



DELANO JOINT UNION HIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT

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Delano Joint Union High School District Citizens Advisory Committee Accepting Applications

The Delano Joint Union High School District Board of Trustees has established a Citizens Advisory Committee to support a transparent, community-engaged process to consider the renaming of Cesar E. Chavez High School. The Board's action follows reports that raised concerns among students, families, staff, and community members and reflects the District's responsibility to act in alignment with Board policy while maintaining trust, stability, and inclusive learning environments.

The committee will include representation from students, parents/guardians, staff, and community members. The committee's work will focus on reviewing a pre-approved list of name options—Mountain View High School, El Dorado High School, Millennium High School, Memorial High School, International High School, South Delano High School, Century High School, Unity High School, Harvest High School, and Freedom High School—and forwarding one recommended school name to the Board of Trustees for consideration on May 12, 2026.

The District will host an informational meeting regarding the Citizens Advisory Committee on **Thursday, April 16, 2026, at 5:00 p.m.** in the Cesar E. Chavez High School Library.

Community members interested in serving on the committee are encouraged to complete the interest form available at:

[DJUHS District Citizens Advisory Committee Interest Form – Fill out form](#)

Committee meetings are scheduled for **Thursday, April 30, 2026, and Thursday, May 7, 2026, at 5:00 p.m.**, both to be held in the Cesar E. Chavez High School Library. The advisory committee will focus its work on selecting one recommended name from the pre-approved list, and community members are welcome to attend meetings and offer public comment as part of this process.

Community members who wish to share comments outside of the advisory committee process are encouraged to do so directly with the Governing Board during regularly scheduled Board meetings.

For questions regarding the advisory committee process, please contact Kenneth Moore, Superintendent, at 661-720-4100 or kmoore@djuhsd.org.