
**AZUSA UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARD
OF EDUCATION REGULAR BOARD
MEETING/STUDY SESSION**
Tuesday, February 21, 2023, at 5:30 p.m.

The Azusa Unified School District Board of Education met at the Administrative Offices at 546 S. Citrus Ave. for the Regular Board of Meeting/Study Session.

To view the entire meeting click here: <https://www.youtube.com/live/wcMV-3pd9aw?feature=share>

1.0 Preliminary

1.1 The Board President will call the Regular Board Meeting/Study Session of the Azusa Unified School District to Order

Board President Sabrina Bow Ed.D., called the Board meeting/ Study Session to order at 5:30 p.m.

1.2 Flag Salute

Diana Carmona, a Valleydale Elementary School student, led the audience in the flag salute.

1.3 Roll Call

Recommendation: It is recommended the Board President take roll call.

ROLL CALL

THE FOLLOWING MEMBERS WERE PRESENT:

BOARD	Sandra Benavides
MEMBERS:	Sabrina Bow, Ed.D
	Adrian Greer
	Yolanda Rodriguez-Peña

1.4 Approval of Agenda

Recommendation: It is recommended the Board of Education approve agenda.

ORIGINAL - Motion

Member (**Adrian Greer**) Moved, Member (**Yolanda Rodriguez-Peña**) Seconded to approve the **ORIGINAL** motion 'It is recommended the Board of Education approve agenda'. Upon a roll call vote being taken, the vote was: Aye: **4** Nay: **0**. The motion **Carried. 4 - 0**

Sandra Benavides	Yes
Sabrina Bow, Ed.D.	Yes
Adrian Greer	Yes

Board Member Gabriela Arellanes joined the meeting at 5:46 p.m.

2.0 Items From the Floor/Public Comment on Agenda or Non Agenda Items

2.1 Public Comment on Agenda or Non-Agenda Items

This is an opportunity for the public to address the Board of Education on agenda or non-agenda items. Individual speakers may be allowed up to three (3) minutes to address the Board of Education on any agenda or non-agenda items. When the public wishes to address the Board of Education on an agenda item, they may fill out a blue card, stand at the podium, or raise their hand while in the Zoom attendance. The Board of Education Members are not permitted to respond to public comments. The Board of Education will take blue card requests first, followed in order by speakers at the podium and then those in the Zoom attendance.

3.0 Study Session

3.1 Presentation of 2022-2023 Local Control and Accountability Plan (LCAP) January Update

To view the entire presentation click here: <https://www.youtube.com/live/wcMV-3pd9aw?feature=share&t=276>

It is important to ensure the LCAP is developed and reviewed through a process that includes multiple avenues for input and feedback from educational partners. This information will be used to review and revise the LCAP goals, metrics, actions/services, and budget.

Recommendation: It is recommended the Board of Education receive presentation of the 2022-2023 LCAP January Update.

3.2 Presentation of Governor's Budget Proposal Update

To view the entire update click here: <https://www.youtube.com/live/wcMV-3pd9aw?feature=share&t=4079>

School districts are funded primarily by the State of California budget. Each January, the Governor presents a proposal budget for the fiscal year beginning the following July. While state funding for schools is not officially determined until mid-June, districts begin developing their preliminary budget for the following school year based on the Governor's January proposal.

Recommendation: It is recommended the Board of Education receive presentation of Governor's Budget Proposal.

3.3 Review of Potential Azusa High School Mascots/Logos

As part of the School Reorganization process, the Board of Education decided that Azusa High School needed to change its mascot and that a committee, with the help of an outside facilitator, would come together for the purposes of deciding a new mascot. With the help of our facilitator, Dr. Jessica Wong, a committee representing students, parents, staff, alumni, and representatives of the Indigenous community came together. Over the course of

four meetings, this committee decided that the new mascot for Azusa High School Aztecs would be a Jaguar. Our design firm, NTS Communications, has now completed three draft mascots/logos and will be presented to the Board of Education for direction on next steps.

Recommendation: It is recommended the Board of Education review potential Azusa High School mascot/logos.

4.0 Adjournment

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Recommendation: It is recommended the Board of Education approve adjournment of the Regular Board Meeting/Study Session.

ORIGINAL - Motion

Member (**Yolanda Rodriguez-Peña**) Moved, Member (**Adrian Greer**) Seconded to approve the **ORIGINAL** motion 'It is recommended the Board of Education approve adjournment of the Regular Board Meeting/Study Session'. Upon a roll call vote being taken, the vote was: Aye: **5** Nay: **0**. The motion **Carried. 5 - 0**

Gabriela Arellanes	Yes
Sandra Benavides	Yes
Sabrina Bow, Ed.D.	Yes
Adrian Greer	Yes
Yolanda Rodriguez-Peña	Yes

The Regular Board Meeting/Study Session meeting adjourned at 7:32 p.m.


Clerk