



Monday, September 21, 2020
Special Meeting of Board of Education - Conducted Telephonically 5:30 p.m.

The agenda for each Board of Education meeting is posted 72 hours in advance of each regular meeting and 24 hours before a special meeting. Closed Session may be conducted in accordance with applicable sections of California law.

On March 12, 2020, the Governor issued an Executive Order N-25-20 suspending parts of the Brown Act that included the following:

All requirements in... the Brown Act expressly or impliedly requiring the physical presence of members, the clerk or other personnel of the body, or of the public as a condition of participation in or quorum for a public meeting are hereby waived." This means that Board Members may attend meetings remotely (i.e., by telephone or teleconference). Further, Board Meetings can proceed even if a quorum of the Board - or the entire Board - is participating remotely. This change also means that posting notices at the remote location and public access to the remote location are suspended, as well.

In compliance with the American with Disabilities Act, those requiring special assistance, to access written documents being discussed at the Board meeting, or to otherwise participate at Board meetings, please contact the Superintendent's Office at 562-602-6011 by 12:00 p.m., Monday, September 21, 2020 to enable the District to make reasonable arrangements.

Public Comments at Board Meetings:

The agenda shall provide members of the public the opportunity to address the Board regarding agenda items before or during the Board's consideration of the item. The agenda also provides members of the public an opportunity to testify at regular meetings on matters which are not on the agenda but which are within the subject matter jurisdiction of the Board.

In lieu of members of the public being physically present to address the Board, public comments may be submitted in writing to the Office of the Superintendent by 12:00 p.m., Monday, September 21, 2020 by emailing the Office of the Superintendent at publiccomment@paramount.k12.ca.us or you can submit your comments by using one of the following links:

English: bit.ly/PUSDeng040620

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The comments will also be provided to the Board. If you wish for your written comments to be read aloud, please indicate this specifically in your communication. Requests for written comments to be read aloud will be honored, subject to the Board's three (3) minute time limit on public comment. Any questions regarding public comment, you may contact the Superintendent's Office at 562-602-6011.

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1. Opening Items

Subject

1.1 Call To Order : _____

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Subject 1.2 Pledge of Allegiance

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The Pledge of Allegiance will be led by: Dr. Ryan Smith, Assistant Superintendent-Secondary Educational Services

Subject 1.3 Roll Call

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Vivian Hansen
Yesenia Cuarenta
Sonia De Leon
Linda Garcia
Carmen Gomez

Subject 1.4 Special Meeting Agenda September 21, 2020

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Access Public

Type Action

Recommended Action Approve the Special Meeting Agenda September 21, 2020.

2. Public Hearing

Subject 2.1 Hearing Guidelines

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3. Action Items

Subject	3.1 Learning Continuity and Attendance Plan for the 2020-21 school year
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Category	3. Action Items
Access	Public
Type	Action
Recommended Action	Approve the Learning Continuity and Attendance Plan for the 2020-21 school year.
Goals	<p>Focus Area 3: Positive School Climate and Environments Conducive to Learning - Goal 4: All school facilities will be clean, orderly, well maintained, and modern</p> <p>Focus Area 3: Positive School Climate and Environments Conducive to Learning - Goal 3: Create a safe and civil learning environment for all stakeholders that incorporates restorative practices</p> <p>Focus Area 3: Positive School Climate and Environments Conducive to Learning - Goal 2: Create positive, supportive, and caring relationships between all students, teachers, site leadership, and district leadership</p> <p>Focus Area 2: High Quality Teaching and Learning - Goal 4: Technology will be used as a tool for enhancing, personalizing, and improving learning</p> <p>Focus Area 2: High Quality Teaching and Learning - Goal 3: Instruction will be standards-based, relevant, personalized, and rigorous</p> <p>Focus Area 2: High Quality Teaching and Learning - Goal 1: All students will be held to high expectations for achievement and will meet or exceed the standards</p>

BACKGROUND INFORMATION:

Senate Bill 98, written to address school districts' needs in light of the COVID-19 pandemic, eliminates the requirement for a Local Control and Accountability Plan for the 2020-21 school-year and replaces it with the

Learning Continuity and Attendance Plan. The Learning Continuity and Attendance Plan was reviewed by parent committees including the PAC and EL-PAC and posted on the Paramount Unified School District website for review and comment by the public. On September 14, 2020 a public hearing on the Plan was held; after approval, the plan will be submitted electronically to Los Angeles County Office of Education.

POLICY/ISSUE:

Education Code Section 52060-52077(8)(g)

FISCAL IMPACT:

None

PREPARED BY:

Deborah Stark, Assistant Superintendent, K-8 Ed. Services

4. Adjournment

Subject

4.1 Time: _____

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