



MEETING MINUTES

Mission Statement

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



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Attendance

Voting Members

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

A. CALL TO ORDER IN OPEN SESSION - 5:30 P.M.

The Board President called the meeting to order in Open Session at 5:33 p.m. in the Board Room.

The Board President led the Pledge of Allegiance.

Trustee Brubaker delivered the Land Acknowledgment Statement.

The Board President delivered the Equity Statement.

Trustee Rodriguez-Mojica delivered the Board of Trustees' Agreements.

B. APPROVAL OF BOARD AGENDA - ACTION

The Superintendent pulled items D.1.b. Approve Resolution 26-26 Authorizing Filing of Application(s) for State Allocation Board-Administered Programs, and K.5. Action: Approve Award of Contract for Category 2 E-Rate Funding, and moved sections K. Facilities and Finance and L. Human Resources after section D. Consent Agenda. Motion was made to approve the agenda as modified at the meeting.

Motion made by: Laura Brubaker

Motion seconded by: Bibiana Garcia

Voting:

Noel Rodriguez - Yes

Laura Brubaker - Yes

Bibiana Garcia - Yes

Kandice Richardson Fowler - Abstain

Claudia Rodriguez-Mojica - Yes

Rogelio Villagrana - Yes

Motion Passed

C. PUBLIC COMMENT FOR SECTIONS D. CONSENT AGENDA, E. COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT, AND F. GOVERNANCE SUPPORT

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

D. CONSENT AGENDA

Motion was made to approve the Consent Agenda excluding item D.1.b Approve Resolution 26-26 Authorizing Filing of Application(s) for State Allocation Board-Administered Programs.

Motion made by: Laura Brubaker

Motion seconded by: Claudia Rodriguez-Mojica

Voting:

Noel Rodriguez - Yes

Laura Brubaker - Yes

Bibiana Garcia - Yes

Kandice Richardson Fowler - Yes

Claudia Rodriguez-Mojica - Yes

Rogelio Villagrana - Yes

Motion Passesd

1. Business Services

a. Approve Purchases of Items/Services in Excess of \$15,000: List 13-26

b. Approve Resolution 26-26 Authorizing Filing of Application(s) for State Allocation Board-

Administered Programs

This item was pulled.

c. Approve Gifts to the District

2. Human Resources

a. Approve Certificated Personnel Report, 26-14

b. Approve Classified Personnel Report, 26-14

3. Board Meeting Minutes:

a. Approve January 15, 2026 - Regular Board Meeting

b. Approve January 22, 2026 - Regular Board Meeting

4. Resolutions

a. Approve Resolution 27-26: Black History Month – February 2026

b. Approve Resolution 28-26: Career Technical Education (CTE) Month - February 2026

E. COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

1. Presentation: Resolution 27-26: Black History Month – February 2026

Trustee Noel Rodriguez presented Resolution 27-26: Black History Month – February 2026 to community member Magalean Martin.

2. Presentation: Resolution 28-26: Career Technical Education (CTE) Month - February 2026

Trustee Laura Brubaker presented Resolution 28-26: Career Technical Education (CTE) Month - February 2026, to Manolo Jauregui Ravelero and Pascual Marquez, Industrial Arts Teachers at Woodland High School.

3. Recognition: Gift to the District

The Board President read the list of donors and thanked them for their generosity.

F. GOVERNANCE SUPPORT

1. Information/Action: Review Process and Timeline to Fill Board Vacancy for Trustee Area 1

Public Comment:

Becca Bernard and Jake Whitaker shared concerns about the decisions to not appoint a new Board member, and leaving a Board seat vacant and unrepresented for a long amount of time.

Motion was made to direct the Superintendent to work with legal counsel to identify the proper date to agendaize ordering an election.

Motion made by: Rogelio Villagrana

Motion seconded by: Claudia Rodriguez-Mojica

Voting:

Noel Rodriguez - Yes

Laura Brubaker - No

Bibiana Garcia - Yes

Kandice Richardson Fowler - No

Claudia Rodriguez-Mojica - Yes

Rogelio Villagrana - Yes

Motion Passed

G. STUDENT REPORTS

1. Report from High School Student Representatives

Cache Creek High School Student Representative Dominic Marquez shared information about Cache Creek HS events.

Pioneer High School Student Representative Nicole Pimental shared information about Pioneer HS events.

Woodland High School Student Representative Kylee Dewberry shared information about Woodland HS events.

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

Superintendent Elodia Ortega-Lampkin shared district updates.

2. Report from California School Employees Association (CSEA)

CSEA President Rebecca Rossiter shared information regarding CSEA activities.

3. Report from Woodland Education Association (WEA)

WEA President Becca Bernard shared information regarding WEA activities.

4. Report from Board Members

Trustees Villagrana, Rodriguez-Mojica, Richardson Fowler, Garcia, and Brubaker shared a Board report and Trustee Rodriguez shared comments.

Trustee Rodriguez asked for support from the Board to request the Superintendent to provide a summary as a Friday Fact with lessons learned from the “Ice Out” student walk out. This request was supported by Trustees Rodriguez-Mojica, Richardson Fowler, Garcia, and Brubaker.

5. Information: Board Committee Updates

Trustee Rodriguez-Mojica shared Safety Committee updates. Trustee Villagrana attended a recent Yolo County School Board Association meeting and shared updates.

J. TEACHING AND LEARNING

1. Information/Action: 2025-2026 Comprehensive School Safety Plans for Elementary and Secondary School Sites

Motion was made to approve the 2025-2026 Comprehensive School Safety Plans for Elementary and Secondary School Sites.

Motion made by: Kandice Richardson Fowler

Motion seconded by: Claudia Rodriguez-Mojica

Voting:

Noel Rodriguez - Yes

Laura Brubaker - Yes

Bibiana Garcia - Yes

Kandice Richardson Fowler - Yes

Claudia Rodriguez-Mojica - Yes

Rogelio Villagrana - Abstain

Motion Passed

2. Information: Review California School Dashboard Data

The Board recessed the meeting at 8:04 p.m. and resumed the meeting at 8:10 p.m.

The information item “Review California School Dashboard Data” was presented by Executive Director of Teaching and Learning, Christina Lambie.

3. Information: Update on Local Control and Accountability Plan (LCAP)

The information item “Update on Local Control and Accountability Plan (LCAP)” was presented by Director of State and Federal Programs, Danielle French.

4. Information/Action: Review Updated Board Policy and Administrative Regulation 5145.13 Response to Immigration Enforcement

Public Comment:

Debbie Decker, Lucy Figueroa, Victoria Fernandez, Nayeli Salcido, Elvira Raya, and Alexa Esparza shared support for the “Ice Out” student walk out.

Motion was made to approve the Updated Board Policy and Administrative Regulation 5145.13 Response to Immigration Enforcement.

Motion made by: Rogelio Villagrana

Motion seconded by: Bibiana Garcia

Voting:

Noel Rodriguez - Yes

Laura Brubaker - Yes

Bibiana Garcia - Yes

Kandice Richardson Fowler - Yes

Claudia Rodriguez-Mojica - Yes

Rogelio Villagrana - Yes

Motion Passed

5. Information/Action: Review Updated Board Policy and Administrative Regulation 5144.1 Suspension and Expulsion/Due Process

Motion was made to approve the updated Board Policy and Administrative Regulation 5144.1 Suspension and Expulsion/Due Process.

Motion made by: Kandice Richardson Fowler

Motion seconded by: Bibiana Garcia

Voting:

Noel Rodriguez - Yes

Laura Brubaker - Yes

Bibiana Garcia - Yes

Kandice Richardson Fowler - Yes

Claudia Rodriguez-Mojica - Yes

Rogelio Villagrana - No

Motion Passed

K. FACILITIES AND FINANCE

1. Action: Approve AB1200 Disclosure of Cost Agreements with Woodland Education Association (WEA)

Motion was made to approve AB1200 Disclosure of Cost Agreements with Woodland Education Association (WEA).

Motion made by: Bibiana Garcia

Motion seconded by: Kandice Richardson Fowler

Voting:

Noel Rodriguez - Yes

Laura Brubaker - Yes

Bibiana Garcia - Yes

Kandice Richardson Fowler - Yes

Claudia Rodriguez-Mojica - Yes

Rogelio Villagrana - Yes

Motion Passed

2. Information: Report 2024-25 Capital Facilities Fund (Mitigation Fees) Income and Expenditures

The information item "Report 2024-25 Capital Facilities Fund (Mitigation Fees) Income and Expenditures" was presented by Associate Superintendent of Business Services, Lewis Wiley.

3. Information: Quarterly Report of Investments for Period Ending September 30, 2025

The information item "Quarterly Report of Investments for Period Ending September 30, 2025" was presented by Associate Superintendent of Business Services, Lewis Wiley.

4. Action: Approve Resolution 29-26 Annual and Five Year Reportable Fees Report for Fiscal Year 2024-25

Motion was made to approve Resolution 29-26 Annual and Five Year Reportable Fees Report for Fiscal Year 2024-25.

Motion made by: Laura Brubaker

Motion seconded by: Kandice Richardson Fowler

Voting:

Noel Rodriguez - Yes

Laura Brubaker - Yes

Bibiana Garcia - Yes

Kandice Richardson Fowler - Yes

Claudia Rodriguez-Mojica - Abstain

Rogelio Villagrana - Abstain

Motion Passed

5. Action: Approve Award of Contract for Category 2 E-Rate Funding

This item was pulled.

6. Information: Average Daily Attendance (ADA) and Enrollment Report for the 2025-26 School Year (Written Report)

The information item "Average Daily Attendance (ADA) and Enrollment Report for the 2025-26 School Year" was presented as a written report.

L. HUMAN RESOURCES

1. Action: Public Hearing and Approve/Ratify the Tentative Agreement for the 2025-2026 Reopener Negotiations between the Woodland Education Association (WEA) and the Woodland Joint Unified School District (District)

The Board President opened the Public Hearing at 5:51 p.m. Marjory Watkins, WEA Chair thanked the teams that participated in the negotiations. The Public Hearing concluded at 5:54 p.m.

Motion was made to Approve/Ratify the Tentative Agreement for the 2025-2026 Reopener Negotiations between the Woodland Education Association (WEA) and the Woodland Joint Unified School District (District).

Motion made by: Kandice Richardson Fowler

Motion seconded by: Laura Brubaker

Voting:

Noel Rodriguez - Yes

Laura Brubaker - Yes

Bibiana Garcia - Yes

Kandice Richardson Fowler - Yes

Claudia Rodriguez-Mojica - Yes

Rogelio Villagrana - No

Motion Passed

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Londyn Moore and Blake Hawthorne shared concerns about the possibility of moving the High Schools to a 6-period schedule.

Maribel Mendoza shared concerns regarding her child's safety in the classroom due to other students' behavior.

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, February 19, 2026 - Closed Session at 5:00 p.m. and Open Session at 6:00 p.m.

Q. ADJOURNMENT

The Board President adjourned the meeting at 9:36 p.m.

Board President

Board Clerk