

**Visalia Unified School District  
Board of Education**

**AGENDA**

February 12, 2008

5:30 p.m.

Board Room - Educational Complex

5000 West Cypress Avenue

Visalia, CA

In order to ensure that members of the public are provided a meaningful opportunity to address the Board on non-agenda items or agenda items that are within the Board's jurisdiction, non-agenda items may be addressed at the public comment portion of the agenda and agenda items may be addressed at the time the matter is considered by the Board. During the evening many of the Board members will be speaking on various subjects. It should be noted that each Board member expresses only his/her opinion and not the opinion of the entire Board. Teleconferencing may be used for all purposes in connection with any meeting. All votes taken during a teleconferenced meeting shall be by roll call.

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**Estimated**

**Timeline**

*5:30 p.m.*

1. **OPENING BUSINESS**
  - 1.1 CALL PUBLIC SESSION TO ORDER
  - 1.2 IDENTIFY CLOSED SESSION TOPICS OF DISCUSSION (Please refer to the list of items identified in Agenda Section 2, below.)
  - 1.3 PUBLIC COMMENT ON CLOSED SESSION TOPICS
    1. General public comment on any closed session item will be heard. Pursuant to Board Policy, the Board may limit individual comments to no more than 3 minutes and individual topics to 20 minutes. Please begin your comments by stating your name.
  - 1.4 ADJOURN TO CLOSED SESSION
  
2. **CLOSED SESSION** (May reconvene after the public meeting, if necessary)
  - 2.1 RECOMMENDED EXPULSIONS
  - 2.2 RECOMMENDED SUSPENDED EXPULSIONS
  - 2.3 RECOMMENDED REVIEWS-CONTINUED EXPULSIONS
  - 2.4 RECOMMENDED REINSTATEMENTS
  - 2.5 PUBLIC EMPLOYEE DISCIPLINE/DISMISSAL/RELEASE
  - 2.6 PUBLIC EMPLOYEE ASSIGNMENT/REASSIGNMENT/APPOINTMENT
    1. Area Administrator 7-12/Adult
  - 2.7 PENDING LITIGATION - The Board will meet in closed session to consider a student matter involving confidential pupil record information (Ed Code Sections 35146)
  - 2.8 CONFERENCE WITH LABOR NEGOTIATOR
    1. Agency Negotiator: Cindi Costa
    2. Employee Organizations
      1. CSEA
      2. VUTA
      3. Management

- 7:00 p.m. 3. **REGULAR SESSION**  
 3.1 REPORT ACTION TAKEN IN CLOSED SESSION (If any)  
 3.2 PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE - JUAN GUERRERO
- 7:05 p.m. 4. **PUBLIC COMMENT / PUBLIC INTEREST ANNOUNCEMENTS / STATUS REPORTS / ACTION** (as applicable)  
 4.1 General public comment on any school related topic may be heard at this time. The board asks that any public comment on an item listed on tonight's agenda be addressed at the time the item comes up for discussion by the board. Pursuant to Board Policy, the Board may limit individual comments to no more than 3 minutes and individual topics to 20 minutes. Please begin your comments by stating your name.  
 4.2 STATE BUDGET UPDATE (Encl. No. 1)  
 4.3 ATTENDANCE AREA COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATIONS (Encl. No. 2)
- 7:40 p.m. 5. **BOARD MEMBER REPORTS/SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT**
- 7:50 p.m. 6. **FOCUS ON STUDENT LEARNING**  
Presentation/public hearing/public Comment/Board Discussion/ACTION (if applicable)  
 6.1 GOLDEN WEST HIGH SCHOOL AND MT. WHITNEY HIGH SCHOOL - WESTERN ASSOCIATION OF SCHOOLS AND COLLEGES (WASC) REPORT (Encl. No. 3)  
 6.2 2008-09 SCHOOL CALENDAR - FIRST READING (Encl. No. 4)

**Students Attending Tonight's Board Meeting as a Class Requirement May Obtain VUSD Administrator's Signature at the Back of the Room at this Time**  
**Staff Dismissal**

- 8:05 p.m. 7. **ROUTINE ACTION**  
 7.1 ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES  
 1. Warrant List - January 11, 2008 through January 24, 2008 (Encl. No. 5)  
 2. 2007-2008 Budget Revision No. 9 (Encl. No. 6)  
 3. 2008-2009 Budget Calendar (Encl. No. 7)  
 4. Change Order #1 - El Diamante High School Chiller System Upgrade (Encl. No. 8)  
 5. Change Order #1 - El Diamante High School Boiler System Enhancements (Encl. No. 9)  
 6. Change Order #1 - Highland Elementary Multi-Purpose Building Project (Encl. No. 10)  
 7.2 AREA ADMINISTRATORS, K-6; 7-12/Adult  
 1. Student Field Trip Request(s) (Encl. No. 11)  
 2. Career Technical Education (CTE) Facilities Grant (Encl. No. 12)  
 7.3 CURRICULUM/EDUCATIONAL SERVICES  
 1. Request to Attend Conference/Workshop (Encl No. 13)

2. Resolution - Local Agreement for Child Development Services Contract (Encl. No. 14)
- 7.4 HUMAN RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT
  1. Classified Personnel Report (Encl. No. 15)
  2. Certificated Personnel Report (Encl. No. 16)
  3. Consultant Contracts (Encl. No. 17)
  4. Certification of Temporary Athletic Team Coach List for 2007-08 (Encl. No. 18)
- 7.5 SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE
  1. Minutes of the Board Meeting of January 8, 2008 (Encl. No. 19)
  2. Minutes of the Board Meeting of January 22, 2008 (Encl. No. 20)

8:10 p.m.

8. **ADMINISTRATIVE PANEL RECOMMENDATIONS / ACTION**
  - 8.1 RECOMMENDED EXPULSIONS (Encl. No. 21)
    1. Case No. 08-84 E
    2. Case No. 08-85 E
    3. Case No. 08-86 E
    4. Case No. 08-87 E
    5. Case No. 08-88 E
    6. Case No. 08-89 E
    7. Case No. 08-90 E
    8. Case No. 08-91 E
    9. Case No. 08-92 E
    10. Case No. 08-93 E
    11. Case No. 08-94 E
    12. Case No. 08-95 E
    13. Case No. 08-96 E
    14. Case No. 08-97 E
    15. Case No. 08-98 E
    16. Case No. 08-99 E
    17. Case No. 08-100 E
  - 8.2 RECOMMENDED SUSPENDED EXPULSIONS (Encl. No. 22)
    1. Case No. 08-19 SE
    2. Case No. 08-20 SE
    3. Case No. 08-21 SE
    4. Case No. 08-22 SE
    5. Case No. 08-23 SE
    6. Case No. 08-23 SE
  - 8.3 RECOMMENDED REVIEWS-CONTINUED EXPULSIONS (Encl. No. 23)
    1. Case No. 08-14 RCE
    2. Case No. 08-15 RCE
    3. Case No. 08-16 RCE
    4. Case No. 08-17 RCE
    5. Case No. 08-18 RCE
    6. Case No. 08-19 RCE
    7. Case No. 08-20 RCE

8.4 RECOMMENDED REINSTATEMENTS (Encl. No. 24)

1. Case No. 08-62 R
2. Case No. 08-63 R
3. Case No. 08-64 R
4. Case No. 08-65 R
5. Case No. 08-66 R
6. Case No. 08-67 R

8:15 p.m.

9. **GENERAL AGENDA**

Review / Public Hearing/ Public Input / Board Discussion /ACTION (as applicable)

- 9.1 CSBA DELEGATE ASSEMBLY MEMBER ELECTION - 2008 (Encl. No. 25)
- 9.2 NOTICE OF INTENT TO EMPLOY CERTIFICATED PERSONNEL AND APPROVAL OF VARIABLE TERM WAIVER REQUEST (Encl. No. 26)
- 9.3 ARCHITECTURAL SERVICES SELECTION (Encl. No. 27)
- 9.4 AWARD OF CONSTRUCTION BID - SITE IMPROVEMENTS FOR NEW GOLDEN WEST HIGH SCHOOL MODULAR PHYSICAL EDUCATION CLASSROOMS (Encl. No. 28)
- 9.5 2006-07 ANNUAL DISTRICT FINANCIAL AUDIT (Encl. No. 29)

8:45 p.m.

10. **ADJOURNMENT**

**NEXT MEETING**

The next regularly scheduled Board Meeting will be February 26, 2008 with Open Session starting at 5:30 p.m. in the Board Room at the VUSD Educational Complex located at 5000 West Cypress Avenue, Visalia and then adjourning into Closed Session. The regular meeting will start at 7:00 p.m. in the Board Room (unless otherwise posted)