

**MINUTES OF THE SPECIAL MEETING
OF THE
BOARD OF EDUCATION
March 24, 2021
Closed Session 6:00 p.m./Special Meeting 6:30 p.m.**

Board Members Present: Mr. Ron Freitas, President; Mrs. Susan Macfarlane, Vice President; Mr. Courtney Porter, Clerk; Mr. Ron Heberle; Mr. Joe Nava; Mr. Gary Knackstedt; and Mr. George Neely

Administrative Staff: Dr. Cathy Washer, Superintendent; Mr. Mike McKilligan, Assistant Superintendent, and Mr. Leonard Kahn, Chief Business Officer

Meeting Recorder: Mrs. Michelle Armstrong, Executive Assistant to the Board of Education

Call to Order

The meeting was called to order at 6:08 p.m. via YouTube and GoToWebinar.

Public Comment on Closed Session Items

Karen Jackson, Teacher, Lois E. Borchardt Elementary, commented on the unique challenges of teaching during the pandemic and requested an apology be given for a public comment read during the last Board meeting.

Adjourn to Closed Session

The Board adjourned to Closed Session.

Reconvene Open Session

The meeting was reconvened at 7:34 p.m. and attendance was recorded.

Discussion

Board Training on Ralph M. Brown Act

Board received a presentation and addressed general questions to District legal counsel regarding Brown Act compliance.

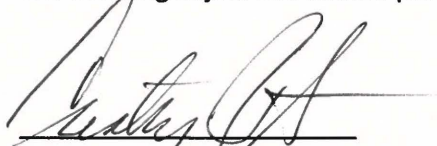
Discussion ensued.

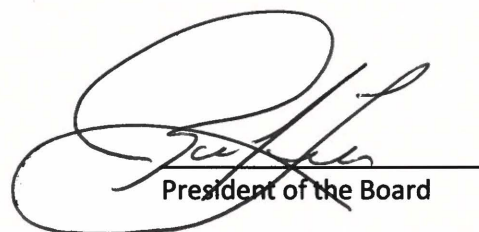
Public Comments

Michelle Orgon, President, Lodi Education Association

Adjourn

The meeting adjourned at 8:30 p.m.


Clerk of the Board


President of the Board