

GEYSERVILLE UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT
1300 Moody Lane, Geyserville, CA 95441

BOARD OF TRUSTEES SPECIAL MEETING <u>AGENDA</u> FOR TUESDAY, MARCH 23, 2021 – 6:00 PM
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Mission Statement

The mission of the Geyserville School District is to produce within a safe and caring environment, educated, compassionate citizens who achieve and perform at all levels of learning, are prepared to live fulfilling lives and contribute to their community and the world in which they live. Our well-qualified and caring faculty and staff challenge each student to his or her highest potential in this life long pursuit of learning, excellence and service to others.

6:00 p.m. Open Session - As authorized by the Governor’s Emergency Executive Order issued on March 12, the Geyserville Unified School District Board of Education will conduct Board of Education meetings by video conference until further notice.

- Please see www.GUSD.com for log-in link.
- To make a Public Comment, please email smarckx@gusd.com prior to 4pm March 23, 2021.

1.0 Opening and Roll Call

The Board convened to Open Session at _____ p.m.

Board Members	Present/Absent	District Staff	Present/Absent
Ms. Colliver	_____	Ms. Bertolucci	_____
Ms. Marckx	_____	Ms. Quintana-Sturgis	_____
Mrs. Lopez	_____	Ms. Menicucci	_____
Mrs. Rickard	_____	Ms. Marckx	_____
Mr. Johnson	_____		

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2.0 ADJUSTING AGENDA ITEMS

Prior to approving agenda, the Board may vote, either by determination of a two-thirds vote of the board or by a unanimous vote of those present, that there is a need to take immediate action on or make adjustment to an item and that such need for action came to the attention of the district subsequent to the agenda being posted.

2.1 Agenda Adjustment Items

Items on a posted agenda may only be tabled or have a change of order. No additions.

Motion: _____ Second: _____ Vote: _____

3.0 APPROVAL OF AGENDA

3.1 Agenda Approval

Motion: _____ Second: _____ Vote: _____

4.0 PUBLIC COMMENT

Any member of the public in attendance and having signed in with a Board recognized format (see items below) may address the Board regarding these items. Speakers are limited to 3 minutes each. This is a specific time for the Board to hear from the public. Although the Board will not respond, **we want you to know that we are listening to you carefully.**

4.1 Public Comment on Action Items as Listed Below

To comment on an agenda item, please email Shannon Marckx at smarckx@gusd.com prior to 4:00 on Tuesday, March 23, 2021. Your comment will be directed to the Board.

4.2 Public Comment on Closed Session Items as Stated

To comment on a closed session item, please email Shannon Marckx at smarckx@gusd.com prior to 4:00 on Tuesday, March 23, 2021. Your comment will be directed to the Board.

4.3 Public Comment Regarding Items NOT on the Agenda

To comment on an item not on the agenda, please email Shannon Marckx at smarckx@gusd.com prior to 4:00 on Tuesday, March 23, 2021. Your comment will be directed to the Board.

5.0 ADJOURN TO CLOSED SESSION – Time: _____ (GC§54954.2, 54954.5, 54956, 54957)

With respect to every item of business discussed in closed session, discussion is pursuant to Government Code Section 3549. During this closed session, the Board will consider and/or take action on the items listed in the related section.

5.1 ➤ CONFERENCE WITH LABOR NEGOTIATORS (54957.6)

6.0 RECONVENE TO OPEN SESSION - Time: _____

6.1 Report on Closed Session

7.0 CONSENT ACTION ITEMS

After Board discussion, if needed, to clarify any routine consent action items, a single motion and vote will apply to all items listed in the Consent Action Items section of the agenda.

7.1 Personnel Report

Motion: _____ Second: _____ Vote: _____

8.0 ACTION ITEMS

8.1 **Resolution 269 Declaring Instructional Method** – The Board will be presented with and asked to approve Resolution 269 declaring conditions required for a shift in instructional delivery from distance learning to distance learning/on-campus learning hybrid.

Motion: _____ Second: _____ Vote: _____

9.0 FOLLOW-UP & FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS

10.0 ADVANCE PLANNING

- The next regular Board Meeting will be Wednesday April 14, 2021.

Board meeting adjournment at _____ p.m.

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PERSONNEL ACTION REPORT

Board Meeting: March 23, 2021

To: Board of Trustees

From: Deborah Bertolucci, Superintendent

These are the personnel actions that need to be reported/approved via consent as of the above meeting date:

Name	Action	Area of Assignment	Effective Date(s)
Jose Flores	Resigned	Custodian	3/18/2021
Amy Pendleton	Temporary Reassignment	4 th Grade Teacher	3/23/2021

GEYSERVILLE UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

RESOLUTION 269

RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE GEYSERVILLE UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT OF THE COUNTY OF SONOMA, STATE OF CALIFORNIA ON CONDITIONS REQUIRED FOR A SHIFT IN INSTRUCTIONAL DELIVERY FROM DISTANCE LEARNING TO DISTANCE LEARNING/ON-CAMPUS LEARNING HYBRID FOR BOTH STUDENTS AND STAFF

WHEREAS the COVID-19 pandemic has severely impacted student access to on-campus instruction; and

WHEREAS the COVID-19 pandemic has severely impacted social and emotional development of students by limiting social interaction, including activities that are traditionally offered by schools; and

WHEREAS the interaction between students and staff in an instructional learning environment is valued and necessary; and

WHEREAS on-campus instruction, extra-curricular participation and co-curricular activities supports student social, emotional, and academic development; and

WHEREAS parents, GUSD staff, and community groups are all eager to support movement towards a safe return to school operations; and

WHEREAS distance learning has disproportionately impacted the academic achievement of identifiable groups of students, including English-language learners and special education students; and

WHEREAS any successful delivery of in-person instruction, including in a hybrid model, during the pandemic is contingent upon physical and behavioral adjustments at schools, including maintaining spacing between all individuals, wearing masks, stable grouping of students, frequent cleaning of shared spaces and materials, and responsive virus testing and contact tracing; and

WHEREAS even then, some families will opt to remain in distance learning during the pandemic;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that as long as it remains safe for students, staff and the public, Geyserville Unified Schools will reopen for in-person instruction, at least in the hybrid model, no later than April 7, 2021, in according to relevant and applicable California Department of Public Health guidance;

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that Geyserville Unified Schools will also establish instructional cohorts (CDPH cohort guidance, Sept. 4, 2020) for identified students with mild to moderate disabilities in pre-identified special education classes (elementary, & secondary) and English Language Learners in identified ELD coursework (secondary);

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that reopening for in-person instruction may involve a staggered start and is dependent on a number of operational circumstances;

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that Geyserville Unified Schools will work with all critical stakeholders, including but not limited to, the Geyserville Teachers Association, Service Employees International Union, Geyserville Unified administrators and Geyserville Unified families to plan and coordinate matters associated with an instructional platform shift.

The foregoing resolution was introduced by Board Member _____ who moved its adoption, seconded by Member _____ and adopted on roll call by the following vote:

Trustee Colliver _____
Trustee Marckx _____
Trustee Lopez _____
Trustee Rickard _____
Trustee Johnson _____

WHEREUPON, the President declared the above resolution adopted and SO ORDERED this 23rd day of March, 2021.

Linda Colliver
Board President
Geyserville Unified School District

Deborah Bertolucci
Superintendent
Geyserville Unified School District