



Special Board of Education Meeting/Workshop | Reunión/Taller Especial de la Junta de Educación
05/06/2026 06:00 PM
Open Session Begins at/La sesión abierta comienza a las 6:00PM (Closed Session Begins at 5:00PM)
In-Person Attendance and Via Live Stream on YouTube | Asistencia en Persona y Transmisión en YouTube
Chico Unified School District, Large Conference Room, 1163 E. 7th Street, Chico, CA

MEETING MINUTES

Attendance

Voting Members

Rebecca Konkin, Board President - Trustee Area 1
Gayle Olsen, Board Vice President - Trustee Area 2
Teisha Hase, Board Clerk - Trustee Area 3
Tom Lando, Board Member - Trustee Area 4
Eileen Robinson, Board Member - Trustee Area 5

Non-Voting Members

Gregory Blake, Superintendent

1. CALL TO ORDER

At 5:00 p.m. Board President Konkin called the Special Board Meeting/Workshop to order at the Chico Unified School District, Large Conference Room, 1163 E. 7th Street, Chico and announced the Board was going into Closed Session.

A. Public Comment on Closed Session Items

There were no public comments on Closed Session items.

2. CLOSED SESSION

A. *Public Employee Performance Evaluation*

3. RECONVENE TO REGULAR SESSION

A. Call to Order

At 6:03 p.m. Board President Konkin called the meeting to order.

B. Report Action Taken in Closed Session

Board President Konkin stated the Board took action during Closed Session. The Board of Trustees of the Chico Unified School District met in Closed Session to conduct the annual performance evaluation of Superintendent, Greg Blake, using seven categories with 46 subcategories. Following this review and deliberation, a motion was made by Board Clerk Hase and seconded by Board Member Lando. The Board voted 5-0 that the Superintendent has progressed successfully during the 2025-2026 school year. (RK,GO,TH,TL,ER)

C. Flag Salute

Board President Konkin led the salute to the flag.

4. CONSENT CALENDAR

At 6:05 p.m. Board President Konkin asked if anyone would like to pull a Consent Item for further discussion. No items were pulled. Board Member Lando provided an overview of the Consent Calendar which includes two field trip requests.

A motion was made to approve the Consent Calendar.

Motion made by: Gayle Olsen
Motion seconded by: Tom Lando

Voting results: Unanimously Approved
Yes: Rebecca Konkin
Yes: Gayle Olsen
Yes: Teisha Hase
Yes: Tom Lando
Yes: Eileen Robinson

The motion passed (5-0).

A. EDUCATIONAL SERVICES

1. *The Board Approved the Field Trip Requests*

5. BOARD WORKSHOP TOPIC

A. DISCUSSION/ACTION: May Workshop Topic - Governance Workshop & Community Partners/Services Support (Discussion by Board Trustees)

At 6:06 p.m. Superintendent Greg Blake shared the workshop was an opportunity to discussion Board governance. The Board reviewed the self-evaluation and expressed interest in developing measurable Board goals for the upcoming school year. Board Vice President Olsen volunteered to work with the Superintendent over the summer to help craft three goals for Board discussion at the August 2026 Board Meeting.

At 6:54 p.m. Board President Konkin opened the floor to public comment. One speaker spoke for a total of three minutes in support of the Board developing goals, providing updates and sharing progress.

The Board unanimously agreed to review Board goals at the December or January Board Meeting with any new Board Members after the election.

The Board discussed the Brown Act and expressed interest in reviewing the process for how Board Members can add items to the Board Meeting agenda. A desire to streamline the request process was shared. A motion was made to at a future meeting, discuss the means by which a Board Member can put something on the agenda.

Motion made by: Teisha Hase
Motion seconded by: Eileen Robinson

Voting results: Unanimously Approved
Yes: Rebecca Konkin
Yes: Gayle Olsen
Yes: Teisha Hase
Yes: Tom Lando
Yes: Eileen Robinson

The motion passed (5-0).

The Board unanimously agreed to have the discussion agendized at the August 2026 Board Meeting.

Board Clerk Hase shared the Chico Unified School District negotiations teams were meeting on May 22, 2026 and May 27, 2026. A motion was made to put on the May 20 Board agenda

for the Board to have a discussion regarding directions to the Chico Unified School District Bargaining Team. At 7:48 p.m. Board President Konkin called the vote for the motion on the floor.

Motion made by: Teisha Hase

Motion seconded by: Rebecca Konkin

Voting results:

Yes: Rebecca Konkin

No: Gayle Olsen

Yes: Teisha Hase

No: Tom Lando

No: Eileen Robinson

The motion failed (2-3).

Discussion continued regarding the Board's role in the collective bargaining process, and the Board Governance Handbook language was reviewed. Board President Konkin opened the floor to public comment, and one speaker spoke for a total of three minutes regarding potential changes to the Governance Handbook language to align with the language in the Board Self-Evaluation questions.

At 7:49 p.m., Superintendent Greg Blake shared that he would work with the Board Vice President to bring Board goals to the August Board Meeting.

6. BOARD MEMBER REQUEST TO AGENDIZE ITEM

There were none.

7. ADJOURNMENT

At 7:50 p.m. Board President Konkin adjourned the meeting.

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Board Clerk

Superintendent