

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

BOARD OF TRUSTEES
STUDY SESSION AGENDA

Tuesday, March 22, 2022 – 6:15 P.M. (Closed Session at 5:30 p.m.)

Rescue District Office Board Room

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, there are two options to view and/or participate in this Study Session:

Open Session:

- 1) Via Zoom: **Meeting ID – 848 0001 0668 Password – 5306724803** (Please note: our capacity for participation is the first 500 attendees)
- 2) In person at the Rescue District Office Board Room, 2390 Bass Lake Road, Rescue. (Seating is first come, first served).

In addition, members of the public who are unable to attend and wish to address the Board can email their name, phone number, and a description of their topic/questions to the Superintendent’s Office, slaurel@rescueusd.org and cc the RUSD Board President mgordon@rescueusd.org. All correspondence will be shared with the entire Board of Trustees and Superintendent.

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

NOTE: In addition to in person attendance, this meeting is being held by video and/or telephonic 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. 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 District Office at 530-677-4461 at least 48 hours in advance of this meeting to make arrangements for such reasonable accommodations.

TIME	ITEM	ITEM DESCRIPTION
5:30 p.m.	CALL TO ORDER:	Board president will call the Study Session to order.
	ROLL CALL:	Michael Gordon, President Nancy Brownell, Vice President Suzanna George, Clerk Tagg Neal, Member Kim White, Member Jim Shoemake, Superintendent and Board Secretary
	PUBLIC COMMENT: (Closed session agenda items only)	There will be an in-person opportunity for members of the public to address the Board concerning items on the <i>Closed Session</i> Agenda. Virtual attendance is not available for this portion of the meeting. During <i>Open Session</i> public comments can be made in-person or via virtual attendance.
5:35 p.m.	CLOSED SESSION:	The Board will adjourn to closed session to discuss matters of personnel, security, negotiations, student discipline, litigation, or other matters as authorized by Government Code Sections 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 Superintendent, Jim Shoemake, and/or labor negotiators, Lisa Donaldson and Dustin Haley, regarding directions and issues in negotiations with Rescue Union Federation of Teachers (RUFT), California School Employees Association (CSEA), Confidential Staff, and Administrative Management.
6:15 p.m.	OPEN SESSION:	The Study Session will commence in the District Board Room.
	Welcome	The Board president will provide an introduction to the Board Study Session format.
	Flag Salute	The Board vice president will lead the flag salute.
	1. Adoption of Agenda (Consideration for Action)	This item is provided as an opportunity for trustees, through consensus, to re-sequence or table agenda topics.
TBD	PUBLIC COMMENTS:	<i>This item is placed on the agenda for the purpose of providing members of the public and Bargaining Unit representatives the opportunity to address the Board on any item of business that does not appear on the formal agenda. Each speaker will have two (2) minutes to address the Board. The clock on the screen counts down the time. Under the Ralph M. Brown Act, the Board of Trustees is not allowed to comment on items that are not on the agenda. The Board is not ignoring your comments. All public input is of great value, but the Board is legally unable to respond to individual comments. The Superintendent can refer items to staff who can follow up with you. The Board President will invite public comment on agenda items as they are discussed.</i>
TBD	GENERAL:	
	2. Early Retirement Incentive Certificated Non-Management, Classified Non-Management and Confidential Employees (Supplement) (Consideration for Action) Assistant Superintendent of Business Services	The Superintendent recommends the Board review and discuss the fiscal and operational benefits of the retirement incentive offered to Certificated Non-Management, Classified Non-Management, and Confidential Employees.
	3. LCAP – Goals 2 and 3 Study Session (Supplement) (Information and Discussion) Superintendent	The Superintendent recommends the Board engage in a LCAP Study Session focused on Goals 2 and 3.
TBD	ADJOURNMENT:	The next regularly scheduled Board meeting is April 5, 2022 at 6:30 p.m.