

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

**LATON UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT
October 13, 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 September 8, 2021 Regular Board Meeting

6:18 P.M.

Superintendent's Recommendation: The School Board Approve the Minutes for the September 8, 2021 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

- A. Day Field Trips **6:22 P.M.**
1. LHS ELP – Drone Photography Demonstration Tour – Reedley CA – October 24, 2021
 2. LHS ELP – Drone Photography Demonstration Tour – Monterey, CA - November 13, 2021

IV. COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS TO THE BOARD:

- A. Superintendent, Directors, and Administration Reports
1. Lupe G. Nieves – Superintendent **6:25 P.M.**
 2. Reatha Martinez – Chief Business Official **6:35 P.M.**
 3. Susan Giles – Food Service Director **6:45 P.M.**
 4. Ruben Garcia – Laton Elementary and Laton Middle School Principal **6:55 P.M.**
 5. Michael Langton – Laton High School Principal **7:05 P.M.**

V. DISCUSSION/ACTION ITEMS:

- A. Approval of Accounts Payable Warrants for September 2021 **7:15 P.M.**

Superintendent’s Recommendation: The School Board Approve the Accounts Payable Warrants for September 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 Second Reading of Update to Board Policy, Administrative Regulations, Exhibits, and Board Bylaws **7:18 P.M.**
1. AR 5126 – Awards for Achievement
 2. BP 5126 – Awards for Achievement

Superintendent's Recommendation: The School Board Approve the 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. Quarterly Report on William Uniform Complaints for the Quarter Ending September 30, 2021

Superintendent's Recommendation: The School Board Approve the Quarterly Report on William Uniform Complaints for the Quarter Ending September 30, 2021 **7:21 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 Change Order No. 6 for Multi-Use & Office Building **7:24 P.M.**

Superintendent's Recommendation: The School Board Approve the Change Order No. 6 for Multi-Use & Office Building

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 21-22 #10 In the Matter of Authorizing a Licensed Teacher to Teach a Single Subject Class Not Within the Teacher's Credential **7:27 P.M.**

1. Brian Qualls

Superintendent's Recommendation: The School Board Approve the 21-22 #10 In the Matter of Authorizing a Licensed Teacher to Teach a Single Subject Class Not Within the Teacher's Credential

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 ESSER III Expenditure Plan **7:30 P.M.**

Superintendent's Recommendation: The School Board Approve the ESSER III Expenditure 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"/>

G. 2021 Fresno County Superintendent of Schools Ballot

7:33 P.M.

Superintendent Recommendation: The School Board Vote for a Candidate

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. Consideration and Action to Approve AB 1200 Public Disclosure Regarding Proposed Collective Bargaining Agreement with the California School Employees Association (CSEA) Chapter #513 for 2020-21 and 2021 -22 school years with reopeners for the 2022-23 school year **7:36 P.M.**

Superintendent Recommendation: The School Board Approve the AB 1200 Public Disclosure Regarding Proposed Collective Bargaining Agreement with the California School Employees Association (CSEA) Chapter #513 for 2020-21 and 2021-22 school years with reopeners for the 2022-23 school year

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. Consideration and Action to Approve Tentative Collective Bargaining Agreement Between Laton Unified School District and the California School Employees Association (CSEA) Chapter #513 for 2020-21 and 2021 -22 school years with reopeners for the 2022-23 school year **7:39 P.M.**

Superintendent Recommendation: The School Board Approve the Tentative Collective Bargaining Agreement Between Laton Unified School District and the California School Employees Association (CSEA) Chapter #513 for 2020-21 and 2021 -22 school years with reopeners for the 2022-23 school year

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 #11 Transfer of Second Quarter Home to School Assessment

Superintendent's Recommendation: The School Board Approve the Resolution 21-22 #11
Transfer of Second Quarter Home to School Assessment **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 Overnight Field Trips **7:45 P.M.**

1. LMS – 6th grade – Sierra Outdoor School – Sonora, CA – February 7-9, 2022
2. LHS – FFA MFE/ALA Leadership – Visalia, CA – February 18-19, 2022
3. LHS – FFA UC Davis Field Day – Davis, CA – March 4-5, 2022
4. LHS – FFA State Convention – Sacramento, CA – March 26-29, 2022
5. LHS – FFA CRC Field Day – Elk Grove, CA – April 1-2, 2022
6. LHS – FFA State Finals – San Luis Obispo, CA – May 6-7, 2022

Superintendent Recommendation: The School Board Approve the Overnight Field Trips

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: **7:48 P.M.**

1. Sponsors for Leadership – LMS Peer Leadership Team – 2021-2022 School Year
2. Renew Banner Sponsorship – LHS Boys Basketball – 2021-2022 School Year
3. Dinner Plate – LMS ASB – October 2021
4. Student Store – LMS ASB – October 2021 – June 2022
5. Boo Grams – LMS Drama/ASB – October 20-28, 2021
6. Holiday Varsity Boys Basketball Tourney – LHS Boys Basketball – December 27-29, 2021
7. School Dance – LES ASB – January 2022
8. Popcornopolis – LES ASB – February 2022

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:
 Guadalupe Andrade:
 Rich Olson:

- M. Resolution 21-22 #12 Ratifying the Proclamation of a State of Emergency by Governor Newsom Dated March 4, 2020, to Address the COVID 19 Pandemic, and Authorizing, Pursuant to AB361, Remote Teleconference Meetings for the Period of October 13, 2021, through November 13, 2021 Pursuant to Brown Act Provisions **7:51 P.M.**

Superintendent Recommendation: The School Board Approve the Resolution 21-22 #12 Ratifying the Proclamation of a State of Emergency by Governor Newsom Dated March 4, 2020, to Address the COVID 19 Pandemic, and Authorizing, Pursuant to AB361, Remote Teleconference Meetings for the Period of October 13, 2021, through November 13, 2021 Pursuant to Brown Act Provisions

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 **7:54 P.M.**
- B. Conference with Labor Negotiations – Government Code 54957.6 **7:59 P.M.**
 Agency Representative: Tammy Alves, Lupe G. Nieves and Reatha Martinez
 Management/Confidential/Administration for 2021-2022
- C. Public Employee Performance Evaluation – Government Code 54957 **8:04 P.M.**
 1. Superintendent

VII. CLOSED SESSION ACTION: (In Open Session)

- A. Public Employee Discipline/Dismissal/Release – Government Code 54957 **8:09 P.M.**
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| 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. Conference with Labor Negotiations – Government Code 54957.6 **8:12 P.M.**
 Agency Representative: Tammy Alves, Lupe G. Nieves and Reatha Martinez
 Management/Confidential/Administration for 2021-2022

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"/>

C. Public Employee Performance Evaluation – Government Code 54957

8:15 P.M.

1. Superintendent

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:

8:18 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, November 10, 2021.

Clerk's Signature