

**Twin Hills Union School District
Board of Trustees Regular Meeting
May 07, 2026
Agenda**

Location: **Twin Hills Middle School**

(1685 Watertrough Road, Sebastopol, CA 95472)

Start Time: 4:30pm (Open Session)

PUBLIC ACCESSIBILITY & PARTICIPATION NOTICE

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A. FORMAL OPENING

1. Call Session To Order
2. Roll Call
3. Pledge of Allegiance
4. Approval of the Agenda

B-D. *Appear later in agenda*

E. PUBLIC COMMENT OPEN SESSION

The Board of Trustees welcomes public input and values community engagement. Members of the public may address the Board on matters within its jurisdiction. Comments must be respectful and focused on district business. Disruptive, hateful, or unrelated remarks will not be permitted. The Board President may set reasonable time limits to ensure broad participation.

1. Non-Agenda Items:

Speakers may address the Board on topics not listed on the agenda. Each speaker is limited to three minutes. In accordance with the Brown Act, the Board may not discuss or act on these items but may ask clarifying questions. Written or recorded comments may be submitted by 5:00 p.m. the day prior to the meeting and will be acknowledged during this time.

2. Agenda Items:

Public comment will be invited when each item is addressed. The Board President will recognize speakers following Board discussion and prior to any final action.

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F. DISCUSSION and/or POSSIBLE ACTION ITEMS

1. **Action – Approval of Curriculum Adoption: Amplify/Desmos Mathematics**

The Board will consider approval of math curriculum adoptions aligned to grade spans and site program needs. The adoption reflects a comprehensive review process and alignment with California standards to support rigorous and engaging mathematics instruction. (Attachment)

- a. Amplify Mathematics – TK–5, Apple Blossom School- Erin Elliott | Principal
b. Amplify/Desmos Mathematics – Grades 6–8, SunRidge School Karina Haedo | Director

D. RECOGNITION & REPORTS

~4:50 pm

1. **Celebrating Successes:** Each month, the Board of Trustees celebrates the programs, individuals, and achievements that embody our collaborative spirit and strengthen the Twin Hills school community.

May Focus: Performing Arts District Showcase
SunRidge Concert Performance
Twin Hills (Shrek snippet: Owen Young & Ellie Cholas)

2. **Report: Board of Trustees**
3. **Report: Superintendent**

F. DISCUSSION and/or POSSIBLE ACTION ITEMS (Continued)

2. **Information – Proposition 2 Facilities Planning Update: District Design Committee Launch and Ongoing Scope Development** Alexis Persinger | Persinger Architects (Attachment)
Architect will provide an update on the work of the District Design Committee and continued progress on scope development and summer submittal for Proposition 2 funds.
3. **Action – Approval of 2026–2027 SunRidge Site School Year Calendar**
Dana Pedersen | Superintendent (Attachment)
4. **Action – Approval of Resolution 2026-618 Ordering Election and Specifications of the Election**
Dana Pedersen | Superintendent (Attachment)
The Board will consider adoption of a resolution ordering the election and establishing specifications related to the upcoming ballot measure. This action fulfills statutory requirements for placement on the election ballot.
5. **Action – Amendment to Resolution #2026-617: Longevity Pay for Supervisory, District-Level, and Unrepresented Classified Employees**
Katie Anderson | CBO (Attachment)
The Board will consider an amendment to Resolution #2026-617 to revise provisions related to longevity pay. The update clarifies eligibility and ensures consistency across applicable employee groups.

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F. DISCUSSION and/or POSSIBLE ACTION ITEMS (Continued)

6. **Action – Resolution 2026-619: Final Elimination and Decision Not to Reemploy Classified Employees**
Katie Anderson | CBO (*Attachment*)
The Board will consider approval of Resolution 2026-619 authorizing the final elimination of specified classified positions and the decision not to reemploy affected employees. This action is taken pursuant to applicable provisions of the Education Code and district policy.
7. **Information – LCAP (Local Control Accountability Plan) Hub: Stakeholder Engagement Platform**
Dana Pedersen | Superintendent
Introduction of the [LCAP Hub](#) as a new stakeholder engagement site. The platform is designed to gather input and provide updates throughout the LCAP process for all sites.
8. **Information – Consolidated Application Reporting System (CARS) Annual Disclosure**
Katie Anderson | CBO (*Attachment*)
The Chief Business Official will provide the annual CARS disclosure as required by the California Department of Education. This report outlines federal program funding and assurances for the upcoming year.
9. **Action – (Second Reading) Approval of Certificated Job Description: Digital Media Arts Teacher**
Dana Pedersen | Superintendent (*Attachment*)
The Board will consider approval of a revised job description for the Digital Media Arts Teacher position at Twin Hills Middle School. The position supports hands-on, project-based instruction in digital media production and multimedia communication.
10. **Action – (Second Reading) Director of Special Education and School Psychologist**
Dana Pedersen | Superintendent (*Attachment*)
Consider approval of job description establishing a dual-role certificated management position that integrates Special Education leadership with direct school psychology services, aligning responsibilities to strengthen program oversight, compliance, service delivery, and coordination of student supports across the district.
11. **Action – Adoption of Salary Schedule: Certificated Management (School Psychologist / Special Education Director)**
Dana Pedersen | Superintendent (*Attachment*)
The Board will consider adoption of a salary schedule for the certificated management position supporting school psychology and special education leadership functions. The schedule reflects a 21-day work year and includes differentiated compensation based on administrative credential authorization and assigned responsibilities.
12. **Action – Approval of Dragonfly Therapeutics 2026–2027 Service Agreement**
Dana Pedersen | Superintendent (*Attachment*)
The Board will consider approval of the 2026–2027 service agreement with Dragonfly Therapeutics for occupational therapy services. The agreement supports delivery of services aligned with student IEPs at an estimated annual cost of \$65,000.
13. **Action – Approval of Deferred Maintenance Funding Transfer for 2026–2027**
Katie Anderson | CBO (*Attachment*)
The Board will consider approval of a transfer of funds to support deferred maintenance projects for the 2026–2027 fiscal year. This action ensures continued investment in facility upkeep and long-term capital planning.

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G. CONSENT CALENDAR

(Attachment)

The consent calendar includes routine items requiring Board approval. Items may be approved with a single motion unless removed by a Board member for separate discussion.

1. Donation Report: April 2026
2. Payroll and Expenditures: April 2026
3. Purchase Order Report: April 2026
4. Regular Board Meeting Minutes: April 12, 2026
5. Personnel Report: April 2026
6. Enrollment Report: April 2026

H. CORRESPONDENCE

1. SCOE: 2nd Interim Approval Letter
2. Twin Hills/ Apple Blossom Ed Foundation (THABEF) 2026-27 District Request Letter
3. Twin Hills/ Apple Blossom Ed Foundation (THABEF) 2025-2026 Impact Statement

PUBLIC COMMENT ON CLOSED SESSION ITEMS

Before adjourning to Closed Session, the Board President will call for public comment on any items listed on the Closed Session agenda. Members of the public may address the Board at this time. Comments must be limited to matters within the Board's jurisdiction and specific to the Closed Session topics.

B. RECESS TO CLOSED SESSION

1. **Conference Superintendent Evaluation** [Gov. Code § 54957]

C. RECONVENE TO OPEN SESSION

D. REPORT OUT OF CLOSED SESSION

I. FORMAL CLOSING

1. Next Regular Board Meetings Anticipated:
 - **June 23, 2026 @ 4:30 pm** (Twin Hills Middle - Library)- LCAP & Budget Hearings
 - **June 25, 2026 @ 4:30 pm** Twin Hills Middle - Library)- LCAP & Budget Adoptions
2. Motion to Adjourn

VIRTUAL ATTENDANCE INSTRUCTIONS

Join Zoom Meeting:

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