

**PACIFIC GROVE UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT
BOARD OF EDUCATION
SPECIAL MEETING: Apr 23, 2026**

435 Hillcrest Ave.
Pacific Grove, CA 93950

Trustee(s) Present:

- President Jennifer McNary
- Clerk Beth Shammass
- Trustee Dr. Elliott Hazen
- Trustee Mike Wachs
- Trustee Laura Ottmar

Administration Present:

- Superintendent Dr. Linda Adamson
- Assistant Superintendent Josh Jorn

Board Recorder:

- Executive Assistant to the Superintendent Carey O'Sullivan

Student Representative(s) Present:

- Jasmine Booker
- Paige Houston
- Paige Silveira
- Sulachhya Gurung

School Site Acronyms:

DO - District Office
FGE - Forest Grove Elementary School
RHD - Robert H. Down Elementary School
PGMS - Pacific Grove Middle School
PGHS - Pacific Grove High School
PGCHS - Pacific Grove Community High School
PGAE - Pacific Grove Adult Education
PGUSD - Pacific Grove Unified School District

Next Board Meeting Date(s):

May 7, 2026 – Regular
May 21, 2026 – Regular

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I. [OPENING BUSINESS](#)

- A. Call to Order - 5:30 PM by *President McNary*
- B. Land Acknowledgement
- C. Roll Call
 - President McNary - *Present*
 - Clerk Shammass - *Present*
 - Trustee Hazen - *Present*
 - Trustee Ottmar - *Present*
 - Trustee Wachs - *Present*
- D. Adoption of Agenda
 - Public Comment: *none*
 - Board Discussion: *none*
 - Move: **Trustee Hazen** | Second: **Trustee Wachs** | Vote: 5-0
(Motion Carried)

II. [CLOSED SESSION](#)

- A. Identify Closed Session Topics:
 - a. Confidential Student Matter

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- b. Public Employee Discipline/Dismissal/Release/Leave/Complaint [Government Code § 54957]
- B. Public Comment on Closed Session Topics - *none*
- C. Adjourn to Closed Session - 5:32 PM

III. RECONVENE IN OPEN SESSION - 6:36 PM

- A. Report Action Taken in Closed Session:
 - a. Confidential Student Matter
 - i. *Information was received and direction was given.*
 - b. Public Employee Discipline/Dismissal/Release/Leave/Complaint [Government Code § 54957]
 - i. *This was discussed when the Board returned to closed session later in the evening.*
- B. Pledge of Allegiance
- C. Employee of the Year Recognition - Dr. Linda Adamson and Board of Trustees
 - a. *Dr. Adamson gave a presentation*

IV. RETURN TO CLOSED SESSION

The Board returned to closed session during the Employee of the Year reception

V. RECONVENE IN OPEN SESSION

- A. Report Action Taken in Closed Session
 - b. Public Employee Discipline/Dismissal/Release/Leave/Complaint [Government Code § 54957]
 - i. *The Board voted to approve a resignation agreement with employee #162114. The vote was unanimous.*
 - ii. *The Board voted to approve a resignation agreement with employee #162115. The vote was unanimous.*

VI. CONSENT

- A. Out of County/Overnight Activities
 - Public Comment: *none*
 - Board Discussion: *none*
 - Move: Trustee Ottmar ▾ | Second: Trustee Hazen ▾ | Vote: 5-0 (Motion Carried)

VII. ACTION/DISCUSSION

- A. Resolution No. 1195 - Authorization for California State Preschool Program Relocation and Licensing Application
 - Public Comment: *none*
 - Board Discussion: *The Board of Trustees discussed the item.*
 - Move: Trustee Wachs ▾ | Second: Trustee Hazen ▾ | Vote: 5-0 (Motion Carried)
- B. Parcel Tax Survey
 - Public Comment: *none*
 - Board Discussion: *The Board of Trustees discussed the item.*
 - Move: President McNary ▾ | Second: Trustee Shammas ▾ | Vote:5-0

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VIII. INFORMATION/DISCUSSION

A. Local Control and Accountability Plan (LCAP) Community Input Update

- Public Comment: *None*
- Board Discussion: *The Board of Trustees discussed the item.*
- Direction: *Direction given to continue with the preparation of the LCAP.*

IX. ADJOURNMENT - Meeting adjourned at 9:15 PM

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