Rosedale
Union School District
Student Achievement Support Center
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BOARD OF TRUSTEES
REGULAR BOARD MEETING AGENDA
April 14, 2026

Rosedale Union School District
Student Achievement Support Center
4:00 p.m.

General Meeting Information

Individuals and representatives of organizations are invited to address the Board on any subject that falls within the District's purview. If the item will be acted on at the Board Meeting, speakers are called on to speak just prior to Board action on the item. Each speaker is allowed a maximum of three minutes to speak and may only make a single appearance at each Board Meeting with exceptions made for "Public Hearings."

If the speaker's topic will not be voted on at the Board Meeting, their presentation is made during the Public Comment portion of the meeting. Board Rules limit Public Comment Speakers to 15 at any single meeting, and 20 minutes for any single topic. Each speaker is limited to a three-minute presentation.

Individuals who wish to speak before the Board must submit their request **prior** to the start of the meeting. Speakers must sign up as they enter the boardroom and hand their request to Veronica Sheridan, Executive Assistant to the Superintendent.

The meeting location is wheelchair accessible. Speakers needing any disability-related or language accommodation should notify the Board Secretary's Office a minimum of 24 hours in advance of the meeting to arrange for accommodation, and inform staff upon arrival.

The Board Meeting will be accessible to view only beginning at 4:00 p.m. on the day of the Board Meeting by visiting www.ruesd.net. **The Board Meeting Link is located in Quick Links and labeled Board Meeting Virtual Link.** Should you require additional assistance, please contact Veronica Sheridan, Executive Assistant to the Superintendent at vsheridan@ruesd.net, or 661-588-6000 ext. 200105.

1.0 PRELIMINARY

1.1 Call to order time _____ p.m.

	Present	Absent
Governing Board Members		
Michael Spickler, *President*	_____	_____
Patty Young, *Vice President*	_____	_____
Leigh Ann Cook, *Clerk*	_____	_____
Laurel Sheffield, *Trustee Representative*	_____	_____
Gary Moore, *Member*	_____	_____
Staff Members		
Sue Lemon, *District Superintendent*	_____	_____
Norm Richards, *Chief Administrator of Operations*	_____	_____
Janet Bianco, *Chief Administrator of School Leadership*	_____	_____
Crysta Silver Hill, *Chief Administrator of Student Support*	_____	_____
Frances Tucker, *Chief Administrator of Curriculum & Instruction*	_____	_____
Veronica Sheridan, *Executive Assistant to the Superintendent*	_____	_____

1.2 Welcome Stephanie Johnson, Centennial Elementary School Student Council President.

1.3 Pledge of Allegiance

1.4 Adoption of Agenda

Any materials required by law to be made available to the public prior to a meeting of the Board of Trustees of the District can be inspected at the following address during normal business hours: 2553 Old Farm Road, Bakersfield, CA 93312. This item is provided as an opportunity for trustees, through consensus, to resequence or table agenda topics. An item requiring immediate action, which came to the district only after the agenda was posted, may be added to the agenda with a 2/3 majority approval of the board (unanimous if only three members present). Items to be added will be made available to the public at the meeting.

Motion_____Second_____Ayes_____Nayes_____Abstain_____

2.0 PUBLIC COMMENTS

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3.0 INFORMATIONAL ITEMS

3.1 Student Council Presentation – Stephanie Johnson, Centennial Elementary School Student Council President.

3.2 School Site Presentation – Erika Tindell, Centennial Elementary School, Principal.

3.3 38th Annual Kern County Science Fair Participant Presentations:

- 1st Place – 4th Grade Plant Biology: American Elementary School, Felicity Flynn.
- 1st Place – 5th Grade Physics and Astronomy: American Elementary School, Graham Taylor.

3.4 Staff Reports

3.5 Superintendent's Report

3.6 Resignations and Retirements

3.6.1 Approval of the resignation of Madison Aurin, effective June 1, 2026.
3.6.2 Approval of the resignation of Vanessa Arredondo, effective June 1, 2026.
3.6.3 Approval of the resignation of Rolando Avila, effective March 31, 2026.
3.6.4 Approval of the resignation of Gianna Bianco, effective April 10, 2026.
3.6.5 Approval of the resignation of Leanna Bonilla, effective June 16, 2026.
3.6.6 Approval of the resignation of Taylor Grealish, effective June 1, 2026.
3.6.7 Approval of the resignation of Alyssa Hill, effective May 29, 2026.
3.6.8 Approval of the resignation of Andrew Johnston, effective March 20, 2026.
3.6.9 Approval of the resignation of Debra Morris, effective March 17, 2026.
3.6.10 Approval of the resignation of Aubrie Reeves, effective June 1, 2026.
3.6.11 Approval of the resignation of Emily Shamburg, effective June 1, 2026
3.6.12 Approval of the resignation of Julie Simpson, effective June 3, 2026.

4.0 ACTION ITEMS

All matters listed under the consent agenda are considered by the Board of Trustees to be routine or sufficiently supported by prior or accompanying reference materials and information as to not require additional discussion. They will all be enacted by a motion as referenced below.

4.1 Consent Agenda

4.1.1 Approval of the March 10, 2026, Board Meeting Minutes.
4.1.2 Approval of the employment of Rebecca Bean, Teacher.
4.1.3 Approval of the employment of Kathy Birsic, Food Service Worker I.
4.1.4 Approval of the employment of Kayla Blanton, Extended Day Class Aide.
4.1.5 Approval of the employment of Laney Broder, Special Education Teacher.
4.1.6 Approval of the employment of Ashley Calvillo, Special Education Aide.
4.1.7 Approval of the employment of Porscha Denny, Inclusion Health Aide.
4.1.8 Approval of the employment of Alejandro Figueroa, School Psychologist.
4.1.9 Approval of the employment of Destiny Gonzales, Extended Day Class Aide.
4.1.10 Approval of the employment of Kristin Guevara, Teacher.
4.1.11 Approval of the employment of Lindsey Haskell, Special Education Aide.
4.1.12 Approval of the employment of Tara Hazel, Teacher.
4.1.13 Approval of the employment of Jessica Hogan, Special Education Teacher.
4.1.14 Approval of the employment of Hoamy Huynh, Art Teacher.
4.1.15 Approval of the employment of Matthew Hulcy, Yard Duty Aide.
4.1.16 Approval of the employment of Jaylan Johnson, School Psychologist.
4.1.17 Approval of the employment of Riley Kent, Teacher.
4.1.18 Approval of the employment of Katie Kennedy, Special Education Teacher.
4.1.19 Approval of the employment of Bianca Medina, Behavior Technician.

4.1.20 Approval of the employment of Bianka Miranda, Special Education Teacher.
4.1.21 Approval of the employment of Aliah Reed, Special Education Aide.
4.1.22 Approval of the employment of Rebecca Ruiz, Special Education Director.
4.1.23 Approval of the employment of Kassie Thompson, Instructional Aide.
4.1.24 Approval of the employment of Curtis Threlkeld, Physical Education Teacher.
4.1.25 Approval of the employment of Tawny Timmons, Special Education Teacher.
4.1.26 Approval of regular pay vouchers: 0117, 0118, 0119, 0120, 0121, 0122, 0123, 0124, 0125, 0126, 0127, 0128, 0129, 0130, 0131, 0132, 0133, 0134, 0135, 0136.

Motion_____Second_____Ayes_____Nayes_____Abstain_____

4.2 General Business

4.2.1 Approval of the Declaration of Need for Fully Qualified Educators for the 2026-2027 school year.

Motion_____Second_____Ayes_____Nayes_____Abstain_____

4.2.2 Approval and candidate selection of the 2026 Region 12B Run-Off Ballot for CSBA Delegate Assembly.

Motion_____Second_____Ayes_____Nayes_____Abstain_____

4.2.3 First Read of the following Board Policy:

- BP 5145.7 Sexual Harassment

4.2.4 First Read of the following Administrative Regulation:

- AR 5145.7 Sexual Harassment

4.2.5 Public Hearing for Approval of Resolution 2526-08 of the Board of Trustees of the Rosedale Union District Regarding School Facilities Needs Analysis, Adopting Alternative School Facility Fees in Compliance with Government Code Sections 65995.5, 65995.6 and 65995.7 and making related findings and determinations.

4.2.6 Motion to Open Public Hearing at _____ p.m.

Motion_____Second_____Ayes_____Nayes_____Abstain_____

4.2.7 Motion to Close Public Hearing at _____ p.m.

Motion_____Second_____Ayes_____Nayes_____Abstain_____

4.2.8 Approval of Resolution 2526-08 of the Board of Trustees of the Rosedale Union District Regarding School Facilities Needs Analysis, Adopting Alternative School Facility Fees in Compliance with Government Code Sections 65995.5, 65995.6 and 65995.7 and making related findings and determinations.

Motion_____Second_____Ayes_____Nayes_____Abstain_____

4.2.9 Public Hearing for Consideration of Adoption of a Resolution which would approve a "School Facilities Fee Justification Report" for the adoption of new updated statutory fees for new residential and commercial/industrial construction pursuant to Education Code Section 17620 and Government Code Section 65995 ("Report") prepared for the School District by KeyAnalytics.

4.2.10 Motion to Open Public Hearing at _____ p.m.

Motion_____Second_____Ayes_____Nayes_____Abstain_____

4.2.11 Motion to Close Public Hearing at _____ p.m.

Motion_____Second_____Ayes_____Nayes_____Abstain_____

4.2.12 Approval of Resolution 2526-09 to adopt Statutory Fees imposed on new residential and commercial/industrial construction as authorized by Government Code 65995.

4.2.13 Quarterly Report on Williams Uniform Complaints
No Complaints – Informational Item

5.0 BOARD MEMBER ITEMS

Each Board member may make a brief announcement or make a brief report on his or her own activities.

6.0 CLOSED SESSION

The Board may be required to adjourn to closed session for discussion of matters of personnel, security, negotiations, student discipline, litigation, or other matters as authorized by Government Code Sections 3459.1, 54956.6, 54956.8, 54957, and 54957.6 and Education Code Sections 35146 and 48914.

6.1 Approval to enter into closed session _____ p.m.

Motion_____Second_____Ayes_____Nayes_____Abstain_____

6.1.1 Interdistrict Transfer Appeal

6.1.2 Litigation

6.2 Approval to enter into regular session _____ p.m.

Motion_____Second_____Ayes_____Nayes_____Abstain_____

7.0 OPEN SESSION

7.1 Possible action from closed session.

Motion_____Second_____Ayes_____Nayes_____Abstain_____

8.0 ADJOURNMENT

Time _____p.m.

Motion _____Second_____Ayes_____Nayes_____Abstain_____

Unless otherwise posted, the next regular board meeting will be held:

May 12, 2026
4:00 p.m.
Rosedale Middle School
Multipurpose Room

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