

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

**LATON UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT  
February 10, 2021  
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 January 13, 2021 Regular Board Meeting

Superintendent's Recommendation: The School Board Approve the Minutes for the January 13, 2021 **6:18 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"/>

D. Agenda and/or Emergency Addition [G.C. 54954.2 (b)(2)]  
(2/3 approvals required)

**6:20 P.M.**

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Superintendent's Recommendation: The School Board Approve the Agenda

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

Earl Yecny:                    
Nikki Alford:                
Guadalupe Andrade:          
Rich Olson:                

**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**

- A. School Accountability Report Cards (SARC) – Reported Using Data from the 2019-2020 School Year – Published During 2020-2021 **6:25 P.M.**
1. Laton Elementary School
  2. Laton Middle School
  3. Laton High School
- B. First Reading of Update to Board Policy, Administrative Regulations, Exhibits, and Board Bylaws
1. AR 1312.3 – Uniform Complaint Procedures
  2. BP 1312.3 – Uniform Complaint Procedures
  3. BP 6146.1 – High School Graduation Requirements

**IV. COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS TO THE BOARD:**

- A. Superintendent, Directors, and Administration Reports
1. Lupe G. Nieves – Superintendent **6:35 P.M.**
  2. Reatha Martinez – Chief Business Official **6:45 P.M.**
  3. Sue Vang – Director of Technology, CCTO **6:55 P.M.**
  4. Berta Carvajal – Community Liaison **7:05 P.M.**
  5. Ruben Garcia – Laton Elementary and Laton Middle School Principal **7:15 P.M.**
  6. Sadie Thomas and Caroline Caceres – Expanded Learning Program Directors **7:25 P.M.**
  7. Michael Langton – Laton High School Principal **7:35 P.M.**

**V. DISCUSSION/ACTION ITEMS:**

- A. Accounts Payable Warrants for January 2021 **7:45 P.M.**

Superintendent Recommendation: The School Board Approve the Accounts Payable Warrants for January 2021

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. Approval of Laton Unified School District Year Ending June 30, 2020 Audit Report**

Superintendent's Recommendation: The School Board Approve the Laton Unified School District Year Ending June 30, 2020 Audit Report **7:48 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"/>

**C. Approval of Certification of Corrective Action 2019-20 Audit Finding and Recommendations**

Superintendent's Recommendation: The School Board Approve the Certification of Corrective Action 2019-20 Audit Finding and Recommendations **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"/>

**D. Approval of 2020-21 Consolidated Application and Reporting Winter Release **7:54 P.M.****

Superintendent's Recommendation: The School Board Approve the 2020-21 Consolidated Application and Reporting Winter Release

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 Resolution 20-21 #10 3<sup>rd</sup> Quarter Home to School Transportation **7:57 P.M.****

Superintendent's Recommendation: The School Board Approve the Resolution 20-21 #10 3<sup>rd</sup> Quarter Home to School Transportation

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:    
Rich Olson:

F. Approval of Fresno County Quarterly Investment Report for the Quarter Ending December 31, 2020

Superintendent's Recommendation: The School Board Approve the Fresno County  
Quarterly Investment Report for the Quarter Ending December 31, 2020 **8:00 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 Updated 2020-2021 Comprehensive School Safety Plan **8:03 P.M.**

Superintendent's Recommendation: The School Board Approve the Updated 2020-2021  
Comprehensive School Safety Plan

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 Job Description for Speech –Language Pathology Assistant **8:06 P.M.**

Superintendent's Recommendation: The School Board Approve the Job Description for  
Speech-Language Pathology Assistant

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. Fundraisers: **8:09 P.M.**

1. Valentine's Day Rose Sale – LHS FFA – February 11-12, 2021
2. Mother's Day Floral Sale – LHS FFA – May 5-6, 2021

\*\*\* All Fundraisers must follow the Health and Safety Guidelines. Some of the fundraisers will only be possible once school resumes.

Superintendent's Recommendation: The School Board Approve the Fundraisers 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 Appointment – Government Code 54957 **8:12 P.M.**
  - 1. Speech-Language Pathology Assistant
- B. Public Employee Appointment – Government Code 54957 **8:17 P.M.**
  - 1. Director of Facilities
- C. Public Employee Discipline/Dismissal/Release – Government Code 54957 **8:22 P.M.**

**VII. CLOSED SESSION ACTION: (In Open Session)**

- A. Public Employee Appointment – Government Code 54957 **8:27 P.M.**
  - 1. Speech-Language Pathology Assistant

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 **8:30 P.M.**
  - 1. Director of Facilities

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 Discipline/Dismissal/Release – Government Code 54957 **8:33 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"/>

**VIII. FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS:**

**8:36 P.M.**

- A.

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, March 10, 2021.

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Clerk's Signature