GOLD OAK UNION SCHOOL DISTRICT

Minutes

Regular Meeting of the Board of Trustees

Regular Meeting

Gold Oak District Board Room

Tuesday, May 12, 2026

06:00 PM

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Details

Board Members:	Jerald Soracco Roy Boyd Christina Karle Aaron Lockhart Chris Vinton
Other Attendees:	Aaron Barfield Tillie Hatheway Jennifer Kloczko

Zoom Meeting Link
Meeting ID: 890 1814 5895
Passcode: 7FRjtr

1. NOTICES - MEETINGS

2. CALL TO ORDER

2.1 The meeting called to order - Closed Session

Discussion:

The Board convened Closed Session at **5:07 p.m.** Board President Karle was absent. Board Clerk Soracco presided over the meeting in the Board President's absence.

3. ROLL CALL

4. ADJOURN TO CLOSED SESSION

5:00 PM

4.1 Public Employee Employment, Appointment, Discipline, Dismissal, Release (California Government Code § 54957)

4.2 Conference with Labor Negotiators (Gov. Code §54957.6)

4.3 Superintendent Evaluation

5. RECONVENE TO OPEN SESSION

6:00 PM

5.1 The regular meeting called to order.

Discussion:

The Regular Meeting was called to order at 6:01PM. Board President Karle was absent; Board Clerk Soracco presided in her absence.

5.2 Report from closed session.

Discussion:

Nothing to report.

5.3 Action: Disclosure of Action taken, if any, in Closed Session

Discussion:

Board Clerk Soracco reported that there was no reportable action taken in Closed Session.

6. FLAG SALUTE & MISSION STATEMENT

The mission of the Gold Oak Union School District is to promote and challenge the intellectual, creative, physical, and social development of all students.

6.1 Pledge of Allegiance

Discussion:

Led by Board Member R. Boyd

6.2 Mission Statement

Discussion:

Read by Board Member A. Lockhart

7. AGENDA HEARING - MANAGEMENT

In the management of its agenda and the conduct of the meeting, the Board, at this time may consider:

The recognition of persons seeking clarification about any item on the agenda or who may request a topic for placement on a future Board agenda.

The Board President may explain the intents, desires or duties of the Board relative to certain actions to be taken or discussions on specific items.

The Board may also consider requests to move the order in which agenda items are addressed and/or remove any topics from the agenda.

7.1 Adoption of Agenda

Motion:

Adoption of Agenda

The agenda was adopted as corrected, with correction to Item 13.1.

Motion by AL, seconded by CV, to approve the agenda as corrected. Motion carried 4-0.

Motion By: Aaron Lockhart
Second By: Chris Vinton
Yeas: Aaron Lockhart, Jerald Soracco, Chris Vinton, Roy Boyd
Absent: Christina Karle
Results: Motion Passed

8. PRESENTATIONS - HEARINGS

8.1 Employee Recognition 2025/2026

Discussion:

Superintendent Kloczko recognized Cindy Hagberg, Account Technician, as Gold Oak Union School District's 2026 ACSA El Dorado Charter Distinguished Service Award honoree, and thanked her for her dedication and service to the District.

9. REPORTS - ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

9.1 Board Members' Reports

9.2 Correspondence Received by the Board, to date

9.3 Community Leadership

Discussion:

- Student Leadership - no report
- GOTA - report attached
- CSEA - no report

Files:
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9.4 Superintendent Report

9.5 Principal(s) Report

Discussion:

Files:
GOUSD Principal Reports May 2026 (1).pdf

10. PUBLIC COMMENTS - REQUESTS

Before we begin the public comment portion of our meeting, we would like to take a moment to thank all community members for attending and sharing their input. Your voices are vital to the work we do, and we truly appreciate your engagement and dedication.

In accordance with the Brown Act, public comments are an important part of our meeting process. Each speaker will have three minutes to share their remarks. Please note that while the Board will listen and take your comments into consideration, this is not a time for discussion or immediate response.

We ask that all comments remain respectful and focused on the issues at hand. Thank you again for your participation and commitment to our community.

10.1 Public Comments

Discussion:

No public comments

11. CONSENT/RATIONALE

All matters listed on the Consent Agenda are considered routing and will be enacted by the Board in one motion without prior discussion. At the time the Board adopts the agenda an item may be removed from the Consent Agenda by the Board for discussion. This is a procedural process that can only be conducted by a member of the Board of Trustees.

11.1 Approve Minutes of the Regular Board Meeting of April 14, 2026

11.2 Approve District Warrants/Payments

11.3 Personnel Action Report

11.4 ACTION: Approval of Consent Agenda

Motion:

Motion by CV, seconded by AL, to approve the Consent Agenda as submitted. Motion carried.

Motion By: Chris Vinton
Second By: Aaron Lockhart
Yeas: Jerald Soracco, Aaron Lockhart, Roy Boyd, Chris Vinton
Absent: Christina Karle
Results: Motion Passed

12. BUDGET - FISCAL

12.1 Nothing to Report

13. PERSONNEL

13.1 Superintendent Requests Approval of Resolution No. 26-05-01 Reduction of Classified and Classified Management Positions

Motion:

The Superintendent recommended that the Board of Trustees approve Resolution No. 26-05-01 to reduce classified service positions.

Motion by CV, seconded by RB, to approve Resolution No. 26-05-01. Motion carried.

Motion By: Chris Vinton
Second By: Roy Boyd
Yeas: Roy Boyd, Chris Vinton, Jerald Soracco, Aaron Lockhart
Absent: Christina Karle
Results: Motion Passed

14. CURRICULUM - INSTRUCTION

14.1 Nothing to Report

15. BOARD POLICY - ADMINISTRATION

16. FACILITIES

17. NEXT MEETING

17.1 Date & Time of Next Meeting of the Board of Trustees

18. ADJOURNMENT

The agenda packet for this board meeting held in public is available for review prior to the meeting at the Gold Oak Union School District Office, 3171 Pleasant Valley Road. Individuals who require special accommodation (American Sign Language interpreter, accessible seating, documentation in accessible formats, etc.) should contact the Superintendent's office at least four days before the meeting date.

18.1 The meeting adjourned

Motion:

The meeting was adjourned at 6:40 p.m. upon motion by RB, seconded by CV. Motion carried.

Motion By: Roy Boyd
Second By: Chris Vinton
Yeas: Aaron Lockhart, Jerald Soracco, Chris Vinton, Roy Boyd
Absent: Christina Karle
Results: Motion Passed