



**Tuesday, August 8, 2023**  
**Regular 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 - 2:00 p.m. - Administration Building, Board Room 425 E. Ninth Street Reno, Nevada
- 1.02 Roll Call
- 1.03 Pledge of Allegiance
- 1.04 Land Acknowledgment

**2. Consent Agenda Items - All matters listed under the consent agenda are considered routine and may be acted upon by the Board of Trustees with one action and without an extensive hearing. Since approval of the consent agenda may be approved in one motion, members of the public wishing to speak on a consent agenda item should submit a Public Comment Card prior to any vote. Members of the public may also email public comments to [publiccomments@washoeschools.net](mailto:publiccomments@washoeschools.net). Any Trustee may request that an item be taken from the consent agenda, discussed, and acted upon separately during this meeting. If a consent agenda item has already been deliberated before the Board, then two Trustees are required to make the request to remove the item from the consent agenda for more deliberation. As the manager of the meeting, the President or acting chair retains discretion in deciding whether an item will be removed from the consent agenda and considered separately. If the manager of the meeting chooses not to remove an item from the consent agenda, a Trustee may make a motion to remove an item from the consent agenda for it to be considered separately.**

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2.01 Approval of Consent Agenda Items 2.02 through 2.03 (FOR POSSIBLE ACTION) - All matters listed under the consent agenda are considered routine and may be acted upon by the Board of Trustees with one action and without an extensive hearing. Since approval of the consent agenda may be approved in one motion, members of the public wishing to speak on a consent agenda item should submit a Public Comment Card prior to any vote. Members of the public may also email public comments to [publiccomments@washoeschools.net](mailto:publiccomments@washoeschools.net). Any member of the Board may request that an item be taken from the consent agenda, discussed, and acted upon separately during this meeting. The President or the acting chair retains discretion in deciding whether or not an item will be removed from the consent agenda. If a consent agenda item has already been deliberated before the Board, then two Trustees are required to request removal of an item from the consent agenda for additional deliberation.

2.02 APPROVAL OF THE GRANT APPLICATION TO GOOGLE, INC. TO FUND SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY, ENGINEERING AND MATHEMATICS (STEM) LAB TECHNOLOGY FOR COLD SPRINGS MIDDLE SCHOOL, LOU MENDIVE MIDDLE SCHOOL, YVONNE SHAW MIDDLE SCHOOL, AND SPARKS MIDDLE SCHOOL FOR \$135,000 (FOR POSSIBLE ACTION)

2.03 APPROVAL OF THE APPOINTMENT OF ANTHONY MARINI, PARENT, AS A MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF CONTROL OF THE NEVADA INTERSCHOLASTIC ACTIVITIES ASSOCIATION (NIAA) FROM THE WASHOE COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT, FOR A TERM ENDING JUNE 30, 2024 (FOR POSSIBLE ACTION)

**3. Items for Presentation, Discussion, Information, and/or Action - • Public Comment – Comments from the public are invited on items listed for possible action. A Public Comment 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. The Board/Committee will also accept public comments before and during the meeting through [publiccomments@washoeschools.net](mailto:publiccomments@washoeschools.net). The Board/Committee 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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3.01 PRESENTATION, DISCUSSION, AND POSSIBLE ACTION TO APPROVE DESIGN PHASE FUNDING ALLOCATION TOWARD THE REBUILD OF E. OTIS VAUGHN MIDDLE SCHOOL IN THE AMOUNT OF \$5,200,000 AS RECOMMENDED BY THE CAPITAL FUNDING PROTECTION COMMITTEE (FOR POSSIBLE ACTION)

3.02 FOLLOW UP PRESENTATION OF HUMAN RESOURCES (HR) ASSESSMENT COMPLETED TO IDENTIFY THE STRENGTHS, GAPS, AND OPPORTUNITIES FOR IMPROVEMENT AS IT RELATES TO WASHOE COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICTS HUMAN RESOURCES DEPARTMENT AND ITS CURRENT FUNCTIONS (FOR PRESENTATION AND DISCUSSION ONLY)

3.03 PRESENTATION TO INTRODUCE NEW SCHOOL PRINCIPALS TO BOARD OF TRUSTEES AND COMMUNITY (FOR PRESENTATION ONLY)

#### **4. Reports - No discussion among the Board of Trustees will occur under these items**

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4.01 STUDENT REPRESENTATIVE'S REPORT - No discussion among the Board of Trustees will occur under this item

4.02 BOARD REPORTS – Each Trustee will have 3 minutes to provide the community with an update of the Trustee's activities related to Washoe County School District. No discussion among the Board of Trustees will occur under this item

4.03 SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT - No discussion among the Board of Trustees will occur under this item

#### **5. Closing Items**

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5.01 Public Comment – Comments from the public are invited at this time on topics not specifically addressed elsewhere in the agenda. A Public Comment 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. The Board/Committee will also accept public comments before and during the meeting through [publiccomments@washoeschools.net](mailto:publiccomments@washoeschools.net). The Board/Committee will take time to read those comments during the meeting and announce the names of those who provided public comment via email.

5.02 Next Meeting Announcement - August 22, 2023

5.03 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.

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