

Rescue Union School District
2390 Bass Lake Road, Rescue, California 95672

BOARD OF TRUSTEES
BOARD STUDY SESSION AGENDA
Tuesday, April 27, 2021 – 5:00 p.m. Closed Session
Rescue District Office Board Room

In response to the COVID-19 pandemic, Governor Newsom issued Executive Order N-29-20, which temporarily suspends provisions of the Brown Act relating to public meetings.

The Public’s health and well-being are the top priority for the Board of Trustees of the Rescue Union School District and you are urged to take all appropriate health safety precautions. To facilitate this process, the Board of Trustees, complying with social distancing guidelines will be meeting in person. However, the meeting of the Board will be held via Zoom for all audience participation.

Zoom: Meeting ID – 979 5223 3534 Password – 5306724803
(Please note: our capacity for participation is the first 500 attendees)

PLEASE NOTE: This meeting is being held in Closed Session. Audience participation will be available for the Public Comment section at the start of the meeting and when Open Session is reconvened at the end of the meeting.

Members of the public who wish to address the Board during the Board Meeting can email their name, phone number, and a description of their topic/questions to the Superintendent’s Office, slaurel@rescueusd.org and cc to RUSD Board President nbrownell@rescueusd.org.

A broadcast/recording is being made at the direction of the Board and the broadcast may capture images and sounds of those attending the meeting.

DISTRICT MISSION

Rescue Union School District, in partnership with families and the community, is dedicated to the success of every student by providing a challenging, comprehensive, and quality education in a safe environment in which all individuals are respected, valued, connected, and supported.

The trustees’ study session format provides Board members the time and opportunity to 1) hear reports on topics and projects that have been completed, 2) discuss on-going progress of programs and projects currently being implemented, 3) discuss long-range planning for projects and district issues, and 4) discuss and improve Board/staff communication and relationships. Agenda items are for information and discussion purposes. Board action will only be taken on items presented as a “Consideration for Action” item on the agenda. Times listed on the agenda are approximate. The agenda packet for this public meeting, as well as agenda documents distributed less than 72 hours prior to this meeting, are available for review in the Rescue Union School District Office at the above address.

NOTE: The meeting is being held by electronic means and will be made accessible to members of the public seeking to attend and to address the Board through the link set forth above, except that members of the public seeking to attend and to address the Board who require reasonable accommodations to access the meeting, based on disability or other reasons, should contact the following individual at least 48 hours in advance of this meeting to make arrangements for such reasonable accommodations.

Sean Martin, ADA Coordinator at 530-677-4461

TIME	ITEM	ITEM DESCRIPTION
5:00 p.m.	CALL TO ORDER:	Board president will call the meeting to order.
	ROLL CALL:	Nancy Brownell, President Michael Gordon, Vice President Suzanna George, Clerk Tagg Neal, Member Kim White, Member Cheryl Olson, Superintendent and Board Secretary Sean Martin, Assistant Superintendent of Business Services Dave Scroggins, Assistant Superintendent of Curriculum and Instruction

	PUBLIC COMMENTS:	Opportunity for members of the public to address the Board concerning items on the Closed Session Agenda.
5:05 p.m.	CLOSED SESSION:	The Board may adjourn to closed session to discuss matters of personnel, security, negotiations, student discipline, litigation, or other matters as authorized by Government Code Section 3549.1, 54956.9, 54956.8, 54957, and 54957.6 and Education code Sections 35146 and 48918.
	Conference with Labor Negotiator	Discussion with the District's designated negotiators, Dave Scroggins and Sean Martin, regarding directions and issues in negotiations with Rescue Union Federation of Teachers (RUFT), California School Employees Association (CSEA), Confidential Staff, and Administrative Management.
	Personnel Exemption	Pursuant to Government Code 54957.
TBD	OPEN SESSION:	Reconvene Open Session.
TBD	REPORT FROM CLOSED SESSION:	Board president will report any action taken in closed session.
TBD	ADJOURNMENT:	The next regularly scheduled Board meeting is May 11, 2021 and the next Board Study Session is May 25, 2021.