

The Board of Trustees represents the people of the Fort Sage Unified School District as the elected body created to determine, establish and uphold the educational policies of the District. In this capacity, the Board functions under the laws of the State of California, but is free to plan for an educational program tailored to both the needs and resources of the communities served. The following information is provided to assist the public in understanding the Board's proceedings and to participate in those proceedings. The Board meeting is a meeting of the Board in public. The public is welcome and encouraged to participate.

Documents

Documents provided to a majority of the Governing Board regarding an open session item on this agenda will be made available for public inspection in the District Office located at 100 D.S. Hall Street, Herlong, California during normal business hours.

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According to district policy # BP 1312.1; complaints are to be addressed by first speaking with the person directly involved. If this does not resolve the issue, the complaint should be submitted in writing to the Superintendent. The Superintendent will investigate and respond in writing or by a phone call. If the issue is still not resolved, a written request for a hearing by the Board may be submitted.

Regular Session

In order to address the Board, please wait for recognition by the President. Speakers are expected to be courteous and to avoid any remarks that reflect adversely on the character or motives of any person or on his or her race, religion, or political or economic views. The Board will hear public testimony on any given topic for a maximum of three (3) minutes per person, twenty (20) minutes per topic. The Board may, by consensus and at its discretion, extend this time limit.

SPECIAL MEETING OF THE FORT SAGE BOARD OF TRUSTEES

January 24, 2020 5:30 PM

FORT SAGE UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

Fort Sage Board Room

100 D.S. Hall St., Herlong CA 96113

Teleconference Participation From: The Mark, 455-625 Hwy 395, Herlong, CA 96113



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AGENDA

1. Opening Business

- a. Call to Order and Roll Call – Establishment of a Quorum
___Mike Everett___Vacant___Timothy Jobbins___Brian Schmidl___Vacant
- b. Pledge of Allegiance
- c. Additions, Deletions, and Approval of the Regular Meeting Agenda

2. Public Comment:

This item is placed on the agenda for the purpose of providing visitors the opportunity to address the Board on any item of business that does not appear on the formal agenda. Speakers may ask to fill out a speaker card. Neither the administration nor Trustees may respond to these comments except to ask clarifying questions. A three-minute time limit is established for presentations from the floor. However, at any time during the meeting visitors may complete a speaker card or make a request to address the Board concerning the agenda item presently under discussion. The Board reserves the right to refer to the next regular meeting for future discussion. The minutes of this meeting will not reflect a verbatim account of the discussions during this meeting.

3. Public Hearing:

- a. **Open Public Hearing Regarding General Waiver for Long Valley School CCR Title 5: 11963 (c). Request for a Filing Deadline Waiver from the State Board of Education for Funding Determination on behalf of Long Valley School.**
- b. **Input from Community Members, Staff and Board**
- c. **Closure of Public Hearing**

4. Recognitions

- a. Acknowledgments of Honors and Awards
- b. Acknowledgements of Visitors

5. Communications: Regarding District Programs and Services

The deadline to submit Communications is the Tuesday prior to each monthly meeting. Please indicate with submission if you wish to speak at the board meeting and who will be speaking. Please limit comments to allow all groups time to speak.

- a. Herlong High School/Title I
- b. Sierra Primary School
- c. Mt. Lassen Charter School
- d. Parent Advisory Committee/School Site Council
- e. Adult Education/CTE
- f. WASC
- g. California Federation of Teachers
- h. California School Employees Association
- i. Student Council

6. Board Member Reports

7. Superintendent's Report

8. Discussion and Information Items

9. Consent Agenda

- a. Approval of Minutes for December 18, 2019 Regular Meeting.
- b. Approval of Warrant Batches: 20, 21 and 22.
- c. Personnel Items: Gotcher Resignation Letter, Schaff Resignation Letter.

10. Old Business

11. New Business

Action Items:

- a. **Review and Consider Approval of Filing a General Waiver Request to the California State Board of Education (SBE) on behalf of Long Valley School.**
- b. **Discussion Regarding Provisional Appointment to the Fort Sage Unified School District Board of Trustees:**
 1. **Review of Applicant (s)**
 2. **Interview Candidate (s)**
- c. **Consideration of Approval of One (1) Provisional Appointment to Fill the Vacancy for the Fort Sage Unified School District Board of Trustees (formerly Schumacher).**
- d. **Oath of Office and Seating of Board Member (if applicable).**
- e. **Consideration to Call for Either a Special Election or Provisional Appointment to Fill the Vacancies (Gotcher and Everett) on the Fort Sage Unified School District Board of Trustees (pursuant to Education Code Section 5090 et. seq.)**
- f. **Consideration to Approve Alternative Date of February 26, 2020 for February Regular Board Meeting.**
- g. **Consideration to Approve 2018-19 Closing Financial Audit.**
- h. **Discussion Regarding 2020-21 Instructional Calendar- Superintendent Bonn.**
- i. **Consideration to Approve Hiring of Two Teachers on Assignment – Superintendent Bonn.**
- j. **Consideration to Approve 2019-20 Mt. Lassen Charter School, School Accountability Report Card (SARC).**
- k. **Consideration to Approve High School Jr. and Sr. field trip to UNR 2/28/20 – Kellie Pop**
- l. **First Reading, Review and Possible Approval of Updates to Board Policies: BP 0420.4-BP6146.1**

While school board meetings must be open to the public, California law provides for closed sessions which are not open to the public for matters including: when the Board is considering expulsions, suspensions, or disciplinary actions in connection with any pupil, the appointment, employment or dismissal of a public officer or employee, hearing complaints or charges against a public officer or employee, or is discussing aspects of negotiations with employee units or the District's Legal Counsel.

12. Closed Session

- a. **CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL—ANTICIPATED LITIGATION (Gov. Code section 54956.9(d)(2).): One Matter.**
- b. **CONFERENCE WITH REAL PROPERTY NEGOTIATORS (Gov. Code section 54956.8.)**
Property: Long Valley Charter, Doyle Site
Agency negotiator: Dr. Christopher Bonn
Negotiating parties: Superintendent
Under negotiation: [E.g. price and/or terms of payment]
- c. **Government Code Section 35146: Public Employee Discipline/Dismissal/Release/Negotiations**
 - a. **Return to Open Session and Announce Actions Taken by the Board in Closed Session.**

13. The Next Regular Meeting will be Held on February TBD, 2020, 5:30 p.m., in the Board Room.

14. Adjournment