

OUR CHILDREN. LEARNING TODAY. LEADING TOMORROW.

*Mission Statement: PUSD prepares students for success in an ever-evolving world.*

*We are committed to cultural responsiveness and academic excellence.*

*Vision Statement: We will transform education to empower students to succeed.*



**PASADENA UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT  
BOARD OF EDUCATION**

**November 7, 2023**

**SPECIAL MEETING  
NOTICE AND AGENDA**

**6:30 P.M. – CLOSED SESSION**

**ELBIE J. HICKAMBOTTOM BOARD ROOM #236  
351 S. HUDSON AVENUE, PASADENA, CA 91101**

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at least 24 hours before the meeting start time.**

**A. Call to Order (6:30 p.m.)**

<b><u>Roll Call – Board Members</u></b>	<b>PRESENT</b>	<b>ABSENT</b>
Patrick Cahalan – District 4		
Patrice Marshall McKenzie – District 5		
Tina Fredericks – District 6		
Dr. Yarma Velázquez – District 7		
Jennifer Hall Lee, Clerk – District 2		
Kimberly Kenne, Vice President – District 1		
Michelle Richardson Bailey, President – District 3		
Dr. Elizabeth Blanco, Interim Superintendent		

**Pledge of Allegiance**

**Culture Statement**

*Pasadena Unified School District shall cultivate a culture of trust where employees, parents, students, and the community are welcomed, valued, and supported. We will collaborate with each other and our partners to achieve academic excellence, pursue continuous personal and professional improvement, and build positive relationships. We will celebrate our strengths and continually embrace opportunities to improve as a community of learners.*

**B. Public Comment on Closed Session Agenda Items      TIME CERTAIN – 6:30 P.M.**

*Members of the public have a right to address the Board concerning any item scheduled for consideration at a special board meeting. All speakers are allowed a maximum of three (3) minutes; however, at the Board's discretion, if the time to accommodate all speakers exceeds thirty minutes, the time may be reduced to two (2) minutes per speaker. A speaker's allotted time cannot be deferred to another speaker. If submitting comments in writing, email them to [publiccomment@pusd.us](mailto:publiccomment@pusd.us), clearly marked "Public Comment." Please note that comments will not be read aloud at the meeting but will be made a part of the archived agenda documents.*

**C. Recess to Closed Session (6:30 P.M.)**

Notice is hereby given that a closed session of the Board will be held under the general provisions of Government Code Section 54957. Topics of discussion are:

1) <b><u>Conference with Labor Negotiator (GC §54957.6)</u></b> <i>Labor Negotiator: Dr. Sergio Canal, Chief, Human Resources</i> <i>Employee Organizations: UTP, CSEA, Teamsters, PACTE,</i> <i>Unrepresented</i>	<b>MOTION SECOND VOTE</b>
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**D. Adjournment**