

LOS MOLINOS UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT
REGULAR BOARD OF EDUCATION
MEETING MINUTES
June 18, 2026 6:00PM
LMUSD, LMHS

Voting Members

Barbara Morgan, President
Melissa Peters, Vice President (exited at 6:39am)
Sue Knox, Clerk
Roger Mesecher, Trustee
Krista Andersen, Trustee
Lidia Mekhail, Trustee (Absent)
Chuck Crossland, Trustee (Absent)

Non-Voting Members

Pat Atkins, Interim Superintendent

A. CALL TO ORDER/ROLL CALL

The meeting was called to order at 6:00pm.

B. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Barbara Morgan, Board Member President led the Pledge of Allegiance.

C. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Moved by Melissa Peters and seconded by Krista Andersen. Motion carried 5-0. Morgan aye, Peters aye, Knox aye, Mesecher aye, Andersen aye. Mekhail absent. Crossland absent.

D. LMTA AND CSEA UPDATES

None.

E. PUBLIC COMMENTS

Sue Knox addressed the board regarding county water fees that may impact the Vina Elementary School. Jared Caylor, Tehama County Superintendent of Schools expressed support for the District and highlighted the County Office's role in operating specialized programs, engaging families, and supporting strategic planning. The Superintendent also emphasized a focus on student achievement through the use of data and instructional monitoring to support schools.

F. APPROVAL OF MINUTES FOR MAY 21, 206 REGULAR BOARD MEETING

Moved by Melissa Peters and seconded by Krista Andersen. Motion carried 5-0. Morgan aye, Peters aye, Knox aye, Mesecher aye, Andersen aye. Mekhail absent. Crossland absent.

G. VISITORS

Roger Mesecher requested the rotation of schools, student clubs, athletic programs, and other student groups be featured on a rotating monthly basis during the Visitors section of Board meetings to provide opportunities to highlight student activities, programs, and accomplishments across the District.

H. INFORMATION/CORRESPONDENCE

1. Recognition of Achievement: Softball and Baseball Student-Athletes and Coaches
2. Donations:
 - Law office of Odeh E. Hijazeen
 - Becky Busta Gorbet
3. Monthly Interdistrict Report
4. Enrollment Report
5. Local Performance Indicator Self-Reflection

I. SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT- (INFORMATION)

Mr. Mojsich requested a Board Policy Committee to be established and reflected on the 25-26 school year and expressed appreciation for a successful first year with LMUSD, highlighting the positive experiences, accomplishments, and relationships developed throughout the year.

J. CBO'S REPORT

Ms. Landingham gave the board an update on the TK/K Grant.

K. ACTION ITEMS

1. Approval of Resolution 6/18/26A, Resolution Ordering Election, Requesting County Elections to Conduct the Election, Requesting Consolidation of Election, and Specifications of Election Order
Moved by Roger Mesecher and seconded by Sue Knox. Motion carried 5-0. Morgan aye, Peters aye, Knox aye, Mesecher aye, Andersen aye. Mekhail absent. Crossland absent.
2. Approval of Resolution 6/18/26B, Resolution of the Board of Education of the Los Molinos Unified School District ordering a School Bond Election on November 3, 2026
Moved by Melissa Peters and seconded by Krista Andersen. Motion carried 5-0. Morgan aye, Peters aye, Knox aye, Mesecher aye, Andersen aye. Mekhail absent. Crossland absent.
3. Approval of Isom Advisors Consulting Services Agreement
Moved by Krista Andersen and seconded by Roger Mesecher. Motion carried 4-0. Morgan aye, Knox aye, Mesecher aye, Andersen aye. Mekhail absent. Crossland absent. Peters Absent.
4. Approval of Tehama County SELPA Local Plan
Moved by Roger Mesecher and seconded by Sue Knox. Motion carried 4-0. Morgan aye, Knox aye, Mesecher aye, Andersen aye. Mekhail absent. Crossland absent. Peters Absent.
5. Approval of 2nd Reading of Facilities Master Plan
Moved by Roger Mesecher and seconded by Krista Andersen. Motion carried 4-0. Morgan aye, Knox aye, Mesecher aye, Andersen aye. Mekhail absent. Crossland absent. Peters Absent.
6. Approval of LCAP 2026-2027 - Including Budget Overview for Parents
Moved by Krista Andersen and seconded by Sue Knox. Motion carried 4-0. Morgan aye, Knox aye, Mesecher aye, Andersen aye. Mekhail absent. Crossland absent. Peters Absent.
7. Adopt Budget for 2026-2027
Moved by Krista Andersen and seconded by Roger Mesecher. Motion carried 4-0. Morgan aye, Knox aye, Mesecher aye, Andersen aye. Mekhail absent. Crossland absent. Peters Absent.
8. Approval of Education Protection Account
Moved by Roger Mesecher and seconded by Sue Knox. Motion carried 4-0. Morgan aye, Knox aye, Mesecher aye, Andersen aye. Mekhail absent. Crossland absent. Peters Absent.
9. Approval of Application for Categorical Funding/Consolidated Application
Moved by Roger Mesecher and seconded by Sue Knox. Motion carried 4-0. Morgan aye, Knox aye, Mesecher aye, Andersen aye. Mekhail absent. Crossland absent. Peters Absent.
10. Declaration of Need - Approve list of Teachers to teach outside of their major or minor – BP 4113
Moved by Roger Mesecher and seconded by Krista Andersen. Motion carried 4-0. Morgan aye, Knox aye, Mesecher aye, Andersen aye. Mekhail absent. Crossland absent. Peters Absent.
11. Approval of Staff Assignments for 2026-2027
Moved by Roger Mesecher and seconded by Sue Knox. Motion carried 4-0. Morgan aye, Knox aye, Mesecher aye, Andersen aye. Mekhail absent. Crossland absent. Peters Absent.
12. Approval of Representatives to CIF
Moved by Krista Andersen and seconded by Sue Knox. Motion carried 4-0. Morgan aye, Knox aye, Mesecher aye, Andersen aye. Mekhail absent. Crossland absent. Peters Absent.
13. Approval of Fall Athletic Coaches
Moved by Krista Andersen and seconded by Roger Mesecher. Motion carried 4-0. Morgan aye, Knox aye, Mesecher aye, Andersen aye. Mekhail absent. Crossland absent. Peters Absent.
14. Approval of Tehama County Department of Education MOU-Math Coaching Teams
Moved by Sue Knox and seconded by Krista Andersen. Motion carried 4-0. Morgan aye, Knox aye, Mesecher aye, Andersen aye. Mekhail absent. Crossland absent. Peters Absent.
15. Approval of Tehama County Department of Education MOU-Tehama Civic Summit
Moved by Sue Knox and seconded by Krista Andersen. Motion carried 4-0. Morgan aye, Knox aye, Mesecher aye, Andersen aye. Mekhail absent. Crossland absent. Peters Absent.
16. Proposition 28: Arts and Music in Schools Funding Annual Report
Moved by Krista Andersen and seconded by Roger Mesecher. Motion carried 4-0. Morgan aye, Knox aye, Mesecher aye, Andersen aye. Mekhail absent. Crossland absent. Peters Absent.

17. Approval of FFA National Convention Field Trip, Indianapolis, IN
Moved by Sue Knox and seconded by Krista Andersen. Motion carried 4-0. Morgan aye, Knox aye, Mesecher aye, Andersen aye. Mekhail absent. Crossland absent. Peters Absent.
18. Approval of FFA Change Makers Summit Field Trip, Fresno, CA
Moved by Sue Knox and seconded by Krista Andersen. Motion carried 4-0. Morgan aye, Knox aye, Mesecher aye, Andersen aye. Mekhail absent. Crossland absent. Peters Absent.
19. Approval of Becky Busta Gorbet Donation - Dragon Graphics Proposal
Moved by Krista Andersen and seconded by Sue Knox. Motion carried 4-0. Morgan aye, Knox aye, Mesecher aye, Andersen aye. Mekhail absent. Crossland absent. Peters Absent.
20. Approval of Proposal for Installation of Pedestrian Security Gates at Vina Elementary
Moved by Krista Andersen and seconded by Roger Mesecher. Motion carried 4-0. Morgan aye, Knox aye, Mesecher aye, Andersen aye. Mekhail absent. Crossland absent. Peters Absent.
21. Approval of Proposal for Los Molinos Elementary School Front Door Video Intercom & Access Control System
Moved by Sue Knox and seconded by Krista Andersen. Motion carried 4-0. Morgan aye, Knox aye, Mesecher aye, Andersen aye. Mekhail absent. Crossland absent. Peters Absent.
22. Approval of Agreement with 5 Peaks Youth Solutions for Student Wellness & Mental Health Support Services for the 2026-2027 School Year
Moved by Sue Knox and seconded by Krista Andersen. Motion carried 4-0. Morgan aye, Knox aye, Mesecher aye, Andersen aye. Mekhail absent. Crossland absent. Peters Absent.
23. Approval of Professional Services for 26-28: DWK
Moved by Roger Mesecher and seconded by Krista Andersen. Motion carried 4-0. Morgan aye, Knox aye, Mesecher aye, Andersen aye. Mekhail absent. Crossland absent. Peters Absent.
24. Approval of BYU Idaho Internship Agreement
Moved by Krista Andersen and seconded by Sue Knox. Motion carried 4-0. Morgan aye, Knox aye, Mesecher aye, Andersen aye. Mekhail absent. Crossland absent. Peters Absent.
25. Approval of SPSA:
LMHS, LMES, VES
Moved by Sue Knox and seconded by Krista Andersen. Motion carried 4-0. Morgan aye, Knox aye, Mesecher aye, Andersen aye. Mekhail absent. Crossland absent. Peters Absent.
26. Accept Resignation Letter from:
Catherine Fantone
Moved by Krista Andersen and seconded Sue Knox. Motion carried 4-0. Morgan aye, Knox aye, Mesecher aye, Andersen aye. Mekhail absent. Crossland absent. Peters Absent.
27. Approval of Professional Services for 26-27: Lozano Smith
Moved by Roger Mesecher and seconded by Sue Knox. Motion carried 4-0. Morgan aye, Knox aye, Mesecher aye, Andersen aye. Mekhail absent. Crossland absent. Peters Absent.

L. PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

LMHS, Megan Weiss reported on academics, instructional highlights, athletics, school culture, and upcoming activities. LMES, Kristina Zarate reported on school highlights and achievements, instruction and student learning, positive behavior and school culture.

Vina, Kendi Merlo reported strong year-end progress, highlighted by significant early literacy growth, full participation in required state testing, and plans to expand reading interventions and enrichment while piloting two math curriculum options next year. Preparations for the new school year also include classroom moves and summer facility projects, as well as welcoming a resident teacher.

M. CONSENT AGENDA

1. Approval of Student Body Accounts
 - Los Molinos High School
 - Los Molinos Elementary School
 - Vina Elementary School
2. Current Monthly Bills

Moved by Sue Knox and seconded by Krista Andersen. Motion carried 4-0. Morgan aye, Knox aye, Mesecher aye, Andersen aye. Mekhail absent. Crossland absent. Peters Absent.

N. RECESS TO CLOSED SESSION

None.

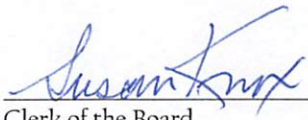
O. REPORT FROM CLOSED SESSION

None.

P. ITEMS TO BE INLCUED ON AUGUST 20, 2026 AGENDA

Q. ADJOURNMENT

7:30PM


Clerk of the Board


Date