

RIVER DELTA UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

Notice of a Special Meeting of the Board of Trustees

By Order of the President of the Board of Trustees, this is a Call for the Special Meeting of the Board of Trustees of the River Delta Unified School District to be held:

October 21, 2023

In-Person Only, General Open Session 9:30am

The Club at The Thisby Ranch

14825 Isleton Road, Walnut Grove, CA 95690

A copy of the full agenda (with backup documents but without confidential closed session items) is available for public review at the District Office, 445 Montezuma St., Rio Vista, California, at least 24 hours prior to the announced meeting of the Board of Trustees or online at <http://riverdelta.org> under the heading: Board of Trustees

ADDRESSING THE BOARD: Anyone may address the Board regarding any subject that is within the Board's subject-matter jurisdiction [Government Code Section 54954.3 and Education Code Sections 35145.5 and 72121.5]. The Board of Trustees welcomes public participation, consistent with the Brown Act, on items that appear on the agenda and those items that are not appearing on the agenda. **If you wish to address the Board during the Public Comment section of the meeting or during the corresponding item section, you must complete and submit an electronic Public Comment Card or submit a paper Public Comment Card to the Executive Assistant or designee prior to the General Open Session of the meeting.** Individuals are not required to sign in, or otherwise disclose their name or other information as a condition to attend a meeting or address the Board. You will be called upon to speak during the Public Comment section or the specified agenda item you have selected. If you prefer not to provide your name, you will need to provide how you wish to be identified when called upon. If you are attending the School Board meeting via Zoom please make sure that the name on the Public Comment Card matches the name you enter when joining the Zoom Meeting. **However, understand the Board may not take action on any item which is not listed on this agenda** (except as authorized by Government Code Section 54954.2). (BB9323), The Board may ask clarifying questions related to the public comments made on items appearing on the agenda or the Board may refer such matter to the Superintendent or designee. (Education Code 35145.5, Government Code 54954.2). **Individual speakers shall be allowed three minutes to address the Board on any agenda item or non-agenda item. The Board shall limit the total time for public presentation and input on all items to a maximum of 20 minutes.** With Board consent, the Board President may increase or decrease the time allowed for public comment, depending on the topic and the number of persons wishing to be heard and the overall length of the agenda. The Board President may take a poll of speakers for or against a particular issue and may ask that additional persons speak only if they have something new to add. (BB 9323) Anyone may appear at the Board meeting to testify in support of, or in opposition to, any item on this agenda being presented to the Board for consideration. {If you wish to have an item placed on the agenda for discussion and/or action by the Board, you must notify the Board Secretary/Superintendent in writing no later than ten working days prior to a regularly scheduled Board meeting requesting permission. After the Superintendent's Cabinet has met, you will be notified of their decision.} **If you have a comment or complaint regarding a specific employee, please refrain from making a public comment and contact the employee's supervisor for resolution.**

SPECIAL MEETING AGENDA – Board Workshop

1. Call the Open Session to Order (@ 8:30 a.m.)
2. Roll Call
3. Review Closed Session Agenda (see attached agenda)
 - 3.1 Announce Closed Session Agenda
 - 3.2 Public Comment on Closed Session Agenda Items Only
4. Approve Closed Session Agenda and Adjourn to the **Closed Session** (@ 8:31 a.m.)
Motioned: _____ Second: _____ Ayes: _____ Noes: _____ Absent: _____ Time: _____
5. Reconvene to Open Session (@ approx. 9:30 a.m.) Time: _____
 - 5.1 Retake Roll Call
Member Stone ____; Member Jelly ____; Member Riley ____; Member Casillas ____;
Member Apel ____; Member Mahoney ____; Member Lamera ____
 - 5.2 Pledge of Allegiance
6. Report of Action taken, if any, during the Closed Session (Government Code Section 54957.1) – Board President Lamera
7. Review and Approve the **Open Session** Agenda
Motioned: _____ Second: _____ Ayes: _____ Noes: _____ Absent: _____

8. **Public Comment: Individual speakers who have submitted a Comment Card shall be allowed three minutes to address the Board on any agendized or non-agendized item. The Board shall limit the *total time* for public presentation and input on *all items* to a maximum of 20 minutes.** The Board will follow the process for Public Comments listed above.
9. Request to Approve the Purchase of a 2015 GMC Sierra K3500 DE for the Rio Vista High School Agricultural Department, Cost of \$54,017.096 Plus Applicable Fees, K12 Strong Workforce Program Grant – Nancy Viehauer, Assistant Superintendent of Educational Services
- Motioned: _____ Second: _____ Ayes: _____ Noes: _____ Absent: _____
10. Welcome Guest and Presenters – Katherine Wright, Superintendent
11. Hold an Effective Governance Workshop/Study Session – President Lamera
12. Re-Adjourn to continue Closed Session, if needed
13. Report of Action taken, if any, during continued Closed Session (Government Code Section 54957.1) - Board President Lamera
14. Adjournment
- Motioned: _____ Second: _____ Ayes: _____ Noes: _____ Absent: _____ Abstentions: _____ Time: _____

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Americans with Disabilities Act Compliance: Any and all requests for "...any disability-related modification or accommodation, including auxiliary aids or services..." needed to access our agendas or to participate in the public meetings, must be received in writing by the Superintendent's Office at 445 Montezuma Street, Rio Vista, CA 94571 at least annually before July 1 of each year -- or at least 5 calendar days prior to the individual meeting in question. All inquiries may be directed to the Superintendent's Office c/o Jennifer Gaston at (707) 374-1711.

AFFIDAVIT OF NOTICING AND POSTING:

I, Jennifer Gaston, Executive Assistant to the Board of Trustees, declare that a copy of this Special Meeting Agenda/Notice was posted in the bulletin board in front of the District Office and that the Board of Trustees Members, District administrative offices and schools, the community libraries were provided notice or caused to be provided notice via fax, e-mail and/or hand delivery on Friday, October 20, 2023, by or before 8:30 a.m.

By: Jennifer Gaston, Executive Assistant, to the Superintendent.

ATTACHMENT
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CLOSED SESSION

As provided by Government Code Section 54957, the Board is requested to meet in closed session for consideration of **personnel appointment, employment, discipline, complaint, evaluation or dismissal** [Government Code Section 54957], **possible or pending litigation** [Government Code 54956.9(a)(b)(c)], **student discipline** [Education Code Sections 49070 (c) and 76232 (c)], **employee/employer negotiations** [Government Code Section 3549.1 and 54957.6], **or real property transactions** [Government Code Section 54956.8].

A Closed Session will be held beginning at 8:31 a.m. on October 21, 2023, at The Club at The Thisby Ranch - 14825 Isleton Road, Walnut Grove, CA 95690, California (which is prior to the full Open Session). Any formal action taken by the Board will be reported in the Open Session of this special meeting of the Board of Trustees [Government Code Section 54957.1]. As needed, this Closed Session may be reconvened following the full Open Session. Any formal action taken by the Board will be reported in Open Session prior to adjournment.

4. CLOSED SESSION

- 4.2 **Possible or Pending Litigation** [Government Code 54956.9(a)(b)(c)]
Following Conference with Legal Counsel (Parker & Covert, LLC; Edwards, Stevens & Tucker LLP; Burke, Williams & Sorensen, LLP) – Pending or Anticipated Litigation/Potential Case(s) Update(s)
- 4.2.1 Name(s) unspecified as disclosure would jeopardize the service of process and/or existing/possible settlement negotiations
- 4.2.1.1 Development Discussion with Counsel (Parker & Covert, LLC) and SCI Consulting Group, the RiverDelta Unified School District's Lead Negotiator

5. Adjourn to Open Session (@9:30 a.m.) Any formal action taken by the Board in the above items will be reported in Open Session of this regular meeting of the Board of Trustees [Government Code Section 54957.1]. The meeting may be reconvened as needed (i.e. following the end of Open Session).

Motioned: _____ Second: _____ Ayes: _____ Noes: _____ Absent: _____ Time: _____
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