

CENTER JOINT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

BOARD OF TRUSTEES REGULAR MEETING District Board Room 3243 Center Court Lane, Antelope, CA 95843

Wednesday, June 17, 2026

MINUTES

OPEN SESSION - CALL TO ORDER - Trustee Ballin called the meeting to order at 5:34 p.m.

ROLL CALL - Trustees Present: Mrs. Anderson, Mr. Ballin, Mr. Bruno, Mrs. Pope, Mr. Uribe
Administrators Present: Scott Loehr, Superintendent
Mike Jordan, Director of Educational Services
Richard Putnam, Director of Facilities
Lisa Coronado, Director of Fiscal Services
Chris Borasi, Director of Human Resources & Student Services

ANNOUNCEMENT OF ITEMS TO BE DISCUSSED IN CLOSED SESSION

1. Conference with Labor Negotiator, (Chris Borasi), Re: CSEA and CUTA (G.C. §54957.6)

PUBLIC COMMENTS REGARDING ITEMS TO BE DISCUSSED IN CLOSED SESSION - none

CLOSED SESSION - 5:35 p.m.

OPEN SESSION - CALL TO ORDER - 6:00 p.m.

Trustee Ballin read the following statement:

At the direction of the Board, this meeting will be broadcast live & recorded. The broadcast and recording may capture images and sounds of those attending the meeting.

FLAG SALUTE –

The Flag Salute was led by Trustee Ballin.

ANNOUNCEMENT OF ACTION TAKEN IN CLOSED SESSION

1. Conference with Labor Negotiator, (Chris Borasi), Re: CSEA and CUTA (G.C. §54957.6)
 - No action was taken during Closed Session.

ADOPTION OF AGENDA

There was a motion to bring the adoption of the agenda to the floor.

Motion: Anderson

Second: Uribe

There were no public comments. There were no comments or questions from the Board. There was a motion to approve the adoption of the agenda as presented.

Motion: Uribe
Second: Pope

Vote: General Consent

ORGANIZATION REPORTS

1. CUTA – Joelle Freitas, President – Joelle Freitas introduced herself and noted that she had nothing to report and will see everyone at the next meeting.
2. CSEA – Amy Roenspie, President, was not available to report.

REPORTS/PRESENTATIONS

1. **Local Indicators for the California Indicators** – Mike Jordan, Director of Educational Services, noted that this information needs to be shared in the same meeting that the LCAP is approved. There was information in the Board packet for Board review.
2. **Twin Rivers Police Department Overview of Services** – Richard Putnam, Director of Facilities, introduced Chief Lugo and Officer Brito. They presented the following: Overview of Police Services, Yearly Statistics, SRO On Campus, and shared who Center's New SRO will be at the start of next school year. There were questions and comments from the Board.
3. **Facilities Report** – Richard Putnam, Director of Facilities, covered the following:
 - Center High School Modernization: The modernization project has been officially signed off by the Division of the State Architect (DSA).
 - Special Education Department Office Renovation: The maintenance team has successfully completed an office renovation in Room 11 at the District Office Annex.
 - Oak Hill Shade Structure: The shade structure project at Oak Hill has been completed.
 - Center High School Theater Lighting: The Facilities Department has installed new house lights for the stage at the CHS Theater.
 - Adult Transitional Portables: The Adult Transitional Portables are now up and running, and the parking lot is scheduled to be sealed and striped.
 - North Country Roofing Project: The roofing project at North Country has commenced. The majority of the work is scheduled to be completed by the start of the upcoming school year.
 - Kinder-Play Structure Modifications: The Grounds and Maintenance departments are collaborating to complete modifications on the Kinder-Play structures, which will allow TK-aged students to safely use the equipment.
 - Summer Project Lists: Both the Grounds and Maintenance departments are actively working through their respective summer project lists.

COMMENTS FROM THE AUDIENCE REGARDING ITEMS NOT ON THE AGENDA –

Public Comments In-Person:

- Digol JBeily, CHS football coach, after sharing his background with Center JUSD and his time with Center sports (playing & coaching), he shared his concerns with the Football Conditioning and Athletic PE classes not being scheduled for the 2026-2027 school year.
- Mateo D'Arcy, CHS football player, shared information about what the football classes mean to him and how the lack of the classes will affect them.
- Victor Brito, CHS football player, shared his concerns with the football classes not being offered.

Public Comments Online: None

There were comments from the Board.

CONSENT AGENDA

1. Approved Adoption of Minutes from May 20, 2026 Regular Meeting
2. Approved 2026-2027 Board Meeting Schedule
3. Approved Governance Calendar – Timeline at a Glance, 2026-2027
4. Approved Resolution#26/2025-26: Delegation of Contracting Powers to the Superintendent
5. Approved 2026-2027 Legal Services Agreement and Rates with Atkinson, Andelson, Loya, Ruud & Romo, Attorneys at Law
6. Approved School-Connected Organizations: Fortune Flyers PTO, PAWS PTO (North Country), Spinelli PTO
7. Approved Classified Personnel Transactions
8. Approved Certificated Personnel Transactions
9. Approved AB 1200 Public Disclosure Notification and Tentative Agreement between CSEA and CJUSD
10. Approved AB 1200 Public Disclosure Notification and Tentative Agreement between CUTA and CJUSD
11. Approved Adjusted 2025-2026 Salary Schedules for Confidential, Management, and Executive Management
12. Approved 2026-2027 Executive Management & Management Salary Schedules and Related Job Description Title Revision
13. Approved Salary Increase for Superintendent
14. Ratified Amendment to the Fiscal Year 2025-2026 Service Agreement between the Center Joint Unified School District and Sunrise Recreation and Park District
15. Approved Amendment to the Fiscal Year 2026-2027 Service Agreement between the Center Joint Unified School District and Sunrise Recreation and Park District
16. Approved Consolidated Application
17. Approved Discard of Social Science Books at Center High
18. Approved Discard of Spanish Books at Center High
19. Approved Discard of Library Books - Spinelli
20. Approved Discard of Library Books – North Country
21. Approved Change Order #01 for the Adult Transitional Portables Improvements Project between BRCO Constructors Inc and CJUSD
22. Approved Contract with Terracon Consultants, Inc. and Center Joint Unified School District for the Oak Hill Elementary School Trash Enclosure Project #26-03
23. Approved Contract with PRIDEX Construction Group, Inc. dba PCG Engineering and Center Joint Unified School District for the Oak Hill Elementary School Trash Enclosure Project #26-03
24. Approved Disposal of Items:
 - DVD Player Asset Tag #020371
 - Microphones Asset Tag #011750
 - JVC Boom Box Asset Tag #00142
 - Tripod Video Recording Stand Asset Tag #--5567 (some #s have rubbed off)
25. Approved Disposal of Item:
 - Three-drawer File Cabinet Asset Tag #001172CNUSD
26. Approved Physical Inventory Audit & Fixed Asset Reporting Proposal with Associated Valuation Services
27. Approved Resolution #23/2025-26: Authorizing Budget Transfer of Funds for the Fiscal Year 2026-2027
28. Approved Resolution #24/2025-26: Authorizing Temporary Interfund Transfers for Fiscal Year 2026-2027
29. Approved Resolution #25/2025-26: Resolution Regarding the Education Protection Account
30. Approved Financial Report – Warrants and Payroll: May 2026
31. Ratified Purchasing Report: May 2026

CONSENT AGENDA (continued)

There was a motion to bring the Consent Agenda to the floor.

Motion: Bruno
Second: Anderson

There were no public comments. There were no comments from the Board. There was a motion to approve the Consent Agenda.

Motion: Bruno
Second: Anderson

Vote: General Consent

Trustee Pope congratulated Mrs. Coronado. Mr. Loehr thanked our employees for their patience and thanked Mr. Borasi and the team for putting together the agreements. She noted that the package is good and it looks forward to the future. He also congratulated Tammy Dyer on her appointment to the Principal position at McClellan HS.

BUSINESS ITEMS

- A. APPROVED - Resolution No. 27/ 2025-26: Resolution of the Board of Trustees of Center Joint Unified School District Ordering an Election to Authorize the Issuance of Not to Exceed \$197,000,000 General Obligation Bonds, Establishing Specifications of the Election Order, and Requesting Consolidation with Other Elections Occurring On November 3, 2026**

There was a motion to bring Business Item A to the floor.

Motion: Pope
Second: Uribe

Mr. Loehr introduced this item. There were no public comments. There were no comments from the Board. There was a motion to approve Business Item A.

Motion: Bruno
Second: Uribe

Ayes: Anderson, Bruno, Ballin, Pope, Uribe
Noes: None

Mr. Loehr thanked Robin & Alex for being in attendance tonight. We look forward to more work in the future.

- B. APPROVED – Discussion and Possible Action on the Naming, and/or Process of the Naming, of the New Elementary School in Sierra Vista**

There was a motion to bring Business Item B to the floor.

Motion: Pope
Second: Anderson

Mr. Loehr introduced this item. There were no public comments. There were comments from the Board. There was a motion to name the new school Sierra Vista Elementary School.

Motion: Pope
Second: Uribe

Ayes: Anderson, Bruno, Pope, Uribe
Noes: Ballin

BUSINESS ITEMS (continued)

C. APPROVED – Adoption of the CJUSD 2026-2027 Budget

There was a motion to bring Business Item C to the floor.

Motion: Bruno

Second: Uribe

Mrs. Coronado, Director of Fiscal Services, noted that there were no changes since the last meeting. There were no public comments. There were no comments from the Board. There was a motion to approve Business Item C.

Motion: Pope

Vote: General Consent

Second: Bruno

D. APPROVED - 2026-2027 Local Control Accountability Plan

There was a motion to bring Business Item D to the floor.

Motion: Bruno

Second: Uribe

Mr. Jordan, Director of Educational Services, noted that there have been no changes since the last meeting. There were no public comments. There were no comments from the Board. There was a motion to approve Business Item D.

Motion: Bruno

Vote: General Consent

Second: Pope

E. APPROVED - 2025-2026 LCAP Federal Addendum

There was a motion to bring Business Item E to the floor.

Motion: Uribe

Second: Bruno

Mr. Jordan, Director of Educational Services, noted that this is about how the money is spent. There were no public comments. There were no comments from the Board. There was a motion to approve Business Item E.

Motion: Uribe

Vote: General Consent

Second: Pope

F. APPROVED - School Board Member Stipends

There was a motion to bring Business Item F to the floor.

Motion: Pope

Second: Anderson

BUSINESS ITEMS (continued)

Mr. Loehr noted that in December the Board asked that this be brought forward to discuss board stipends. It was then tabled to come back to the June meeting. Trustee Pope noted that both CSEA and CUTA are in agreement for the increase in the Board stipend. There were no public comments. There were comments from the Board. There was a motion to approve for the full Board stipend, as allowed by law, of \$1,200 per month.

Motion: Pope
Second: Ballin

Ayes: Anderson, Ballin, Pope
Noes: Uribe, Bruno

BOARD/SUPERINTENDENT REPORTS

Mr. Uribe

- noted that he has been on summer break from his school district. He has been attending a lot of zoom meetings and trainings.
- thanked district administration staff for being here and thanked them for everything they do.

Mrs. Pope

- noted that Kat Brooks did a fantastic job at the Riles event.
- noted that Ms. Gray at North Country did an amazing job with putting on the Aladin production.
- noted that the graduations went off perfectly.
- congratulated our graduates.
- noted that she attended the Oak Hill 6th grade promotion.
- noted that they met Tilly Shores, who was awarded the art award from the Sacramento Water District.
- noted that the District website has a video, "Opening the Doors of Opportunity". It's an amazing video.
- attended the United Auburn Indian Community Schools in Loomis. The only time the students are on a Chromebook is to do a search for information but do everything else with pen and paper.

Mr. Bruno

- was a judge for the RoboPlay competition at Rex Fortune.
- noted that he thinks it's a wonderful thing for teachers to come and speak their minds, even if it's that they disagree with us. He wants staff to let us know what we can do better.
- noted how proud he is to be a part of this district.

Mrs. Anderson

- noted that the Robo event was great and was well attended.
- noted that the graduations went well.
- noted how proud she is of everyone and that she can't say enough about how great this district is.
- wants us to focus on kids reading at grade level.
- wished everyone a good summer.

Mr. Loehr

- wished everyone a wonderful summer.
- noted that the graduations were fantastic. The incredible staff is what makes those happen.
- noted that he will follow up with the board on the comments that were made tonight.

BOARD/SUPERINTENDENT REPORTS

Mr. Ballin

- attended several graduations; they were great events.
- wished everyone a safe and happy summer.
- noted that when on campus if you see something, say something.
- noted that those watching are welcome to attend in person.
- noted that we welcome input on the district's social media platforms.

ADVANCE PLANNING

- a. *Future Meeting Dates:*
 - i. *Regular Meeting: Wednesday, August 19, 2026 @ 6:00 p.m. – Board Room, located on the McClellan High School Campus, 3243 Center Court Lane, Antelope, CA 95843 and/or Virtual*
- b. *Suggested Agenda Items:*
 - Reserves, at the August meeting

ADJOURNMENT – 7:40 p.m.

Motion: Bruno
Second: Anderson

Vote: General Consent

Respectfully submitted,

/s/
Scott A. Loehr, Superintendent
Secretary to the Board of Trustees

/s/
Chuck Uribe
Board of Trustees, Clerk

8/19/2026
Adoption Date