

Scott Valley Unified School District
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Ensuring High Levels of Learning for All Students

Regular Meeting of the Board of Trustees

Wednesday, February 19, 2025

MINUTES

CALL TO ORDER

A Regular meeting of the Governing Board of the Scott Valley Unified School District was called to order by Brandon Fawaz at 5:00 p.m. on Wednesday, February 19, 2025 at Scott Valley Junior High School.

Roll Call - Members Present

Brandon Fawaz, President of the Board

Sandy Hogge, Clerk of the Board

Jason Finley

Jim Harris

Jennifer Thackeray

Members Absent: None

Public Comment regarding Closed Session items: none

CLOSED SESSION

The Board adjourned to Closed Session from 5:00 – 6:01 p.m.

OPEN SESSION

President Fawaz called the meeting to order at 6:03 p.m. and led the Board and Audience in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Jennifer Thackeray moved, seconded by Jim Harris, to approve the agenda for the Regular Meeting of the SVUSD Board of Trustees for February 19, 2025.

The motion passed with a roll call vote of 5 - 0

Ayes:

Brandon Fawaz

Jason Finley

Jim Harris

Sandy Hogge

Jennifer Thackeray

Noes: None

Absent: None

Reportable action taken in Closed Session

- No Reportable Action taken in Closed Session

PUBLIC COMMENT FOR OPEN SESSION

Public Comments:

- Ethan Knechtle, Etna High School student, Senior Project is Every 15 Minutes.

CONSENT AGENDA

- 5.1 Approved Minutes
 - 5.1.1 Regular Board Meeting: January 15, 2025
- 5.2 Approved Warrants
- 5.3 Approved Stipends
- 5.4 Ratified Employment listed on Closed Session Agenda
 - Employment
 - Student Services Specialist (Certified Wellness Coach), SVJH, Ben Morris
 - K12 Pathway Coordinator, Siskiyou County-wide, Jessica Sanchez
 - Volunteer Employment
 - Assistant Baseball Coach, EHS, Cody Stacher
 - Assistant Baseball Coach, EHS, Collin Krueger
 - Assistant Football Coach, EHS, Kris Wilson
- 5.5 Approved Additional Contractors
 - 5.5.1 Chaim Perlman
- 5.6 Approved Contracts for Services and Materials
- 5.7 Approved Overnight/Out of State Trips, February – July, 2025

Motion to Approve Consent Agenda: Sandy Hogge, 2nd: Jennifer Thackeray

Roll Call Vote of 5 – 0

Ayes:

Brandon Fawaz

Jason Finley

Jim Harris

Sandy Hogge

Jennifer Thackeray

Noes: None

Absent: None

REPORTS, COMMUNICATIONS, and AWARDS

Award presentation for 2024-25 Siskiyou County Employees of the Year from Association of California School Administrators (ACSA) to:

- Tia Palangvanh, Etna High School Counselor award presented by Joy Isbell, EHS Principal
- Julie Hogun, District Office Executive Assistant/Confidential award presented by Micheline Miglis, Superintendent

6.1 Reports

6.1.1 Tribal Report – Indian Parents Committee: None

6.1.2 Principal Reports – School Plan for Student Achievement (SPSA)

Fort Jones Elementary School, Raylene Lang
Scott Valley Junior High School, Erin Fowle

6.1.3 Superintendent's Report

6.1.3.1 Resignations/Retirements

6.1.3.1.1 Human Resources/Payroll Coordinator, Joy Edwards

6.1.3.1.2 Transportation Supervisor/Bus Driver, Dianne Hasemeyer

6.1.3.1.3 Paraprofessional, Laurie Sweezey

6.1.3.1.4 Bus Driver, Neil Whipple

6.1.3.2 District News and Updates: No report

6.1.3.2.1 LCAP Mid-Year Monitoring Report for 2024-25 LCAP

PUBLIC HEARINGS

7.1 Topic of Hearing: School Facilities Fees
Public Input/Questions: None

REGULAR AGENDA

8.1 Approved Resolution #25-011, Increasing School Facilities Fees

Motion to Approve: Jennifer Thackeray, 2nd: Jason Finley

Vote of 5 – 0

Ayes:

Brandon Fawaz

Jason Finley

Jim Harris

Sandy Hogge

Jennifer Thackeray

Noes: None

Absent: None

8.2 Approved Audit Extension Request to Siskiyou County Office of Education for 2022-23 Audit

Motion to Approve: Jim Harris, 2nd: Jennifer Thackeray

Vote of 5 – 0

Ayes:

Brandon Fawaz
Jason Finley
Jim Harris
Sandy Hogge
Jennifer Thackeray
Noes: None
Absent: None

- 8.3 Approved 2024-25 School Plan for Student Achievement (SPSA) Etna Elementary School, Etna High School, Fort Jones Elementary, and Scott Valley Junior High
Motion to Approve: Jennifer Thackeray, 2nd: Sandy Hogge
Vote of 5 – 0
Ayes:
Brandon Fawaz
Jason Finley
Jim Harris
Sandy Hogge
Jennifer Thackeray
Noes: None
Absent: None
- 8.4 Approved District Comprehensive School Safety Plan including the Learning Continuity Plan
Motion to Approve: Jim Harris, 2nd: Sandy Hogge
Vote of 5 – 0
Ayes:
Brandon Fawaz
Jason Finley
Jim Harris
Sandy Hogge
Jennifer Thackeray
Noes: None
Absent: None
- 8.5 Approved Resolution 25-012, Authorization to Teach Single Subjects
Motion to Approve: Jennifer Thackeray, 2nd: Jason Finley
Vote of 5 – 0
Ayes:
Brandon Fawaz
Jason Finley
Jim Harris
Sandy Hogge
Jennifer Thackeray
Noes: None
Absent: None
- 8.6 Approved Classified Management and Confidential Unrepresented Salary Schedule adding K12 Pathway Coordinator
Motion to Approve: Jennifer Thackeray, 2nd: Jim Harris

Vote of 5 – 0

Ayes:

Brandon Fawaz

Jason Finley

Jim Harris

Sandy Hogge

Jennifer Thackeray

Noes: None

Absent: None

- 8.7 Approved Payment of CSEA Early Notification Incentive to Dianne Hasemeyer and Laurie Sweezey

Motion to Approve: Jennifer Thackeray, 2nd: Jason Finley

Vote of 5 – 0

Ayes:

Brandon Fawaz

Jason Finley

Jim Harris

Sandy Hogge

Jennifer Thackeray

Noes: None

Absent: None

- 8.8 Approved Payment of Unrepresented Early Notification Incentive to Joy Edwards and Dianne Hasemeyer

Motion to Approve: Jennifer Thackeray, 2nd: Sandy Hogge

Vote of 5 – 0

Ayes:

Brandon Fawaz

Jason Finley

Jim Harris

Sandy Hogge

Jennifer Thackeray

Noes: None

Absent: None

- 8.9 Reviewed 2025-26 Instructional Calendar, Draft options one, two, and three. Discussion - final option will be presented at the March meeting.

- 8.10 Approved 2nd Reading, Board Policies and Administrative Regulations, December 2024 Batch

8.10.1 BP/AR 0460, Local Control and Accountability Plan

8.10.2 BP/AR 1250, Visitors/Outsiders

8.10.3 BP/AR 3100, Budget

8.10.4 BP/AR 3280, Sale or Lease of District-Owned Real Property

8.10.5 BP 3320, Claims and Actions Against the District, Delete AR 3320

8.10.6 BP/AR 3515.5, Sex Offender Notification

8.10.7 BP 3540, Transportation

8.10.8 BP/AR 5113.1, Chronic Absence and Truancy

- 8.10.9 BP/AR 5148, Child Care and Development
- 8.10.10 BP/AR 5148.2, Before/After School Programs
- 8.10.11 BP/AR 5148.3, Preschool/Early Childhood Education
- 8.10.12 BP/AR 6158, Independent Study
- 8.10.13 BP 6170.1, Transitional Kindergarten
- 8.10.14 BP/AR 6174, Education for English Learners
- 8.10.15 BB 9240, Board Training
- 8.10.16 BB/E 9270, Conflict of Interest

Motion to Approve: Jim Harris, 2nd: Jennifer Thackeray

Vote of 5 – 0

Ayes:

Brandon Fawaz

Jason Finley

Jim Harris

Sandy Hogge

Jennifer Thackeray

Noes: None

Absent: None

BOARD REPORTS

- Jim Harris inquired as to why we don't conduct parent/teacher conferences mid-year – would like to see this happen
- Jim Harris would like to see the district move away from Chromebooks and provide computers/laptops to students

Reconvened to Closed Session: 7:05 – 7:50 p.m.

No Reportable Action taken in Closed Session

ADJOURNMENT

President Fawaz adjourned the meeting at 7:50 p.m.



Julie Hogun, Executive Assistant



Brandon Fawaz
President, SVUSD Board of Trustees



Sandy Hogge
Clerk, SVUSD Board of Trustees