHOOLS**

**RECORD OF MINUTES**

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**Budget Hearing Meeting  
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Meeting open -Pledge of Allegiance.

A Budget Hearing Meeting of the Board of Education of Hancock Public Schools was held in the boardroom on Monday, June 22, 2026, at 5:00 p.m. President M Lancour called the meeting to order.

Present: Michael Lancour, Emilie Lancour, Charlie Klein, Rod Paavola, and Rebecca Ylitalo

Absent: Catherine Jordan and Taylor Paul

Agenda Items:

Routine Matters

Adoption of Agenda

It was recommended by Superintendent Salani that the submitted agenda be adopted as presented. Moved by Member Klein, seconded by Member Ylitalo, to adopt the agenda as presented. The motion unanimously carried.

Visitor Comments: 24 visitors

Three people commented on the library and the continuation of the contract. They spoke in support of Boni, the librarian, and her ability to find the perfect books for people. The request was made for continued time to help raise funds and look into policies and laws.

Old or Unfinished Business

New Business:

1. Review the final revised 2025-26 budget
  - a. additional funding (in and out) for UAAL, Education compensation, and GSRP transportation
  - b. A \$170,000 deficit was in the budget, but it ended the year with \$160,000
  - c. There is a food service spend down plan by the state (used capital outlay)
    - i. benefits include: ovens, a vehicle, and a steamer
2. Review the 2026-27 Budget and the Spread Levy of the District Millage.
  - a. There are three budgets: the general education fund, the food service fund, and the debt retirement fund
  - b. The numbers were calculated using the current \$10,300 per-pupil allocation. There may be a \$250 increase.
  - c. Looking at increases to retirement, transportation, and utility costs
  - d. The state has not finalized its budget yet
  - e. It will be October 1st before most information is known

Adjournment of Meeting

Moved by Member Klein and seconded by Member Paavola to adjourn the meeting at 5:15 pm. The motion unanimously carried.

Emilie Lancour  
Board Secretary