



**Gridley Unified School District
Board of Education
REGULAR BOARD MEETING
AGENDA**

Board of Education Members

*Eric Waterbury, President
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Wednesday, February 17, 2021

6:00 PM Closed Session

6:30 PM Open Session

District Office Board Room

429 Magnolia Street

Gridley, CA 95948

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

As agenda items are discussed by the Board during the Open Session of the Board Meeting, audience participation is permitted. The President will recognize those members of the audience who wish to speak.

The President will set a time limit on each person's remarks if he/she feels it necessary. Individual speakers shall be allowed three (3) minutes to address the Board on each agenda or non-agenda item. With Board consent, the president may increase or decrease the time allowed for individual comments. The Board shall limit the total time for public input on each item to twenty (20) minutes. With Board consent, the president may increase or decrease the time allowed for public presentation, depending on the topic and the number of persons wishing to be heard. The president may take a poll of speakers for or against a particular issue and may ask that additional persons speak only if they have something new to add. Generally, the President will ask Board Members for the remarks prior to recognizing requests to speak from the audience. At the President's discretion, agenda items may be considered in an order other than numerical order.

Closed Sessions may convene before, after or during the Regular Meeting. Closed Session items may include personnel, litigation, and negotiations and/or students discipline.

1. Call to order
2. Roll Call and Establishment of Quorum
3. Public comments relative to Closed Session agenda items
4. Recess to Closed Session
 - A. Personnel
 - 1) In accordance with Government Section § 54957, the Governing Board will meet in Closed Session to consider the appointment, employment, evaluation of, performance, discipline, resignation, retirement or dismissal of a public employee(s)
 - a) Public employee 1432: dismissal/release
 - B. Labor Negotiations
 - 1) In accordance with Government Section §54957.6, the Governing Board will meet in Closed Session to consider salaries, salary schedules, or compensation paid in the form of benefits for District's represented and unrepresented employees.
 - C. Real Property
 - 1) Update on real property pursuant to Government Code §54956.8

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| 5. | Recall to Order | |
| 6. | Pledge of Allegiance and Order of Agenda | |
| 7. | Report from Closed Session | Information |
| 8. | Reports: ASB/FFA | Information |
| | A. Wilson Elementary School | |
| | B. Sycamore Middle School | |
| | C. Esperanza High School | |
| | D. Gridley High School | |
| | E. Gridley HS FFA | |
| 9. | Superintendent's Report | Information |
| 10. | Comments from the Board of Trustees | Information |
| 11. | Comments from the audience (Items not included on the Agenda may be introduced by members of the audience; however, no formal action will be taken at this time.) | Information |
| 12. | <u>ACTION ITEM(S):</u> | Action |
| | A. <u>Approve Board Resolution #16-2021, Classified Seniority List</u> (Jordan Reeves) | |
| | (BACKGROUND: The Gridley Unified School District's Superintendent may be recommending the reduction of particular kinds of services to meet the needs of the district. This reduction of hours and/or positions may result in classified staff layoffs. California Education Code Section 45308 provides that in the event of a classified employee layoff, employees must be terminated in reverse order of seniority.) | |
| | B. <u>Approve Board Resolution #17-2021, Certificated Seniority List</u> (Jordan Reeves) | |
| | (BACKGROUND: The district superintendent may be recommending particular kinds of services reductions due to declining enrollment. This reduction of positions may result in staff layoffs. California Education Code Section 44955(b) provides that in the event of certificated layoffs, employees must be terminated in reverse order of seniority.) | |
| | C. <u>Approve Board Resolution #18-2021, Tie Breaking Criteria for 2021-22 School Year</u> (Jordan Reeves) | |
| | (BACKGROUND: The Board is required to adopt tie-breaking criteria for individuals with the same seniority date.) | |
| 13. | <u>CONSENT AGENDA</u> | Action |

The following items are to be considered as part of the Consent Agenda. A member of the Board of Trustees may request any items be pulled from the Consent Agenda for individual action. All remaining items may be approved by a single action of the Board. District administration recommends approval of the following Consent Agenda items.

- A. Minutes of Regular Board Meeting of [February 3, 2021](#)
- B. District Expenditure Warrants
 - 1) Warrants must regularly be presented to the Board of Trustees for approval. The supplement reflects expenditures from [January 2021](#).
- C. Personnel
 - 1) Certificated
 - a) Approve request for a shared teaching contract for Margaret Wilburn, Temporary Elementary Teacher, 0.4 FTE, at Wilson Elementary School for the 2020-21 school year
 - b) Letter of resignation for Mary Manouse, 3rd Grade Teacher, 1.0 FTE at Wilson Elementary School effective June 11, 2021
 - c) Approve recommendation to add three (3) After-School Tutoring Teacher hourly stipend position at Sycamore Middle School for the period effective February 1, 2021 through June 4, 2021
 - d) Approve recommendation to add one (1) Reading Recover Trainer stipend position at McKinley Primary School for the period effective February 1, 2021 through June 4, 2021
 - 2) Classified
 - a) Approve the following walk-on paid coach position for the 2020-21 school year:
Gridley High School
Elizabeth Piazza - Assistant Varsity Volleyball Coach
 - b) Letter of resignation for Debra Wood, Office Clerk (#59), 2.5 hours per day, 5 days per week at Wilson Elementary School effective February 3, 2021
 - c) Approve recommendation for reclassification for Jimmy Janda, Maintenance/Grounds Worker/Custodian to Maintenance/Grounds Worker I, 8 hours per day, 5 days per week, effective February 18, 2021
 - d) Letter of resignation for Veronica Azevedo, Office Clerk (#358), 3.75 hours per day, 5 days per week at Gridley High School effective February 13, 2021
 - e) Letter of resignation for Amanda Pena, Office Clerk (#360), 6 hours per day, 5 days per week at Gridley High School effective February 26, 2021
 - f) Approve recommendation to add hours for Office Clerk (#360) position from 6 hours per day, 5 days per week to 8 hours per day, 5 days per week effective March 1, 2021
- D. Fundraisers
 - 1) To comply with Board policy 1321, Board approval is required for all fundraising activities. The following fundraising request has been submitted for approval:
 - a) [McKinley](#): Read-A-Thon March 2, 2021
- E. Surplus
 - 1) Board policy 3270 allows staff to identify district property that is unusable, obsolete, or no longer needed by the district to be declared surplus so that disposal and/or public sale can proceed.
 - a) Sycamore Library

Title (ISBN)	Material Type	Copyright	Quantity	Reason
Focus on Earth Science (9780132012744)	Textbook	2008	228	Materials being replaced/updated
Focus on Life Science (9780132012720)	Textbook	2008	216	Materials being replaced/updated
Focus on Physical Science (9780132012706)	Textbook	2008	208	Materials being replaced/updated

14. Adjourn

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Aviso: Interprete disponible para los de la comunidad hispana que desean atender juntas de la mesa directiva. Para mas información por favor de llamar 846-4721. Agenda en español disponible 24 horas antes de la junta.

In accordance with Gov. Newsom’s EO N-25-20, meeting may be accessed remotely using Zoom:
 De acuerdo con el EO N-25-20 del gobernador Newsom, se puede acceder a la reunión de forma remota utilizando Zoom:

Join Zoom Meeting <https://qusd-org.zoom.us/j/89217613182>
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