



**Tuesday, July 20, 2021**  
**Special Meeting of the Board of Trustees**

**NOTE: Items on the agenda may be taken out of order; combined with other items; removed from the agenda; moved to the agenda of another meeting; moved to or from the Consent agenda; or may be voted on in a block. Items with a specific time designation will not be heard prior to the stated time, but may be heard later. The Consent agenda is a single agenda item and is considered as a block and will not be read aloud. The Board of Trustees may take recesses at the discretion of the Board President.**

**1. Opening Items**

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- 1.01 Call to Order - 9:00 a.m. - Administration Building, Board Room 425 E. Ninth Street Reno, Nevada
- 1.02 Ceremonial Swearing-in of newly appointed member of the Board of Trustees
- 1.03 Roll Call
- 1.04 Pledge of Allegiance

**2. Items for Presentation, Discussion, Information and/or Action - • Public Comment – Any individual may address the Board of Trustees concerning any action item listed below. A completed “Citizen’s Request to Speak” card should be filled out and submitted before speaking during the Public Comment section, which must at least include the name of the speaker. Prior to any action, the Board President will invite the individual to come forward to speak. Pursuant to Board Policy 9115, Meetings of the Board of Trustees, all persons are limited to 3 minutes per item. The time limit may be altered at the discretion of the President of the Board/Chair of the Committee. Pursuant to NRS 241.035, correspondence or written materials submitted for public comment shall be attached to the minutes of the meeting. The Board of Trustees/Committee may impose reasonable content-neutral restrictions on public comment such as willfully disruptive comments that are irrelevant, repetitious, slanderous, offensive, inflammatory, irrational, amounting to personal attacks, or interfering with the rights of other speakers. All members of the general public will be expected to wear appropriate face coverings per the Governor’s Directives. If members of the public refuse or fail to do so, in order to protect the health, safety, and welfare of all members of the general public, staff, and the Trustees as well as commiserate with the Governor’s Directives, they will be asked to leave the meeting. If there is not enough space available for all members of the general public, the Board respectfully requests that members of the public watch the meeting online at a location different from the meeting’s location in order to provide enough space for all members of the general public to make public comment. The Board will also accept public comments before and during the meeting through [publiccomments@washoeschools.net](mailto:publiccomments@washoeschools.net). The Board will take time to read those comments during the meeting and announce the names of those who provided public comment via email.**

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2.01 REVIEW AND DISCUSSION BY THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES (BOARD) REGARDING THE APPLICATIONS RECEIVED FROM APPLICANTS TO FILL THE VACANCY ON THE BOARD IN DISTRICT D CREATED BY THE RESIGNATION OF FORMER TRUSTEE KURT THIGPEN; AND POSSIBLE ACTION TO SELECT THOSE CANDIDATES TO BE INTERVIEWED BY THE BOARD FROM AMONG THE FOLLOWING LEGALLY-QUALIFIED APPLICANTS: HAWAH AHMAD, MATTHEW BUEHLER, TERRY EDWARDS, MARK GREEN, JILL PELLICCIARINI, SERENA ROBB, TYLER ROGERS, ANN SILVER, ELIZABETH “BETH” SMITH, AND SHELIA YOUNG (FOR POSSIBLE ACTION)

**3. Closing Items**

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3.01 Public Comment – Comments from the public are invited at this time on topics not specifically addressed elsewhere in the agenda. A “Citizen’s Request to Speak” card should be filled out and submitted to the Recording Secretary before speaking during the Public Comment section, which must at least include the name of the speaker. Pursuant to Board Policy 9115, Meetings of the Board of Trustees, all persons are limited to 3 minutes per item. The time limit may be altered at the discretion of the President of the Board/Chair of the Committee. In order to comply

with Nevada Revised Statutes (NRS) Chapter 241 (Open Meeting Law) and on the advice of Legal Counsel, the Board/Committee is discouraged from discussing and precluded from deliberating and/or acting on items raised by Public Comment which are not already on the agenda. Pursuant to NRS 241.035, correspondence or written materials submitted for public comment shall be attached to the minutes of the meeting. The Board of Trustees/Committee may impose reasonable content-neutral restrictions on public comment such as willfully disruptive comments that are irrelevant, repetitious, slanderous, offensive, inflammatory, irrational, amounting to personal attacks, or interfering with the rights of other speakers. All members of the general public will be expected to wear appropriate face coverings per the Governor's Directives. If members of the public refuse or fail to do so, in order to protect the health, safety, and welfare of all members of the general public, staff, and the Trustees as well as commiserate with the Governor's Directives, they will be asked to leave the meeting. If there is not enough space available for all members of the general public, the Board respectfully requests that members of the public watch the meeting online at a location different from the meeting's location in order to provide enough space for all members of the general public to make public comment. The Board will also accept public comments before and during the meeting through [publiccomments@washoeschools.net](mailto:publiccomments@washoeschools.net). The Board will take time to read those comments during the meeting and announce the names of those who provided public comment via email.

### 3.02 Adjourn Meeting

#### Forum Restrictions and Orderly Conduct of Business:

The Board of Trustees conducts the business of the Washoe County School District during its meetings. The presiding officer may order the removal of any person whose statement or other conduct disrupts the orderly, efficient or safe conduct of the meeting. Warnings against disruptive comments or behavior may or may not be given prior to removal. The viewpoint of a speaker will not be restricted, but reasonable restrictions may be imposed upon the time, place and manner of speech. Irrelevant and unduly repetitious statements and personal attacks which antagonize or incite others are examples of speech that may be reasonably limited.

Members of the public wishing to request supporting materials for this meeting or who are disabled and require special accommodations at the meeting should contact Jennifer (JJ) Batchelder, Board Services Coordinator. Ms. Batchelder can be contacted in writing via email at [jbatchelder@washoeschools.net](mailto:jbatchelder@washoeschools.net). This agenda and supporting materials, when appropriate, have been posted at the following locations:

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[www.washoeschools.net/Page/517](http://www.washoeschools.net/Page/517) - Agenda  
State of Nevada - [www.notice.nv.gov](http://www.notice.nv.gov)  
Washoe County School District Central Administrative Building – Agenda only  
Washoe County Administration Building – Agenda only  
Washoe County Courthouse – Agenda only  
Reno City Hall – Agenda only  
Sparks City Hall – Agenda only  
Sparks Library – Agenda only  
Pyramid Lake Paiute Tribe Administration Building-Agenda only  
Reno Sparks Indian Colony Administration Office-Agenda only