

**Visalia Unified School District  
Board of Education**

**AGENDA**

May 8, 2012

7:00 p.m.

(5:30 p.m. Closed Session- and Public Comment)

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 (Education Code Sections 48900, et. seq.)
    - 2.2 RECOMMENDED SUSPENDED EXPULSIONS
    - 2.3 RECOMMENDED REINSTATEMENTS
    - 2.4 PUBLIC EMPLOYEE ASSIGNMENT/REASSIGNMENT/  
APPOINTMENT (Government Code Section 54957)
      - Elementary Principal
      - High School Principal

- 2.5 PUBLIC EMPLOYEE DISCIPLINE/DISMISSAL/RELEASE (Government Code Section 54957)
- 2.6 CONFERENCE WITH LABOR NEGOTIATOR (Government Code Section 54957.6)
  - 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 – JIM QUALLS
  - 3.3 GENERAL PUBLIC COMMENT - 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.

7:05 p.m.

- 4. **CONSENT AGENDA**
  - 4.1 ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES
    - 1. Warrant List – April 20, 2012 Through April 20, 2012 (Encl. No. 1)
    - 2. 2011-12 Budget Revision No. 15 (Encl. No. 2)
    - 3. Approval of Bid #4752-Asphalt Projects at Various Sites (Encl. No. 3)
  - 4.2 HUMAN RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT
    - 1. Classified Personnel Report (Encl. No. 4)
    - 2. Certificated Personnel Report (Encl. No. 5)
    - 3. Consultant Contracts (Encl. No. 6)
  - 4.3 INSTRUCTIONAL SERVICES
    - 1. Student Field Trip Requests (Encl. No. 7)
    - 2. 2012-2013 Designation of California Interscholastic Federation (CIF) Representatives to Leagues (Encl. No. 8)
    - 3. MOU Between Visalia Unified School District and Tulare County Sheriff’s Office for a Sheriff Officer at Charter Alternatives Academy for FY 2012-13 (Encl. No. 9)
  - 4.4 SUPERINTENDENT’S OFFICE
    - 1. Minutes of the Board Meeting of April 10, 2012 (Encl. No. 10)

7:10 p.m.

- 5. **PUBLIC COMMENT / PUBLIC INTEREST ANNOUNCEMENTS / STATUS REPORTS / ACTION** (as applicable)
  - 5.1 INITIAL NEGOTIATIONS PROPOSAL OF CSEA CHAPTER 83 TO VUSD FOR 2012-2013 (Encl. No. 11)
  - 5.2 APPROVAL OF ARCHITECT FIRMS: RFQ 4750 ARCHITECTURAL SERVICES 2012 (Encl. No. 12)

- 7:30 p.m. 6. **FOCUS ON STUDENT LEARNING**  
Presentation/Public Hearing/Public Comment/Board Discussion/ACTION (if applicable)  
6.1 DISTRICT-WIDE GOALS 2012-2013 – SECOND AND FINAL READING (Encl. No. 13)

7:40 p.m. 7. **BOARD MEMBER REPORTS/SUPERINTENDENT’S REPORT**

**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**

- 7:50 p.m. 8. **ADMINISTRATIVE PANEL RECOMMENDATIONS / ACTION**  
8.1 RECOMMENDED EXPULSIONS (Encl. No. 14)  
1. Case No. 12-138 E  
2. Case No. 12-139 E  
3. Case No. 12-140 E  
4. Case No. 12-141 E  
5. Case No. 12-142 E  
6. Case No. 12-143 E  
8.2 RECOMMENDED SUSPENDED EXPULSIONS (Encl. No. 15)  
1. Case No. 12-29 SE  
2. Case No. 12-30 SE  
8.3 RECOMMENDED REINSTATEMENTS (Encl. No. 16)  
1. Case No. 12-102 R

- 7:55 p.m. 9. **GENERAL AGENDA**  
Review / Public Hearing/ Public Input / Board Discussion /ACTION (as applicable)  
9.1 PRELIMINARY ENDANGERMENT ASSESSMENT COMMENT PERIOD AND PUBLIC HEARING (Encl. No. 17)  
9.2 EMPLOYMENT AGREEMENT: SUPERINTENDENT (Encl. No. 18)  
9.3 EMPLOYMENT AGREEMENTS: ASSISTANT SUPERINTENDENT, HUMAN RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT AND ASSISTANT SUPERINTENDENT, ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES (Encl. No. 19)

8:25 p.m. 10. **ADJOURNMENT**

**NEXT MEETING**

The next regularly scheduled Board Meeting will be May 22, 2012 with Open Session – Public Comment 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).