



Bellflower Unified School District

Board of Education Regular Meeting
March 21, 2024

Board Room of the District Administration Building
16703 Clark Ave., Bellflower, CA 90706

CLOSED SESSION: 4:00 P.M.
OPEN SESSION: 6:00 P.M.

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AGENDA

1. CALL TO ORDER IN PUBLIC SESSION

1.1 ROLL CALL

- 2. PUBLIC COMMENTS – CLOSED SESSION ITEMS:** Three minutes may be allotted to each speaker to address Closed Session items only.
- 3. CLOSED SESSION:** Closed Session items may be continued to end of meeting if necessary.

3.1 STUDENT MATTERS: EDUCATION CODE 35146 & 48918 (c)-(1)

3.2 CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL: PENDING LITIGATION: GOVERNMENT CODE 54956.9: Lua v. BUSD, U.S. District Court Case # 2:19-cv-02972-FMO

3.3 CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL: PENDING LITIGATION: GOVERNMENT CODE 54956.9: Lua v. BUSD, U.S. District Court Case # 2:21-cv-03187-FMO

3.4 CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL: ANTICIPATED LITIGATION: GOVERNMENT CODE 54956.9, ANTICIPATED LITIGATION (1), GOVERNMENT CODE 54956.9 (b) (c)

3.5 LABOR NEGOTIATIONS: GOVERNMENT CODE 54954.5 & 54957.6: Sulema Holguin, District Negotiator; BTA, CSEA

3.6 PUBLIC EMPLOYEE DISCIPLINE / DISMISSAL / RELEASE: GOVERNMENT CODE 54957 (1)

3.7 CLOSED SESSION PURSUANT TO GOVERNMENT CODE SECTION 54956.8 REGARDING CONFERENCE WITH REAL PROPERTY NEGOTIATORS AGENCY NEGOTIATOR: ANDREW SAREGA, GENERAL COUNSEL NEGOTIATING PARTIES: BELLFLOWER UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT AND KIWANIS CLUB OF BELLFLOWER PROPERTIES: 9302 LAUREL ST. BELLFLOWER, CA 90706 UNDER NEGOTIATION: TERMS

3.8 PERSONNEL: SUPERINTENDENT'S EVALUATION/PERFORMANCE

4. RECONVENE INTO OPEN SESSION/CALL TO ORDER

4.1 PUBLIC COMMENTS – AGENDA/NON-AGENDA ITEMS: No action or discussion is permitted on any item not included on the posted agenda per GC § 54952.2 (a) except as provided in GC § 54952.2 (b). Public comments are limited to 3 minutes per person, per item unless the Board wishes to waive the time limit. Those who have a group concern are encouraged to select a spokesperson to address the Board. Adverse remarks about a person's race, ancestry, ethnic group identification, religion, color, national origin, sex, sexual orientation, gender, mental or physical disability, or age may not be made. Concerns presented to the Board will be followed up and addressed by the appropriate staff.

5. AMENDMENTS TO THE AGENDA

6. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

7. PRESENTATIONS FROM STUDENTS / STAFF / COMMUNITY

7.1 BTA / CSEA / PTA COMMUNICATIONS

7.2 COMMUNITY FAMILY GUIDANCE CENTER – CHILDREN'S MENTAL HEALTH IMPACT REPORT

8. SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT: District/Community Related Matters and Conferences/Meetings.

9. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION REGARDING AGENDA ITEMS

10. DISCUSSION

10.1 CALIFORNIA VOTERS RIGHT ACT: At the February 22nd meeting of the Bellflower Unified School District Board of Education, the Board directed staff to seek additional information regarding the District's compliance status with the California Voter's Rights Act. Staff worked with legal counsel to obtain a report for the Board which will be presented by National Demographics Corporation.

11. PUBLIC HEARING

11.1 SUNSHINE INITIAL PROPOSAL BELLFLOWER TEACHERS ASSOCIATION

12. CONSENT AGENDA: All matters in this category are considered to be consistent with the Board/District goals, Board Policies, and Administrative Regulations adopted and/or approved by the Board of Education and will be enacted in one motion. There will be no separate discussion of these items. If discussion is required, items may be withheld from the consent agenda and will be considered separately.

12.1 MINUTES OF THE MARCH 7, 2024, REGULAR MEETING: It is proposed that the Board of Education approve the minutes of the March 7, 2024, regular meeting of the Board of Education as presented on the attachment.

12.2 RESOLUTION TO ORDER BIENNIAL GOVERNING BOARD ELECTION: It is proposed that the Board of Education adopt the Resolution to Order the Biennial Governing Board Election as presented on the attachment.

12.3 RESOLUTION - PUBLIC SCHOOL VOLUNTEER WEEK - APRIL 15-19, 2024: It is proposed that the Board of Education adopt the Resolution – Public School Volunteer Week – April 15-19, 2024, as presented on the attachment.

12.4 SUNSHINE INITIAL PROPOSAL-BELLFLOWER TEACHERS ASSOCIATION: It is proposed that the Board of Education conduct a public hearing on the initial proposal submitted by the Bellflower Teachers Association as presented on the attachment.

12.5 STUDENT EXPULSION CASE #24-17-0006: It is proposed that the Board of Education expel student #24-17-0006 from all the schools in the Bellflower Unified School District for two semesters, the second semester of the 2023-2024 school year and the first semester of the 2024-2025 school year, effective March 21, 2024.

12.6 AMENDMENT TO ANNUAL CONTRACT LISTINGS AND AGREEMENTS 2023-2024 FISCAL YEAR: It is proposed that the Board of Education approve and ratify the amendments to the Annual Contract Listings and Agreements 2023-2024 Fiscal Year as presented on the attachment.

13. BOARD COMMUNICATIONS: District/Community Related Matters and Conferences/Meetings.

14. ADJOURNMENT