



August 8, 2023

**Board of Education
Special Meeting Agenda**

BOARD OF EDUCATION

Mrs. Sabrena Rodriguez– President
Dr. Jerry Dannenberg – Vice President
Mrs. Amy Callahan
Mr. Calvin Peterson
Mr. James Forsythe

SUPERINTENDENT & CLERK OF THE BOARD

Dr. Antonio Castro

For the future of every student

WELCOME TO THE
VENTURA UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT
BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETING

The Board of Education holds their meetings on the second and fourth Tuesdays of each month at 7:00 p.m. unless otherwise noticed.

The Board may consider and act on an agenda item in a different order or an item may be considered earlier or later than the estimated time. Additionally, discussion of the agenda items may be postponed to a future meeting.

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255 W. Stanley Avenue, Suite 100, Ventura, CA, (Guard shack)
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- Ventura Adult and Continuing Education (Main Entrance)
5200 Valentine Road, Ventura, CA



AGENDA
BOARD OF EDUCATION SPECIAL MEETING
VENTURA UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT
Tuesday, August 8, 2023
Ventura Unified School District
ESC - Board Room
255 W. Stanley Ave. Suite 100
Ventura, CA 93001

1. **OPENING PROCEDURE - Board Room - 9:00 a.m.**
2. **Call to Order**
3. **Pledge of Allegiance**
4. **Roll Call:**
Sabrina Rodriguez, President ____, **Dr. Jerry Dannenberg, Vice-President** ____, **Amy Callahan** ____, **Calvin Peterson** ____, **James Forsythe** ____, **Dr. Antonio Castro, Superintendent** ____

5. **Adoption of Agenda**
Moved:
Seconded:

ROLL CALL VOTE:
Forsythe ____, Peterson ____, Callahan ____, Dannenberg ____, Rodriguez ____

6. **REGULAR SESSION**

7. **Public Comments**

Public comments are welcome and encouraged by the Board within reasonable meeting time considerations in order to conduct the District's business. Public comments may only be given on agenda items for special board meetings. Persons wishing to address the Board should complete a "speaker form" and turn it into the recording secretary. Individual speakers shall be allowed three minutes on any special board meeting agenda item with a cumulative total of five minutes for all agenda items. The Board may limit the total time for public input on each item to 20 minutes. Also, speakers will not be allowed to give their time to other speakers. The Board is prohibited from taking action on any item that is not part of the printed and published agenda. Any individual with a disability, who requires reasonable accommodation to participate in a Board meeting, may request assistance by contacting the Superintendent's Office, 255 W. Stanley Ave., Suite 100, Ventura, CA 93001; (805) 641-5000 ext. 1014, fax (805) 653-7855.

8. **CONFERENCE - SUPERINTENDENT**

8.a [Board/Superintendent Workshop](#)

The California School Board Association (CSBA) Governance Consultant will facilitate a discussion regarding CSBA Governance standards with the Board and Superintendent regarding: roles, relationships, responsibilities, norms, protocols and Board self-evaluation. (The Board will take a 30 minute lunch during the time of 12:00 p.m. to 12:30 p.m.)

Dr. Antonio Castro, Superintendent; Ms. Sepideh Yeoh, CSBA Consultant

9. **ADJOURNMENT**

Moved:

Seconded:

ROLL CALL VOTE:

Forsythe___, Peterson___, Callahan ____, Dannenberg___, Rodriguez ___