



School District No. 51 (Boundary)

Regular Meeting of the Board of Education
West Boundary Elementary School, Rock Creek, BC
April 21, 2026 at 6:00 p.m.

Agenda

Call to Order

Land Acknowledgement

With gratitude, we acknowledge that School District 51 resides on the unceded traditional territory of the Interior Salish people. We also acknowledge the enduring presence of all First Nations, Inuit and Métis people. May we always live and care for these lands with respect.

Adoption of Agenda

Adoption of Minutes

- February 24, 2026 – Regular Meeting Minutes
- March 17, 2026 – Special Regular Meeting Minutes

Report on In-Camera Meeting from February 24, 2026

The Board discussed personnel issues, properties/facilities, and business items.

Recognition, Presentations and Delegations

10-Minute Comment Period for Rightsholders and Partners

The purpose of the comment period is to provide an opportunity for brief input on any of the meeting's agenda items that the Board will be considering.

Strategic Plan Update (Attachment)

- Presentation by Nick Bond, West Boundary Elementary School Principal.

Business Items

1. Committee Reports

EDUCATION

Nil

FINANCE

- Expenditure Report to March 31, 2026 (Attachment)
- Preliminary Funding Announcement for Operating Grant 2026/27 (Attachment)

OPERATIONS

- Capital Plan Bylaw No. 2026/27-CP51-01 and 2026/27 Annual Programs Funding Agreement for School District No.51 (Attachment)

MOTION: **“That the Board of Education of School District No. 51 (Boundary) approve having all**

three readings of the Capital Plan Bylaw No. 2026/27-CPSD51- 01 in this one meeting.”

MOTION: “That School District No. 51 (Boundary) Capital Plan Bylaw No. 2026/27-CPSD51- 01 be given first reading.”

MOTION: “That School District No. 51 (Boundary) Capital Plan Bylaw No. 2026/27-CPSD51- 01 be given second reading.”

MOTION: “That School District No. 51 (Boundary) Capital Plan Bylaw No. 2026/27-CPSD51- 01, be given third reading, reconsidered, and finally passed and adopted on this 21st day of April 2026.”

MOTION: “That 2026/27 Annual Program Funding Agreement for School District No.51 (Boundary) is approved by the Board.”

POLICY

- Election Bylaw No. 2026 (Attachment)

MOTION: “That the Board of Education of School District No. 51 (Boundary) approve having all three readings of the Election Bylaw No. 2026 in this one meeting.”

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2. Board Chair Report

3. Senior Management Reports

- Superintendent Report (Attachment)
 - School Upcoming Events (Attachment)
- Secretary Treasurer Report (Attachment)

4. Trustee Reports

- BCSTA Provincial Council
- Rec Commission
- BISM
- BCSTA Kootenay Boundary Branch
- BCSTA AGM Reports
- BCPSEA
- OLRC
- Rural & Remote (Attachment)
- PAC Highlights (Attachment)

5. Around the Boundary

Trustee Activities and Upcoming Events

- BCSS Grad – June 6, 2026 at 11am

- GFSS Grad – June 13, 2026 at 2pm
- WDC Grad – June 18, 2026 at 5pm

Future Agenda Items

Next Board Meeting: **May 26, 2026**
 6:00 p.m.
 School Board Office, Grand Forks, BC

Adjournment

15-MINUTE QUESTION PERIOD

The purpose of this portion of the Agenda is to provide the opportunity to members of the public, press, radio and staff to ask questions or request clarification on items placed on this evening's Regular Meeting Agenda. While the Board believes that communication with the public is extremely important, the regular Board is not the appropriate setting for general discussion, or comment by residents. Matters currently under negotiation or litigation or related to personnel or specific students will not be permitted. Public with general comments or questions are encouraged to contact the Chair or Superintendent individually.

One question will be taken from each person, after which, time permitting, each person may present a second question. Speakers must identify themselves before speaking. All questions will be directed to the Chair, who may refer the question to the Superintendent or Secretary Treasurer. The Chair may restrict the length of time any one individual may speak. The response to a question will be made during the meeting, when possible, or deferred until a later date when information becomes available. Individuals addressing the Board assume personal responsibility for all statements made to the Board. The Chair will use judgment to stop any inappropriate questions that would be better discussed in a different forum. The Chair may use discretion to terminate any speaker's privilege or exclude a speaker from the meeting if, after due warning, the speaker persists with conduct or remarks which the Chair considers inappropriate.