

CAMP VERDE UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARD AGENDA

PURSUANT TO A.R.S. § 38-431.02, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO THE MEMBERS OF THE CAMP VERDE UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 28 GOVERNING BOARD AND TO THE GENERAL PUBLIC THAT THE CAMP VERDE UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT NO 28 GOVERNING BOARD WILL HOLD A MEETING

OPEN TO THE PUBLIC ON MARCH 10, 2026

REGULAR MEETING

6:00 PM

AT THE CAMP VERDE UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT MULTI-USE COMPLEX LIBRARY

280 CAMP LINCOLN ROAD

CAMP VERDE, ARIZONA 86322

THE MEETING LOCATION WILL BE OPEN TO THE PUBLIC BY 5:50 PM

THE CAMP VERDE UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 28 GOVERNING BOARD MAY VOTE TO CONVENE IN EXECUTIVE SESSION WHICH SHALL NOT BE OPEN TO THE PUBLIC PURSUANT TO A.R.S. §38-431.03(A)(3) FOR LEGAL ADVICE FROM THE DISTRICT'S ATTORNEY(S) ON ANY MATTER ON THIS AGENDA. THE DISTRICT'S ATTORNEY(S) MAY APPEAR TELEPHONICALLY.

Vision

Providing students a safe and caring environment in which knowledge, skills, and attitudes enable learners to become productive citizens
Respect, Integrity, Positive Relationships, Accountability

Mission

Our District will:

- Foster confidence, excellence, integrity, and a sense of belonging.
- Ensure each learner studies a challenging, academic, and relevant curriculum, which enhances social, emotional, physical and ethical development.
- Work in partnership with all families and the community as an organization of engaged, motivated lifelong learners.

REGULAR SESSION

6:00 PM

1. WELCOME AND CALL TO ORDER
2. ROLL CALL
3. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE/MOMENT OF SILENCE
4. A STATEMENT OF THE GOVERNANCE TEAM'S SHARED PURPOSE AND GOALS FOR THE DISTRICT
Board President Sharon Petrie will share a statement of shared purpose.
5. AGENDA REVIEW AND ACCEPTANCE
6. PUBLIC PARTICIPATION/CALL TO PUBLIC
The total length of time scheduled for public discussion shall not exceed (30) minutes. Individual speakers shall not exceed three (3) minutes. Those members of the public having submitted their Request to Address the Board form, should stand before the Board, state their name, and speak loudly enough so that their comments can be properly recorded. The Board shall discourage complaints against school personnel, or any person connected with the District. (See policy BEDH)
7. STAFF/STUDENT/COMMUNITY RECOGNITION AND CELEBRATION OF THINGS
Life Skills Teacher Nancy McKeehan and students will report on the Peer Buddies Program initiated at Camp Verde Middle School.
8. SUPERINTENDENT/BOARD REPORTS
(Notice must be specific as to the type of report that will be given, the subject matter, and who will be making the report. The Board may engage in discussion but will take no action on this item.)
 - A. Update on E-Rate Projects
 - B. Update on the annual Auditor General's Classroom Spending Report

9. PRINCIPAL REPORTS
A. The site leaders will give reports on campus happenings.
10. POTENTIAL ACTION ON PERSONNEL MATTERS
A. RESIGNATIONS/RETIREMENTS/RELEASES:
Bethany Brothers, Elementary Teacher, resignation effective 5-21-2026
Christina Berrelez, Paraprofessional, resignation effective 2-3-2026
Eric Hansen, Middle School Math Teacher, retirement effective 5-21-2026
Jenissa Stauffer, Bus Driver, resignation effective 2-19-2026
B. RETIRING TO RETURN VIA EDUCATIONAL SERVICES INC.:
Lisa Mina, Middle School Science and Gifted Teacher, retiring August 8, 2026, to return via ESI, August 9, 2026
Darrell Lewis, High School Math Teacher, retiring May 21, 2026, to return via ESI, July 28, 2026
Steve Hicks, Superintendent, release of contract, retiring June 30, 2026, to return via ESI, July 1, 2026
Mary Hudson, Board/Superintendent Assistant, retiring June 30, 2026, to return via ESI, July 1, 2026
C. 2025-2026 HIRING RECOMMENDATIONS:
Brianna Busse, Paraprofessional
Nicole Shivel, Bus Aide
D. 2025-2026 TRANSFERS:
Michael Conerly from Bus Aide to Driver – New Position (addition of a bus driver)
E. EXTRA DUTY:
Hayley Brewer, Friday Camps Sub
CPI (Crisis Prevention Institute Training): Jenni Jackson, Tony Graham, Nancy Martindale, Michael Conerly, Mary VanKleeck, James Hardin, Neil Morgan, Anne Mount, Jennifer Hinkle, Dennis Scheuer, Olivia Van Hook, Sarah Sandoval, Daisy Garcia, Melissa Elenes
F. VOLUNTEERS:
Elementary:
Elizabeth Baugh, Angel Brown-Rosales, Briann Dewey Busse, Sonia Nunez, Nicole Christensen, Jennifer Coleman, Kassidy Davis, Melissa Gonzalez, Amber Griswold, Laura Allen Molina, Tania Molina-Valdez, Artemisa Olague, Courtney Rezzonico, Raymond Wilson, Lizett Pesqueira, Desirae Casaus, Kassondra Garcia Jon Huey, Delaney Church Pottorff, Justine Santos, Adilene Miranda, Artemisa Olague, Jamie Rein, Cherie Anzar, Melody Brady, Ana Cobarrubias, Jason Cobarrubias, Judish Gibbs, Jennifer Hardin, Elisha Miller, Rachel Nussberger, Meghan Smark, and Serena Whitacker
Middle School:
Marika Gacia, Patricia Cochran, Ariana Cruz, and Meredith Reen
High School:
Ryan Wooddisse, Justina Bouse, Daria Weir, Ashlee Bueler, and Audrey Worden
G. CVMS SPRING COACHES:
Baseball Volunteer: Kirk Jagow
Softball Volunteers: Duane Oothoudt, Oscar Zagoya, Barbra Robles, Garrett Cupp, and Melinda Battise
Soccer Volunteer: Cody Fant
H. 2026-2027 REHIRES:
Margo Angeli, United Christian School Paraprofessional
Azia Ekman, Elementary Teacher

Lisa Mina, Middle School Teacher

I. **2026-2027 HIRING RECOMMENDATIONS:**

Marcie Welker, Elementary Teacher

J. **2026-2027 TRANSFERS:**

Jenni Jackson, Special Education Teacher from Elementary School to High School

Faith Catour, from ES General Education Teacher to Special Education

11. **POTENTIAL ACTION ON BUSINESS AND FINANCIAL MATTERS**

The expense vouchers are available for public inspection at the District Office, located at 410 Camp Lincoln Rd, Camp Verde, AZ 86322

- A. Payroll Vouchers in the amount of \$ 1,174,575.53
- B. Accounts Payable Vouchers in the amount of \$ 515,010.20
- C. Financial Updates
- D. Student Accounts

12. **POTENTIAL APPROVAL OF GOVERNING BOARD MINUTES**

- A. Minutes taken during the February 10, 2026, Regular and Work Session Meeting

13. **POTENTIAL ACTION ON THE CONSENT AGENDA**

Consent items are used as a time-saving device when there are certain items on the agenda which are unlikely to require extensive discussion by the Board and are ministerial in nature. Public bodies often take one vote to approve or disapprove the consent agenda as a whole. Any matter on the consent agenda will be removed from the consent agenda and discussed as a regular agenda item upon the request of any Board member. Documentation concerning the matters on the consent agenda is available from the District Office.

- A. Potential approval of an amendment to the Ancillary Salary Schedule to Increase the Starting Salary for Lead Mechanic to support recruitment and retention of a Qualified Diesel Mechanic in the transportation department
- B. Potential approval of School Bus Purchase – 2019 Blue Bird T3 RE 4006 at a cost of \$ 102,966.50
- C. Potential approval of Northern Arizona University student placement agreement for Camp Verde Unified School District beginning July 1, 2026, through June 30, 2031
- D. Potential acceptance of donation from BNY Pershing to Denise Meyer's Classroom in the amount of \$200.00
- E. Potential acceptance of donations from Camp Verde Kiwanis Club to include: Charly Robinson's High School Resource Class for tools for Improving Focus, in the amount of \$ 173.57
Megan Messick's School Nurse for Lice Kits and Hygiene Support, in the amount of \$180.00
Erin LeBeau's Middle School Principal for incoming 6th graders to receive CVMS logo water bottles, in the amount of \$350.00
- F. Potential approval of Camp Verde Elementary School PTO fundraiser – Fun Run
- G. Potential approval policies as Second Read DIE and DIE-R Audits/Financial Monitoring
- H. Potential acceptance of a donation from Donors Choose to Nancy McKeehan's Middle School classroom project Operation Sparkle Squad in the amount of \$598.27
- I. Potential acceptance of a donation from Home Depot to Elementary Teacher's Thomas Vasta and Amanda Gagnon's garden project Stem and Science Learning in the amount of \$1,250.00
- J. Potential acceptance of quote for wireless LAN and cabling access points from e-rate eligible VISP Group, in the amount of \$104,498.83

14. DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION ITEMS

- A. Discussion and possible action to approve the addition of a half-time (.5 FTE) Reading Specialist at Camp Verde Middle School beginning the 2026-2027 school year.
- B. Discussion and possible action to approve the addition of a half-time (.5 FTE) Reading Specialist at Camp Verde Elementary School beginning the 2026-2027 school year.
- C. Discussion and possible action to approve a new course offering Life Time Sports at Camp Verde High School beginning the 2026-2027 school year.
- D. Discussion and possible action to approve the addition of a full-time (1 FTE) First Grade Teacher at Camp Verde Elementary School beginning the 2026-2027 school year.
- E. Discussion and possible action to award Teaching Staff a step on the Certified Salary Schedule effective July 1, 2026, and approve the certified salary schedule for the 2026-2027 school year.
- F. Discussion and possible action to award the Classified Staff one step on the Classified Salary Schedule effective July 1, 2026, and approve the classified salary schedule increase of 2.17 % for the 2026-2027 school year, for a total raise in pay of approximately 4%.
- G. Discussion and possible action to raise current Administrator salaries by 4% to take effect July 1, 2026.
- H. Discussion and possible action to raise current Ancillary employee salaries by 4%, effective July 1, 2026.
- I. Discussion and possible action to schedule a meeting for the purposes of the Superintendent's formal evaluation in June of 2026.
- J. Discussion and possible direction to administration regarding further exploration, feasibility, scope, timing, and other directions of a potential bond election.

15. INFORMATION ONLY

- A. Enrollment Report

16. BOARD/ADMINISTRATIVE REQUEST FOR FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS

17. ADJOURNMENT

18. SIGNING OF DOCUMENTS

When necessary, the Board may go into Executive Session intermittently throughout the meeting for discussion and consultation for legal advice regarding any of the agenda items. A.R.S. 38-431.03 (A)(3). The Board may also go into Executive session to discuss personnel matters A.R.S. 431.03 (A)(1), records exempt from public inspection A.R. S. 38-431 (A)(2), or legal advice and consultation regarding contracts, negotiation or pending or contemplated litigation A.R.S. 38-431.03 (A)(4). Finally, the Board reserves the right to change the order of items on the Agenda and to call matters in random order. Camp Verde Unified School District endeavors to make all public meetings accessible to persons with disabilities. With 48 hours advance notice, special assistance can also be provided for sight and/or hearing impaired persons at public meetings. Persons with a disability may request a reasonable accommodation, such as a e interpreter, by contacting Governing Board/Superintendent Assistant Mary Hudson at 928-567-8005 or [R](#). Requests should be made as early as possible to allow time to arrange the accommodation.