



Trinity County Office of Education

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MINUTES

Trinity County Board of Education Regular Board Meeting April 15, 2026

WHERE HELD: Trinity County Office of Education
201 Memorial Drive – Granite Room

MEMBERS PARTICIPATING: Randy Spencer, Area I
Vacant, Area II
Sally Aldinger, Area III
Arina Erwin, Area IV
Steve Canale, Area V

COUNTY OFFICE: Fabio Robles, Superintendent of Schools
Anthony Rebelo, Deputy Superintendent of Special
Education/SELPA Director
Liz McIntosh, HR/Payroll Director
Cindy Blanchard, Executive Director of Business Services
Kaila Arnold, Executive Secretary
Jeff Morris, Senior Advisor

1.0 Formal Opening

- 1.1 Call to Order
Sally called the meeting to order at 1:00 p.m.
- 1.2 Roll Call
- 1.3 Pledge of Allegiance
- 1.4 Additions or Changes to Agenda
No changes to the agenda were made.

- 2.0 Public Communication:** Persons wishing to address the Board on any item except personnel are invited to do so at this time. In the interest of time and order, presentations from the public are limited to three minutes per person, 20 minutes per topic, pursuant to Board policy. Please state your name and address before speaking. In accordance with the Brown Act, unless an item has been placed on the agenda there shall be no action taken. The Board may 1) acknowledge receipt of the information; 2) refer to staff for further study; 3) refer the matter to the next agenda.

There was no public communication.

3.0 Accept Open Session Agenda

Board President Aldinger asked the board for a motion to accept the Open Session Agenda.

MOTION: A motion was made by Board Member Canale, with a second by Board Member Spencer, to accept the Open Agenda. Motion passed.

4.0 Consent Agenda: The following consent agenda items are considered routine by the County Board and will be enacted with one motion. There will be no separate discussion of items unless a Board member so requests, in which event the item(s) will be considered following approval of the Consent Agenda.

4.1 Minutes – March 11, 2026

4.2 Warrants – March 2026

4.3 Payroll – March 2026

Board President Aldinger asked the Board if there was a motion to pull any items from the Consent Agenda. Hearing none, she asked the board for a motion to accept the Consent Agenda.

MOTION: A motion was made by Board Member Erwin, with a second by Board Member Spencer, to accept the Consent Agenda. The motion passed.

5.0 Convene to Closed Session

MOTION: A motion was made by Board Member Erwin, with a second by Board Member Canale, to enter into closed session to discuss student matters pursuant to Ed Code § 35146 as well as property negotiations per Government Code § 54956.8. The motion passed.

6.0 Reconvene in Open Session

6.1 Adjourn Closed Session, Reconvene in Open Session, and Report Action Taken in Closed Session

MOTION: The Board reconvened in open session and reported that, by majority vote, it voted to overrule the decision of Southern Trinity Joint Unified School District to deny the interdistrict transfer request of Student #25-26-01.

7.0 Information Items

7.1 Public Presentation of TCOE's Initial Proposal for Reopener Negotiations with CSEA and CTA Pursuant to Government Code §3547

HR/Payroll Director, Liz McIntosh, spoke briefly on item 7.1.

7.2 Summary of Complaints Per Williams Uniform Complaint Procedures (January 1, 2026, through March 31, 2026)

No complaints were made.

7.3 Review The 2026-2027 Trinity County Office of Education Business Calendar
The board reviewed item 7.3, which was also in the board packet for review.

8.0 Action Items

8.1 Review and/or Approve 2026-2027 Trinity County RISE School Calendar

MOTION: A motion was made by Board Member Canale, with a second by Board Member Spencer. The motion passed.

8.2 Approve Resolution #25-26-09 Trinity County Office of Education Change Lincoln Day Observance

MOTION: A motion was made by Board Member Erwin, with a second by Board Member Spencer. The motion passed.

8.3 Approve Resolution #25-26-10 Trinity County RISE Academy Change Lincoln Day Observance

MOTION: A motion was made by Board Member Canale, with a second by Board Member Erwin. The motion passed.

8.4 Consider and/or approve Resolution #25-26-11 Authorizing Filing of Application(s) For State Allocation Board-Administered Programs on or After October 31, 2024

MOTION: A motion was made by Board Member Erwin, with a second by Board Member Spencer. The motion passed.

8.5 Surplus of Vehicles (1999 Dodge Caravan, 1998 Jeep Cherokee, 2007 Kia Spectra, and two 2009 Kia Spectras) per BP/AR 3270

MOTION: A motion was made by Board Member Canale, with a second by Board Member Erwin. The motion passed.

8.6 Approve the Time, Date and Location of the May 20, 2026, Regular Board Meeting to Tour Junction City Elementary School District Facilities @ 2:30 p.m. with the Board Meeting to Follow @ 3:00 p.m. @ 430 Red Hill Road, Junction City, CA 96048

MOTION: A motion was made by Board Member Erwin, with a second by Board Member Canale. The motion passed.

9.0 Reports

9.1 Financial Report and Oversight Update

Executive Director of Business Services, Cindy Blanchard, provided the financial report and oversight update, which was included in the board packet for the members to review.

10.0 Correspondence

10.1 Wilkinson, Hadley & King Co. LLC.: Notice of Intent to Engage in Auditing For the 2025-26 Fiscal Year

Executive Director of Business Services, Cindy Blanchard, spoke briefly on item 10.1.

11.0 Superintendent's Report

Superintendent Fabio Robles shared with the board updates on:

- Recent events (STEAM Expo, Young Artists' Showcase, Musical Performances)
- Lewiston Elementary School
- Staffing

Deputy Superintendent, Anthony Rebelo, shared with the board updates on:

- Recent and upcoming conferences
- The Needs Assessment
- Training for Burnt Ranch ESD on evidence-based practices

12.0 Board Reports/Announcements/Comments

Board Member Erwin shared her report with the board.

13.0 Adjournment

MOTION: A motion was made by Board Member Erwin, with a second by Board Member Spencer to adjourn the meeting at 3:05 p.m. The motion passed.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'FR' or similar, written in a cursive style.

Fabio Robles, Ex-Officio Secretary
Trinity County Office of Education

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