

**LATON UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT
BOARD OF TRUSTEES
REGULAR MEETING
AGENDA**

**LATON UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT
May 11, 2022
6:15 P.M.**

GC §54954.2 Requests for disability-related accommodation or modification, including auxiliary aids and services should be made in writing to the Superintendent 48 hours prior to meeting time. Mail to: Laton Unified School District P.O. Box 248 Laton, CA 93242.

I. OPENING OF MEETING

6:15 P.M.

Preliminary

Call to Order

Pledge of Allegiance

Attendance

A. Board Members	Present	Absent
1. Daniel Vargas, President	_____	_____
2. Earl Yecny, Clerk	_____	_____
3. Nikki Alford	_____	_____
4. Guadalupe Andrade	_____	_____
5. Rich Olson	_____	_____
 B. Staff in attendance:		
Lupe G. Nieves, Superintendent	_____	_____

C. Approval of Minutes for the April 20, 2022 Regular Board Meeting

6:18 P.M.

Superintendent's Recommendation: The School Board Approve the Minutes for the March 9, 2022 Regular Board Meeting

Motion:	Vote:	Yes	No
Second:	Daniel Vargas:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Earl Yecny:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Nikki Alford:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Guadalupe Andrade:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Rich Olson:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

D. Agenda and/or Emergency Addition [G.C. 54954.2 (b)(2)]

6:20 P.M.

(2/3 approvals required)

Superintendent's Recommendation: The School Board Approve the Agenda

Motion:	Vote:	Yes	No
Second:	Daniel Vargas:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Earl Yecny:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Nikki Alford:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Guadalupe Andrade:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Rich Olson:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

II. PUBLIC HEARING SESSION:

A. Persons addressing the Board must be recognized by the president prior to their remarks. Individual speakers shall be allowed three minutes to address the Board on each agenda or non-agenda item as stated in Laton Unified School District Board Bylaw 9323(b). The School Board is prohibited by law from taking action on matters discussed that are not on the Agenda, and no adverse conclusions should be drawn if the School Board does not respond to public comment at this time.

Testimony with regard to complaints against staff is not protected from damage claims for libel. Public charges or allegations may result in legal action being brought by those individuals.

III. DISCUSSION

6:23 P.M.

A. Day Field Trips

1. LES 3rd Grade – Planetarium & Science Center- Visalia, CA – May 10, 2022
2. LES 4th Grade – Yosemite Sugar Pine Mountain Railroad – Fish Camp, CA – May 10, 2022
3. LES 1st and 2nd Grade – Fresno State Downing Planetarium – Fresno, CA – May 18, 2022
4. LHS FFA – Fresno Chaffee Zoo – Fresno, CA – May 13, 2022
5. LHS Floral Class – Universal Studios – Universal City, CA – May 24, 2022
6. LHS Digital Video/Graphic Design – Academy Museum of Motion Pictures – Los Angeles, CA – May 25, 2022
7. LES TK, K and 1st Grade – Fresno Chaffee Zoo – Fresno, CA – May 26, 2022
8. LMS – Roger Rocka’s Dinner Theater – Fresno, CA – May 27, 2022
9. LES 5th Grade – California Academy of Sciences – San Francisco, CA – May 31, 2022

IV. COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS TO THE BOARD:

A. Superintendent, Directors, and Administration Reports

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| 1. Lupe G. Nieves – Superintendent | 6:25 P.M. |
| 2. Reatha Martinez – Chief Business Official | 6:35 P.M. |
| 3. Sue Vang – Director of Technology, CCTO | 6:45 P.M. |
| 4. Gustavo Lopez – Director of Facilities | 6:55 P.M. |
| 5. Ruben Garcia – Laton Elementary and Laton Middle School Principal | 7:05 P.M. |
| 6. Michael Langton – Laton High School Principal | |

V. DISCUSSION/ACTION ITEMS:

A. Approval of Accounts Payable Warrants for April 2022 **7:15 P.M.**

Superintendent’s Recommendation: The School Board Approve the Accounts Payable Warrants for April 2022

Motion:	Vote:	Yes	No
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Second:	Daniel Vargas:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Earl Yecny:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Nikki Alford:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Guadalupe Andrade:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Rich Olson:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

B. Approval of Second Reading of Update to Board Policy, Administrative Regulations, Exhibits, and Board Bylaws 7:18 P.M.

1. AP 9270AR 4119.24 – Disclosure Categories

Superintendent Recommendation: The School Board Approve Approval of Second Reading of Update to Board Policy, Administrative Regulations, Exhibits, and Board Bylaws

Motion:	Vote:	Yes	No
Second:	Daniel Vargas:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Earl Yecny:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Nikki Alford:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Guadalupe Andrade:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Rich Olson:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

C. Approval of the Laton High School Athletic Department Packet 7:21 P.M.

Superintendent Recommendation: The School Board Approve the Laton High School Athletic Packet

Motion:	Vote:	Yes	No
Second:	Daniel Vargas:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Earl Yecny:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Nikki Alford:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Guadalupe Andrade:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Rich Olson:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

D. Approval of 2022-2023 Laton Unified School District Attendance Calendar 7:24 P.M.

Superintendent Recommendation: The School Board Approve the 2022-2023 Laton Unified School District Attendance Calendar

Motion:	Vote:	Yes	No
Second:	Daniel Vargas:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Earl Yecny:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Nikki Alford:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Guadalupe Andrade:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Rich Olson:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

E. Approval of Quarterly Report on Williams Uniform Complaints for the Quarter Ending March 31, 2022 7:27 P.M.

Superintendent Recommendation: The School Board Approve the Quarterly Report on Williams Uniform Complaints for the Quarter Ending March 31, 2022

Motion:	Vote:	Yes	No
Second:	Daniel Vargas:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Earl Yecny:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Nikki Alford:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Guadalupe Andrade:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Rich Olson:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

F. Approval of Fresno County Quarterly Investment Report for the Quarter Ending March 31, 2022

Superintendent Recommendation: The School Board Approve the Fresno County Quarterly Investment Report for the Quarter Ending March 31, 2022 **7:30 P.M.**

Motion:	Vote:	Yes	No
Second:	Daniel Vargas:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Earl Yecny:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Nikki Alford:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Guadalupe Andrade:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Rich Olson:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

G. Approval of 2022-2023 Agricultural Career Technical Education Incentive Grant **7:33 P.M.**

Superintendent's Recommendation: The School Board Approve the 2022-2023 Agricultural Career Technical Education Incentive Grant

Motion:	Vote:	Yes	No
Second:	Daniel Vargas:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Earl Yecny:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Nikki Alford:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Guadalupe Andrade:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Rich Olson:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

H. Approval of Green Energy Innovations Proposals **7:36 P.M.**

Superintendent's Recommendation: The School Board Approve the Green Energy Innovations Proposals

Motion:	Vote:	Yes	No
Second:	Daniel Vargas:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Earl Yecny:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Nikki Alford:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Guadalupe Andrade:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Rich Olson:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

I. Approval of Solar Project With K-12 Energy or Turnekey Energy **7:39 P.M.**

Superintendent Recommendation: The School Board Approve K-12 Energy

Motion:	Vote:	Yes	No
Second:	Daniel Vargas:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Earl Yecny:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Nikki Alford:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Guadalupe Andrade:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Rich Olson:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

J. Approval of Resolution 21-22 #25 Order of Election, And Specifications of the Election Order

Superintendent Recommendation: The School Board Approve the Resolution 21-22 #25 Order of Election, And Specifications of the Election Order **7:42 P.M.**

Motion:	Vote:	Yes	No
Second:	Daniel Vargas:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Earl Yecny:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Nikki Alford:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Guadalupe Andrade:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Rich Olson:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

K. Approval of Resolution 21-22 #26 Recognizing a State of Emergency and Re-Authorizing Teleconferenced Meetings Pursuant to AB361 **7:45 P.M.**

Superintendent's Recommendation: The School Board Approve the Resolution 21-22 #26 Recognizing a State of Emergency and Re-Authorizing Teleconferenced Meetings Pursuant to AB361

Motion:	Vote:	Yes	No
Second:	Daniel Vargas:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Earl Yecny:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Nikki Alford:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Guadalupe Andrade:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Rich Olson:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

L. Opportunity for Public Discussion and Action to Acknowledge that Negotiations Will Commence on the California School Employees Association Chapter #513 for 2022-2023 Negotiations Proposal to Laton Unified School District **7:48 P.M.**

In accordance with Public Notice Section 3547 of the Government Code, all initial proposals of the public school employees and employee bargaining units are to be presented at a public meeting of the public school employer, and thereafter shall be public record. The California School Employees Association Chapter #513 proposal to the Laton Unified School District for the 2022-2023 school year presented at the April 20, 2022 meeting of the Board of Education is returned to this agenda for public discussion and Board action acknowledging commencement of negotiations on such proposal. Contact Person: Tammy Alves, telephone 922-4015.

Superintendent Recommendation: The School Board Approve the Opportunity for Public Discussion and Action to Acknowledge that Negotiations Will Commence on the California School Employees Association Chapter #513 for 2022-2023 Negotiations Proposal to Laton Unified School District

Motion:	Vote:	Yes	No
Second:	Daniel Vargas:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Earl Yecny:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Nikki Alford:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Guadalupe Andrade:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Rich Olson:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

M. Approval to Transfer Head Football Coach Stipend to Laton High School Football Budget

Superintendent's Recommendation: The School Board Approve the Transfer of Head
Football Coach Stipend to Laton High School Football Budget **7:51 P.M.**

Motion:	Vote:	Yes	No
Second:	Daniel Vargas:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Earl Yecny:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Nikki Alford:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Guadalupe Andrade:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Rich Olson:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

N. Overnight Field Trip **7:54 P.M.**

1. Laton High School FFA – Officer Retreat – Three Rivers, CA – June 13-15, 2022

Superintendent Recommendation: The School Board Approve the Overnight Field Trip
Listed Above

Motion:	Vote:	Yes	No
Second:	Daniel Vargas:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Earl Yecny:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Nikki Alford:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Guadalupe Andrade:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Rich Olson:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

VI. CLOSED SESSION ITEMS:

A. Public Employee Discipline/Dismissal/Release – Government Code 54957 **7:57 P.M.**

B. Public Employee Appointment – Government Code 54957 **8:05 P.M.**

1. Instructional Aide II – Middle School

C. Public Employee Appointment – Government Code 54957 **8:10 P.M.**

1. LHS Math Teacher

D. Conference with Labor Negotiations – Government Code 54957.6 **8:15 P.M.**

Agency Representative: Tammy Alves, Lupe G. Nieves and Reatha Martinez

Laton Federation of Teachers, Local 3278

VII. CLOSED SESSION ACTION: (In Open Session)

A. Public Employee Discipline/Dismissal/Release – Government Code 54957 **8:20 P.M.**

Motion:	Vote:	Yes	No
Second:	Daniel Vargas:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Earl Yecny:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Nikki Alford:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Guadalupe Andrade:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Rich Olson:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

B. Public Employee Appointment – Government Code 54957

8:23 P.M.

1. Instructional Aide II Middle School

Motion:	Vote:	Yes	No
Second:	Daniel Vargas:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Earl Yecny:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Nikki Alford:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Guadalupe Andrade:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Rich Olson:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

C. Public Employee Appointment – Government Code 54957

8:26 P.M.

1. LHS Math Teacher

Motion:	Vote:	Yes	No
Second:	Daniel Vargas:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Earl Yecny:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Nikki Alford:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Guadalupe Andrade:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Rich Olson:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

D. Conference with Labor Negotiations – Government Code 54957.6

8:29 P.M.

Agency Representative: Tammy Alves, Lupe G. Nieves and Reatha Martinez
Laton Federation of Teachers, Local 3278

Motion:	Vote:	Yes	No
Second:	Daniel Vargas:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Earl Yecny:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Nikki Alford:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Guadalupe Andrade:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Rich Olson:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

VIII. FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS:

8:32 P.M.

- A.
- B.

At _____, it was moved by _____, seconded by _____ and unanimously -approved to extend the meeting beyond the three (3) hour limit.

IX. ADJOURNMENT

It was moved by _____, seconded by _____ and unanimously carried to adjourn the meeting at _____ P.M.

Vote:	Yes	No
Daniel Vargas:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Earl Yecny:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Nikki Alford:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Guadalupe Andrade:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Rich Olson:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

NOTE: The next regular meeting of the Board of Trustees will be held in the Laton Unified District Board Room at 6:15 P.M. on Wednesday, June 8, 2022.

Clerk's Signature