

**Visalia Unified School District  
Board of Education**

**AGENDA**

May 14, 2013

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 ESTABLISH QUORUM
    - 1.3 IDENTIFY CLOSED SESSION TOPICS OF DISCUSSION (Please refer to the list of items identified in Agenda Section 2, below.)
    - 1.4 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.
    - 1.5 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 PUBLIC EMPLOYEE ASSIGNMENT/REASSIGNMENT/ APPOINTMENT (Government Code Section 54957)
      - Assistant Superintendent
      - Principal

- 2.4 PUBLIC EMPLOYEE DISCIPLINE/DISMISSAL/RELEASE (Government Code Section 54957)
- 2.5 CONFERENCE WITH LABOR NEGOTIATOR (Government Code Section 54957.6)
  - 1. Agency Negotiator: Cindi Costa
  - 2. Employee Organizations
    - 1. CSEA
    - 2. VUTA
    - 3. Management
- 2.6 CONFERENCE WITH REAL PROPERTY NEGOTIATORS
 

Property: East side of Marcin Ct., North of Hurley Avenue two parcels consisting of 8.73 acres  
APN #085-540-019 and 085-570-008

Agency negotiator: Robert Gröeber  
Negotiating party: Teymour Farhang, Prudential California Realty  
Under negotiation: Potential Purchase
- 2.7 CONFERENCE WITH REAL PROPERTY NEGOTIATORS
 

Property: 1.25 acres site located at Atwood and Walnut  
APN #119-650-026

Agency negotiator: Robert Gröeber  
Negotiating parties: City of Visalia  
Under negotiation: Potential Sale

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 8, 2013 through April 19, 2013 (Encl. No. 1)
    - 2. 2012-13 Budget Revision No. 15 (Encl. No. 2)
    - 3. Resolution Authorizing the Agreement for Purchase and Sale of Relocatable Buildings and Playground Equipment (Encl. No. 3)
    - 4. Approval of Contract with Kern Co. Superintendent of Schools for Public Works Compliance Monitoring Services (Encl. No. 4)
    - 5. Approval of Contract with Teter Architects for Redwood High School Measure E Modernization Projects (Encl. No. 5)
    - 6. Approval of Lease Lease Back Contract with Seals Biehle Construction for VTEC Modernization (Encl. No. 6)

- 4.2 HUMAN RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT
  - 1. Classified Personnel Report (Encl. No. 7)
  - 2. Certificated Personnel Report (Encl. No. 8)
  - 3. Consultant Contracts (Encl. No. 9)
- 4.3 INSTRUCTIONAL SERVICES
  - 1. Student Field Trip Requests (Encl. No. 10)
  - 2. Student Field Trip Requests – High School Summer League Tournaments (Encl. No. 11)
  - 3. 2013-2014 Designation of California Interscholastic Federation (CIF) Representatives to Leagues (Encl. No. 12)
  - 4. Memorandum of Understanding Between K to College and Visalia Unified School District (VUSD) (Encl. No. 13)
  - 5. Memorandum of Understanding – ValleyPBS/First 5 Tulare County (Goshen Elementary School) (Encl. No. 14)

7:10 p.m.

- 5. **PUBLIC RECOGNITION/PROCLAMATIONS/ACTION**
  - 5.1 COMMUNITY PARTNERS RECOGNITION: WOODLAKE UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT AND VISALIA POLICE DEPARTMENT (Encl. No. 15)
  - 5.2 TULARE COUNTY OFFICE OF EDUCATION “TORCH” AND “SUSTAINING THE FLAME” AWARDS (Encl. No. 16)

7:25 p.m.

- 6. **PUBLIC COMMENT / PUBLIC INTEREST ANNOUNCEMENTS / STATUS REPORTS / ACTION** (as applicable)
  - 6.1 2013-14 GOVERNOR’S BUDGET PROPOSAL – MAY REVISION (Encl. No. 17)

7:35 p.m.

- 7. **FOCUS ON STUDENT LEARNING**  
**Presentation/Public Hearing/Public Comment/Board Discussion/ACTION (if applicable)**
  - 7.1 GREEN ACRES MIDDLE SCHOOL EXTENSION PROJECT UPDATE (Encl. No. 18)
  - 7.2 UPDATE ON SUPPORT OF HIGH ACHIEVING STUDENTS (Encl. No. 19)
  - 7.3 UPDATE ON THE CALIFORNIA OFFICE TO REFORM EDUCATION (CORE) DISTRICT-CONSORTIUM REQUEST FOR A FEDERAL NCLB WAIVER (Encl. No. 20)
  - 7.4 SAFE STUDENTS INTERVENTION PROGRAM UPDATE (SSIP) (Encl. No. 21)
  - 7.5 SUMMER PROGRAM CALENDAR (Encl. No. 22)

8:25 p.m.

- 8. **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**

8:35 p.m.

9. **ADMINISTRATIVE PANEL RECOMMENDATIONS / ACTION**

9.1 RECOMMENDED EXPULSIONS (Encl. No. 23)

1. Case No. 13-89 E
2. Case No. 13-90 E
3. Case No. 13-91 E
4. Case No. 13-92 E
5. Case No. 13-93 E
6. Case No. 13-94 E
7. Case No. 13-95 E
8. Case No. 13-96 E
9. Case No. 13-97 E

9.2 RECOMMENDED SUSPENDED EXPULSIONS (Encl. No. 24)

1. Case No. 13-24 SE
2. Case No. 13-25 SE
3. Case No. 13-26 SE
4. Case No. 13-27 SE

8:40 p.m.

10. **GENERAL AGENDA**

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

- 10.1 ADDENDUM TO THE 2012-2015 COLLECTIVE BARGAINING AGREEMENT BETWEEN VUSD AND CALIFORNIA SCHOOL EMPLOYEES ASSOCIATION, CHAPTER 83 (CSEA) (Encl. No. 25)
- 10.2 MEASURE E GENERAL OBLIGATION BOND ISSUANCE SUMMARY (Encl. No. 26)
- 10.3 RESOLUTION APPROVING THE PURCHASE OF REAL PROPERTY AND ADOPTION OF A CATEGORICAL EXEMPTION FROM CEQA (Encl. No. 27)
- 10.4 PUBLIC HEARING – PRELIMINARY ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESMENT VTEC (Encl. No. 28)

9:10 p.m.

11. **ADJOURNMENT**

**NEXT MEETING**

The next regularly scheduled Board Meeting will be May 28, 2013, 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).