

VALLEY HOME JOINT SCHOOL DISTRICT
REGULAR BOARD MEETING BOARD OF TRUSTEES
MINUTES

Tuesday – June 2, 2026 – 5:00pm

Bonnie Gellerman Multipurpose Room @ Pioneer Ave Campus
13231 Pioneer Ave, Valley Home, CA

I. CALL TO ORDER - 5:00 PM / Establishment of Quorum

The regular meeting of the Valley Home Joint School District Governing Board is called to order by Megan Kistler at 5:07 p.m. on Tuesday, June 2, 2026, in the Bonnie Gellerman Multipurpose Room at 13231 Pioneer Avenue, Valley Home, California.

Roll Call

Board Members Present: ___ P ___ Megan Kistler, President
 ___ P ___ Brandon Longstreth, Clerk
 ___ A ___ Michael Hofmann, Member
 ___ P ___ Chris Hempleman, Member
 ___ P ___ Leslie Hunt, Member

Administration Present: ___ P ___ Bill Slikker, Superintendent/Principal

Flag Salute: Leslie Hunt

Staff Present: Tressa Souza & Holly Benkula

Others Present:

II. APPROVAL OF AGENDA AS PUBLISHED/AMENDED

Leslie Hunt made a motion to approve the agenda, Brandon Longstreth seconded the motion.

MOTION PASSED: Ayes: 4 Nays: 0 Absent: 1 Abstain: 0

III. PUBLIC COMMENT AND COMMUNICATION

Opportunity for the public to address the Board on agenda items only. **Maximum of five (5) minutes per speaker.** The Board is not permitted to act or hear comments on any matter not on the Agenda. If appropriate, a Board member may direct the questions to the Superintendent/Principal or schedule an item for a future board agenda.

IV. STUDENT REPORT

The students may report to the Board about various activities involving the district. The Board may ask questions.

V. STAFF AND MANAGEMENT REPORTS

The Superintendent/Principal may report to the Board about various matters involving the district. The Board may ask questions or refer matters to staff.

- A. Summer ELO-P June 1st through June 26th.
- B. Teacher check outs complete.
- C. Report cards mailed out May 29th, 2026.

- D. School closed June 19, 2026 for observance of Juneteenth.
- E. Facilities update/Bus
- F. All staff returning
- G. New IT services - Tech Heroes

VI. BOARD MEMBER REPORTS

Board members may report on any matter involving the district. No action may be taken unless a matter is listed on a subsequent agenda.

VII. REGULAR AGENDA ITEMS

Consent Agenda

Notice to the Public

All matters listed under Consent Items are considered to be routine and all will be enacted by one motion and voice vote. There will be no separate discussion of these items unless the Board of Trustees requests items to be removed from the Consent Items list for separate action. Any such items will be considered after the motion to approve the items on the Consent Items list.

A.1 Approval of the Minutes from the 5/05/2026 Board Meeting.

Brandon Longstreth made a motion to approve, Chris Hempleman seconded the motion.

MOTION PASSED: Ayes: 4 Nays: 0 Absent: 1 Abstain: 0

A.2 Approval of the bills and warrants through 5/29/2026.

Brandon Longstreth made a motion to approve, Brandon Leslie Hunt seconded the motion.

MOTION PASSED: Ayes: 4 Nays: 0 Absent: 1 Abstain: 0

VIII. CLOSED SESSION

A. Conference with Agency Representatives: Government Code section 54957.6

District Representative - Megan Kistler

Unrepresentative employee - Superintendent

Brandon Longstreth made a motion move to closed session, Chris Hempleman seconded the motion.

MOTION PASSED: Ayes: 4 Nays: 0 Absent: 1 Abstain: 0

Moved to closed session at 5:20 PM

Brandon Longstreth made a motion move to open session, Leslie Hunt seconded the motion.

MOTION PASSED: Ayes: 4 Nays: 0 Absent: 1 Abstain: 0

Moved to open session at 5:28

IX. PUBLIC REPORT OF ACTION TAKEN IN CLOSED SESSION

X. FINANCE / GENERAL BUSINESS

A. Discussion Public Hearing of 2026-2027 Budget

B. Discussion Public Hearing of LCAP.

C. Discussion / Board Approval Order of Elections 2026-1A

Chris Hempleman made a motion to approve, Leslie Hunt seconded the motion.

MOTION PASSED: Ayes: 4 Nays: 0 Absent: 1 Abstain: 0

D. Ratification/Approval of Superintendent's Employment Contract

Leslie Hunt made a motion move to approve, Brandon Longstreth seconded the motion.

MOTION PASSED: Ayes: 4 Nays: 0 Absent: 1 Abstain: 0

XI. ITEMS FOR NEXT AGENDA

A. Final Adoption of 2026-2027 budget.

B. Final adoption of LCAP.

XII. ADJOURNMENT

Leslie Hunt made a motion move to adjourn Brandon Longstreth seconded the motion.

MOTION PASSED: Ayes: 4 Nays: 0 Absent: 1 Abstain: 0

Adjourned at 6:05 PM

Next Regular Meeting date and time: Tuesday, June 09, 2026, at 5:00 p.m.