

Camino Union School District

Minutes

Regular Board Meeting, Tuesday October 12, 2021



Regular Meeting

Camino School Library, 3060 Snows Road, Camino CA 95709 also via Zoom

Tuesday, October 12, 2021

05:45 PM

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VISION

All members of the Camino School community will experience an educational environment dedicated to developing independent, lifelong learners who are prepared to participate creatively and independently in shaping the future.

MISSION

The Camino Union School District joins with the community to provide a high-quality, standards-based education for all students, preparing them academically, socially, and emotionally for success in high school and as productive citizens in our diverse society.

2026 SCHEDULE OF MEETINGS

- January 13, 2026
- February 10, 2026
- March 10, 2026
- April 14, 2026
- May 12, 2026
- June 16, 2026 Budget/LCAP public hearings
- June 18, 2026 Budget/LCAP adoption
- August 11, 2026
- September 8, 2026
- October 13, 2026
- November 10, 2026
- December 14, 2026 (Monday)

Details

Board Members:

Robert Van Gilder
Judy Morris
Pat Kernan
Mike Barreno
Gene Wooden

1. MEETING ANNOUNCEMENTS

1.1 MEETING ACCESS:

2. Call to Order

2.1 Call the meeting to order:

Discussion:

The meeting was called to order at 5:45 pm

3. Public Comments on Closed Session

3.1 Public Comments:

Discussion:

There were no public comments on the closed session agenda and the Board adjourned to closed session at 5:46 pm

4. Adjourn to Closed Session

4.1 Public Employee Performance Evaluation (G.C.54957)

4.2 Litigation

4.3 Conference with Labor Negotiator (G.C. 54957.6)

4.4 Employee Organizations

4.5 Superintendent Evaluation

5. Reconvene Regular Meeting

5.1 Pledge of Allegiance:

Discussion:

The meeting reconvened at 6:36 pm and the Pledge of Allegiance was led by Member Van Gilder

6. Meeting Management

6.1 Roll Call:

Discussion:

All members were present.

6.2 Staff Members in Attendance:

Discussion:

Matthew Smith, Laurisa Stuart, Tina Constancio, Jan Kurtz, Tara Blanton, Dusty Botting, Adrianne Bitondo, Alisha Rains, and Jennifer Anderson (recording secretary)

6.3 Others present (signed in):

Discussion:

Austin Barreno, Janelle Montgomery, Caroline Betty, Noemie Plank, Janelle Mouton, Courtney Stetler, Kristin Saylor, Ann Angelich, Nicole Furlano, Marcia Kernan, Brea Kernan, Beatriz Koehler, Brandon Stinnett, Danielle Stinnett, Jon Kinney, Ben Morrasy, Claudia Webb, Katie Bauerr, Kyle Bowers, Emma Miles

6.4 Approval of Agenda:

Motion:

It was moved to approve the agenda.

Motion By: Judy Morris

Second By: Mike Barreno

Yeas: Robert Van Gilder, Mike Barreno, Judy Morris, Gene Wooden, Pat Kernan

Results: Motion Passed

6.5 Disclosure of action, taken in Closed Session:

Motion:

There was no action taken in closed session.

7. Reports

7.1 Board Members Reports:

Discussion:

Member Wooden reported he had attended a few of the Cross Country meets. He noticed how respectful students were at the meets. Member Wooden also thanked Alisha Rains and Jon Haffner, the Cross Country coaches.

Member Kernan stated he was happy to be back in person.

Member Barreno was also happy to be in person.

Member Morris reported that she was very excited to be back in person. She welcomed Member Barreno to his first in person meeting since joining the board.

Member Van Gilder had no report.

7.2 EDCSBA Representative Report:

Discussion:

7.3 Superintendent-Principal's Report:

Discussion:

Superintendent Smith wanted to thank Green Valley Church for hosting the Cross Country finals. If they had not stepped up the finals may not have happened. He reported that many of our school projects were almost done. Including the lunch shade structure, rooms 20/21/23 and the LED lighting in the lower gym. He thanked the staff for the teamwork on the projects.

7.4 Administrative Reports:

Discussion:

Assistant Principal Stuart reported that she has been reading to classes and reviewed school rules with the students. They are returning to positive action rewards and the staff is excited. We have started staff Covid testing with an antigen test.

8. Communications

8.1 Bargaining Unit Reports:

Discussion:

CFA CO-President T. Blanton stated teachers are getting on track after the start of the school year. Parent/Teacher conferences will be held November 8, 9 and 10. She and Jan Kurtz had attended a CTA Presidents meeting and received lots of important information regarding debt reduction and Teaching best practices. She stated they are very close to finalizing the CFA contract for the 19/20 through 21/22 school year. Then they will get started on the 2023-2026 contract.

8.2 School Site Council:

Discussion:

Emily Guthrie reported that Site Council had met for the first time this school year. They have an available spot for a parent on the site council. Site council will be meeting on the last Wednesday of the month. When they last met they reviewed the Learning Continuity Plan and COVID-19 Mitigation and Re-opening Plan, Covid and the LCAP.

8.3 Parent Teacher Organization:

Discussion:

PTO President Austin Barreno reported that Cookie Dough sales have started. Cookie dough will be the school's biggest fund raiser this year since the Apple Hill Run was canceled again. Nona's craft fair will be held December 6-10. They are working on new Camino Wear. It should be ready in Jan – February.

8.4 DELAC:

Discussion:

Mrs. Botting reported they held a DELAC meeting last week. They discussed, LCAP goals, Parent/Teacher conferences and Walk-t-o

Read. The group was encouraged to serve in future positions include the Board of Trustees. Mrs. Dillard came and spoke the group which was greatly appreciated. Next DELAC meeting is the 1st Wednesday of November.

8.5 Communications to the Board of Trustees:

Discussion:

Member Van Gilder acknowledged that the Board of Trustees had received numerous emails regarding the mandatory vaccines for students.

8.6 Comments and Petitions from Guests:

9. Presentation and Public Hearing

9.1 Caldor Fire Library Program

10. Business and Information

10.1 Action: Consider Approval of Camino Union School District's 2020-21 Unaudited Actuals

Motion:

It was moved to approve Camino Union School District's 2020-21 Unaudited Actuals.

Motion By: Gene Wooden

Second By: Pat Kernan

Yeas: Judy Morris, Gene Wooden, Pat Kernan, Mike Barreno, Robert Van Gilder

Results: Motion Passed

Files:

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10.2 Action: Consider Approval of the ESSER III Plan

Motion:

It was moved to approve the ESSER III Plan.

Motion By: Pat Kernan

Second By: Mike Barreno

Yeas: Gene Wooden, Judy Morris, Pat Kernan, Robert Van Gilder, Mike Barreno

Results: Motion Passed

10.3 Information: SELPA Learning Recovery Plan

Discussion:

Files:

[Form-21_Learning Recovery Plan Final_CUSD.pdf](#)

11. Consent Agenda

11.1 Approval of the Minutes: September 28, 2021

Discussion:

Files:

[9.28.2021 Special Board Meeting Mins.pdf](#)

11.2 Approval of El Dorado County Law Enforcement/Education 2021/22 MOU

Discussion:

Files:

[2021-2022 Law Enforcement Education MOU Final.pdf](#)

11.3 Personnel

11.4 Approval of Warrant Orders

Discussion:

Files:

[Batch 10-14.pdf](#)

11.5 Action: Approval of the Consent Agenda

Motion:

It was moved to approve the Consent Agenda.

Motion By: Judy Morris

Second By: Gene Wooden

Yeas: Pat Kernan, Robert Van Gilder, Mike Barreno, Judy Morris, Gene Wooden

Results: Motion Passed

12. Next Board Meetings

12.1 Special Board Meeting: October 26, 2021 (if necessary)

12.2 Regular Board Meeting: November 9, 2021

12.3 Special Board Meeting: November TBD, 2021 (if necessary)

12.4 Regular Board Meeting: December 14, 2021

13. Adjournment of the Regular Meeting

13.1 Adjournment:

Discussion:

The meeting was adjourned at 8:26pm