

WILLOWS UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

Regular Meeting – April 2, 2026

Regular Session 7:00 p.m.

Willows City Council Chambers

201 N. Lassen Street, Willows, CA 95988

AGENDA

1. OPEN SESSION – CALL TO ORDER

- 1.1 Roll Call
- 1.2 Welcome to Visitors
- 1.3 Flag Salute

2. AGENDA/MINUTES

- 2.1 Approve the Agenda for April 2, 2026.
- 2.2 Approve the Minutes of the Regular Meeting of March 5, 2026.

3. PUBLIC COMMENTS

4. REPORTS

- 4.1 Associated Student Body President
- 4.2 Employee Associations (WUTA & CSEA)
- 4.3 Principals
- 4.4 Director of Food Services
- 4.5 Director of Business Services
- 4.6 Director of Community Schools
- 4.7 Director of Curriculum, Instruction & Assessment
- 4.8 Superintendent
- 4.9 Board of Education Members

5. CONSENT CALENDAR

A. GENERAL

- 1. Accept donation from St. Monica's YLA for \$250.00 for the hygiene closet at MES.
- 2. Accept donation from Knights of Columbus for \$500.00 for the hygiene closet at MES.
- 3. Accept donation from Safety Tire Service for \$250.00 for the WHS Baseball Program.
- 4. Accept donation from Central Valley Gas Storage LLC for \$750.00 for the WHS Baseball Program.
- 5. Accept donation from Willows Alumni Association for \$1,000.00 for the WHS Softball Program.

B. EDUCATIONAL SERVICES

- 1. Approve Interdistrict Request for Student #25-26-65 through #25-26-67 to attend school in the Willows Unified School District for the 2025/26 school year.
- 2. Approve Interdistrict Requests for Students #25-26-57 through #25-26-65 to attend school in another district for the 2025/26 school year.
- 3. Approve Interdistrict Request for Students #26-27-11 through #26-27-19 to attend school in the Willows Unified School District for the 2026/27 school year.
- 4. Approve Interdistrict Requests for Students #26-27-11 through #26-27-13 to attend school in another district for the 2026/27 school year.

C. HUMAN RESOURCES

- 1. Accept resignation of Julia Medina-Nava, After School Program Activity Assistant, effective 3/20/26.
- 2. Approve employment of Walter Sanchez, Custodian - Site at MES, effective 3/13/26.
- 3. Approve the following 2025/26 Coaches:
 - Baseball Varsity Head Mike Rakestraw

Baseball JV Head	James Holvik
Softball Varsity Head	Samantha Parisio
Softball Volunteer	Samantha Paiz
Track Boys Head Coach	Mike Biggs
Track Girls Head Coach	Rachel LaGrande
Track Volunteer	Robert Rawles
Track Volunteer	Jakob Munguia
Track Volunteer	Baduel Ramirez
Track Volunteer	Joseph Schykerynec
Track Volunteer	Stacey Weston
Track Volunteer	Juan Puente
Golf Head Coach	Emily McDonald
Golf Volunteer	Mariah Baker

4. Approve the following 2026/27 Coaches:

Football Varsity Assistant	Joseph Schykerynec
Football JV Head	Jeremy Bill
Football JV Assistant	Michael Ramirez

5. Approve the employment of the following employees for the ELOP Intersession Camp that runs from 4/9/26 - 4/10/26:

Camp Cook	Sarah Hill
Camp Food Service Assistant	Jamie Hashman
Camp Engagement Staff	Abigail Grill, Gene Smith, Gloria Barragon, Jazmyn Hernandez, Isabel Robles, Jodie Rose, Jayden Coleman

6. Approve the employment of the following Expect Success Summer Camp positions that runs from 6/8/26 – 7/10/26:

Teachers	Haley Thomas, Lucero Malagon, Patricia Chavez, Carissa Thuemler, Yesenia Diaz, Patricia Feeny, Elizabeth Hansen, Jennifer Porter, Tiffanie Hoffhenke
Coordinator	Gene Smith
Clerical	Leeci Camarena
Wellness Coach	Daniel Macias
Aides	Marissa Medina, Tanya Medina-Mercado, Rosa Esparza
Counselors	Abigail Grill, Jayden Coleman, Karlee Lavalle, Erin Pflum Pasero, Brenda Valenzuela, Jodie Rose, Isabel Robles, Karissa Lutz, Jazmyn Hernandez

7. Approve employment of the revised extra duty assignments at WHS for the 2025/26 school year.

8. Approve the Classified Substitute List.

D. BUSINESS SERVICES

1. Approve warrants from 3/2/26 through 3/30/26.

6. DISCUSSION/ACTION CALENDAR

A. GENERAL

1. **(Information)** First Reading of the following additions/deletions/changes to Board Policies per CSBA’s Policy Guide Sheet Recommendations:

BP 0450	Comprehensive Safety Plan
BP 1340	Access to District Records
BP 5125	Student Records
BP 5125.1	Release of Directory Information

2. **(Action)** Second Reading of the following additions/deletions/changes to Board Policies per CSBA’s Policy Guide Sheet Recommendations:

BP 0420.4	Charter School Authorization
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3. **(Information)** Williams Uniform Complaints Quarterly Report. (There were no complaints.)

4. **(Action)** Accept selection committee’s recommendations for the 2026 Glenn County Educator’s Hall of Fame Award recipients.

5. **(Action)** Approve John Calonico and Chris Harris as California Interscholastic Federation (CIF) League Representatives for the 2026/27 school year.

B. EDUCATIONAL SERVICES

C. HUMAN RESOURCES

1. **Public Hearing:** In accordance with Government Code §3547, a Public Hearing will be held at this time to allow for public input regarding the Initial Proposal from the Willows Unified Teachers Association (WUTA) to the Willows Unified School District (WUSD).
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3. **(Action)** Approve the Form for Public Disclosure of Proposed Agreement in accordance with the requirements of AB-1200 and Government Code §3547.5 between the Willows Unified School District (WUSD) and the Willows Unified Teachers Association (WUTA) Employees.
4. **(Action)** Approve the Agreement between the Willows Unified School District (WUSD) and the Willows Unified Teachers Association (WUTA) regarding salary schedules for Certificated employees (C-1, C-2, C-3, C-4 and TOSA) for the 2025/26 school year, retroactive to 7/1/25.

D. BUSINESS SERVICES

1. **(Action)** Approve Audit Report of June 30, 2025 from Christy White Certified Public Accountants.
2. **(Action)** Approve Resolution #2025-26-07 authorizing the issuance and sale of one or more series of its 2026 General Obligation Refunding Bonds in the aggregate principal amount of not to exceed \$6,500,000 and authorizing the execution of necessary documents and certificates and related actions.

7. ANNOUNCEMENTS

- 7.1 There will be a district-wide break from April 6-10, 2026.
- 7.2 WIS Spring Band Concert will be held on Wednesday, April 29, 2026 at 6:00 p.m. at the WIS Cafeteria.
- 7.3 WHS FFA Banquet will be held on Wednesday, April 22, 2026 at 6:30 p.m.
- 7.4 The following are the dates and times for Open House at the different school sites:

Wednesday, April 1, 2026 at 5:30 p.m.	Willows Intermediate School
Wednesday, April 22, 2026 at 5:00 p.m.	Willows High School
Wednesday, April 22, 2026 at 5:00 p.m.	Willows Community High School
Thursday, April 23, 2026 at 5:30 p.m.	Murdock Elementary School
- 7.5 Educators' Hall of Fame will be held on Wednesday, May 6, 2026 at 6:30 p.m. at the Glenn Success Square Conference Room (131 E. Walker Street, Orland).
- 7.6 The next Regular Board Meeting will be held on May 7, 2026, at 7:00 p.m.
- 7.7 Lamb Derby festivities will take place May 7-10, 2026.
- 7.8 Glenn County Fair will be held May 14-18, 2026.
- 7.9 WHS Spring Band Concert will be held on Wednesday, May 27, 2026 at 6:00 p.m. at the Veteran's Memorial Hall.

8. PUBLIC COMMENTS REGARDING CLOSED SESSION ITEMS

9. CLOSED SESSION

- 9.1 Pursuant to Government Code §54957.6: Conference with Labor Negotiator – Agency Negotiator: Emmett Koerperich. Employee Organizations: WUTA, CSEA, Management, and Confidential.

10. RECONVENE TO OPEN SESSION

- 10.1 Announcement of Action Taken in Closed Session.

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