



MEETING MINUTES

Mission Statement

Woodland Joint Unified School District's mission is to prepare and empower all students for a future of endless possibilities.

The meeting will be available for live stream viewing at <https://vimeo.com/wjUSD> (click on the Board Meeting date).

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Attendance

Voting Members

Laura Brubaker, Vice President
Bibiana Garcia, Clerk
Kandice Richardson Fowler, Board Member
Claudia Rodriguez-Mojica, Board Member
Rogelio Villagrana, Board Member

Absent

Noel Rodriguez, President

A. CALL TO ORDER IN OPEN SESSION - 5:00 P.M.

The Board Vice President called the meeting to order in Open Session at 5:02 p.m. in the Board Room.

B. APPROVAL OF BOARD AGENDA - ACTION

The Superintendent requested to remove item D.3. Public Employee: Discipline/Dismissal/Release, Pursuant to Government Code Section 54957 from the Consent Agenda. Motion was made to approve the agenda as modified at the meeting.

Motion made by: Rogelio Villagrana

Motion seconded by: Claudia Rodriguez-Mojica

Voting results: Unanimously approved

Yes: Laura Brubaker

Yes: Bibiana Garcia

Yes: Kandice Richardson Fowler

Yes: Claudia Rodriguez-Mojica

Yes: Rogelio Villagrana

Motion Passed

C. PUBLIC COMMENT FOR ITEMS ON CLOSED SESSION AGENDA (Please fill out the Public Participation Form): Members of the public are encouraged to attend Board meetings and to address the Board concerning any item on the Closed Session Agenda. Public comments are welcomed and encouraged in all languages. Individual speakers shall be allowed three minutes each to address the Board on Closed Session Agenda items. The Board shall limit the total time for public input on each item to 20 minutes. Board members may ask for clarification, refer concerns to staff, and/or request that an item be placed on a future agenda.

No one came forward when the Board Vice President requested comments on the Closed Session agenda items.

D. CLOSED SESSION AGENDA

The Board recessed at 5:04 p.m. and reconvened in Closed Session at 5:05 p.m. Closed Session ended at 5:25 p.m.

1. Settlement Agreement - Special Education 25/26-06

2. Conference with Labor Negotiator, Dr. Rebecca Toto: WEA, CSEA, and/or Unrepresented Employees, Pursuant to Govt. Code 54957.6

3. Public Employee: Discipline/Dismissal/Release, Pursuant to Government Code Section 54957

E. RECONVENE IN OPEN SESSION - 6:00 P.M.

The Board Vice President reconvened the meeting in Open Session at 6:00 p.m.

1. Pledge of Allegiance

The Board Vice President led the Pledge of Allegiance.

2. Land Acknowledgment Statement

Trustee Villagrana delivered the Land Acknowledgment Statement.

3. Equity Statement

Trustee Rodriguez-Mojica delivered the Equity Statement.

4. Board of Trustees' Agreements

Trustee Garcia delivered the Board of Trustees' Agreements.

5. Announcement of any action taken in Closed Session or items to be approved in Open Session that were reviewed in Closed Session

Public Comment:

Ruth deLemos shared concerns regarding Special Education at WJUSD and how that is affecting her son.

The Board took action in Closed Session to accept the Settlement Agreement for Special Education Case 25/26-06.

Motion made by: Rogelio Villagrana

Motion seconded by: Claudia Rodriguez-Mojica

Voting results: Unanimously approved

Yes: Laura Brubaker

Yes: Bibiana Garcia

Yes: Kandice Richardson Fowler

Yes: Claudia Rodriguez-Mojica

Yes: Rogelio Villagrana

Motion Passed

F. PUBLIC COMMENT FOR SECTION G. CONSENT AGENDA

There were no public comments for section G. Consent Agenda.

G. CONSENT AGENDA

Motion was made to approve the Consent Agenda.

Motion made by: Bibiana Garcia

Motion seconded by: Claudia Rodriguez-Mojica

Voting results: Unanimously approved

Yes: Laura Brubaker

Yes: Bibiana Garcia

Yes: Kandice Richardson Fowler

Yes: Claudia Rodriguez-Mojica

Yes: Rogelio Villagrana

Motion Passed

1. Business Services

a. Approve Purchases of Items/Services in Excess of \$15,000: List 2-27

2. Human Resources

a. Approve Certificated Personnel Report, 27-2

b. Approve Classified Personnel Report, 27-2

3. Board Meeting Minutes:

a. Approve July 23, 2026 - Regular Board Meeting

H. PUBLIC COMMENT FOR ITEMS ON THE AGENDA (Please fill out the Public Participation Form): Members of the public are encouraged to attend Board meetings and to address the Board concerning any item on the agenda. Public comments are welcomed and encouraged in all languages. Individual speakers shall be allowed three minutes each to address the Board on agenda items. The Board shall limit the total time for public input on each item to 20 minutes. Board members may ask for clarification, refer concerns to staff, and/or request that an item be placed on a future agenda.

There were no public comments for items on the agenda.

I. REPORTS

1. Superintendent's Report - Remote Presentation

Superintendent Elodia Ortega-Lampkin shared district updates.

2. Report from California School Employees Association (CSEA)

There was no report from CSEA.

3. Report from Woodland Education Association (WEA)

WEA Vice President Kyle Pease shared information regarding WEA activities.

4. Report from Board Members

Trustee Brubaker shared a Board report.

5. Information: Board Committee Updates

There were no Board committee updates.

J. FACILITIES AND FINANCE

1. Information/Action: Update of Boundary Study

Motion was made to approve the three proposed map options made by King Consulting's Director of Demographics, Rob Murrar.

Motion made by: Rogelio Villagrana

Motion seconded by: Kandice Richardson Fowler

Voting results: Unanimously approved

Yes: Laura Brubaker

Yes: Bibiana Garcia

Yes: Kandice Richardson Fowler

Yes: Claudia Rodriguez-Mojica

Yes: Rogelio Villagrana

Motion Passed

Motion was made to provide boundary information sessions at each secondary school in English and Spanish and include one virtual option at minimum.

Motion made by: Rogelio Villagrana

Motion seconded by: Claudia Rodriguez-Mojica

Voting results: Unanimously approved

Yes: Laura Brubaker

Yes: Bibiana Garcia

Yes: Kandice Richardson Fowler

Yes: Claudia Rodriguez-Mojica

Yes: Rogelio Villagrana

Motion Passed

The Board recessed the meeting at 7:35 p.m. and resumed the meeting at 7:40 p.m.

K. HUMAN RESOURCES

1. Information: Discussion of Grow Your Own Program

Public Comment:

Belinda Tomaszewski shared support for the Grow your Own Program and her desire to advance within WJUSD.

The information item "Discussion of Grow Your Own Program" was presented by Associate Superintendent of Human Resources, Rebecca Toto.

2. Information/Action: Job Description for Program Manager of Special Programs & Family Support

The item "Job Description for Program Manager of Special Programs & Family Support" was presented by Associate Superintendent of Human Resources, Rebecca Toto.

L. TEACHING AND LEARNING

1. Information: School Resource Officer (SRO) Quarterly Report (Written Report)

The information item "School Resource Officer (SRO) Quarterly Report" was presented as a written report.

2. Information: Annual Summer School Report (Written Report)

The information item "Annual Summer School Report" was presented as a written report.

M. PUBLIC COMMENT FOR ITEMS NOT ON THE AGENDA (Please fill out the Public Participation Form): Members of the public are encouraged to attend Board meetings and to address the Board concerning any item not on the agenda within the Board's jurisdiction. Public comments are welcomed and encouraged in all languages. Individual speakers shall be allowed three minutes each to address the Board on non-agenda items. The Board shall limit the total time for public input on each item to 20 minutes. This is a comment period only, and the law does not allow the Board of Trustees to take action on any item not explicitly posted on the agenda in advance. However, Board members may ask for clarification, refer concerns to staff, and/or request that an item be placed on a future agenda.

There were no public comments for items not on the agenda.

N. INFORMATION: REQUESTS FOR FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS (requires request form completed)

O. INFORMATION: CLOSING COMMENTS

P. DATE AND TIME OF NEXT SCHEDULED REGULAR BOARD MEETING: Thursday, August 20, 2026 - Closed Session at 5:00 p.m. and Open Session at 6:00 p.m.

Q. ADJOURNMENT

The Board Vice President adjourned the meeting at 8:32 p.m.

Board President

Board Clerk