

**CUYAMA JOINT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT
REGULAR BOARD MEETING
THURSDAY, December 11, 2025, 6:00 P.M.
BOARD ROOM, CUYAMA ELEMENTARY SCHOOL
2300 Hwy 166, New Cuyama CA 93254**

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I. The meeting will be called to order by Superintendent, Alfonso Gamino, at ____ P.M.

Roll Call Vote:

Elaine Johnson _____ Jeffrey Mitchell _____ Jeanette Rosales _____

Danielle Reynolds _____ Michael Fuller _____

Alfonso Gamino _____ Superintendent

FLAG SALUTE: Led by _____

II. PUBLIC FORUM:

The Board wishes to recognize all speakers. The board expects that all speech will be polite, courteous, and respectful by all. Following recognition by the President, members of the public shall have an opportunity to address the Board of Trustees either before or during the Board's consideration of each item of business to be discussed. In order to efficiently manage the business of the Board, the Board President may limit the amount of time allocated for each individual speaker to 3 minutes and limit the total time allocated on a particular issue to 15 minutes, pursuant to board policy. Items not appearing on the agenda cannot, by law, be the subject of Board action. Such items may be placed on future agendas for full discussion and/or action.

III. Action Items:

a. Annual Organizational Meeting. Nomination and Election of Officers.

Nomination and Election of President of the Board for the 2026 calendar year (Board President then presides over the meeting). **Pg. 1**

Moved By: _____ 2nd By: _____

Roll Call Vote:

Elaine Johnson _____ Jeffrey Mitchell _____ Jeanette Rosales _____

Danielle Reynolds _____ Michael Fuller _____

b. Nomination and Election of Clerk of the Board for the 2026 calendar year. **Pg. 1**

Moved By: _____ 2nd By: _____

Roll Call Vote:

Elaine Johnson _____ Jeffrey Mitchell _____ Jeanette Rosales _____

Danielle Reynolds _____ Michael Fuller _____

c. Appointment of Superintendent as Board Secretary for the 2026 calendar year. **Pg. 1**

Moved By: _____ 2nd By: _____

Roll Call Vote:

Elaine Johnson _____ Jeffrey Mitchell _____ Jeanette Rosales _____

Danielle Reynolds _____ Michael Fuller _____

d. It is recommended that the discuss and approve the Governing Board Authorized Signatures of board members for the 2026 calendar year. **Pg. 1**

Moved By: _____ 2nd By: _____

Roll Call Vote:

Elaine Johnson _____ Jeffrey Mitchell _____ Jeanette Rosales _____

Danielle Reynolds _____ Michael Fuller _____

e. It is recommended that the Board approve the Authorized Certification of Signatures and delegation of authority form and the resolution of the Governing Board Delegation of Governing Board Powers/Duties to give the Superintendent and

the Chief Business Official the authority to make cash and budget transfers between and within district funds, approve Payroll Warrants, approve Commercial Warrants, authority to sign contracts, purchase order, quotes, and enter agreements, and authority to accept resignation letters. Mrs. Rachel Leyland will be able to sign payroll and payments and warrants as needed by the district. This authority is for the 2026 calendar year. **Pg. 1-3**

Moved By: _____ 2nd By: _____

Roll Call Vote:

Elaine Johnson _____ Jeffrey Mitchell _____ Jeanette Rosales _____

Danielle Reynolds _____ Michael Fuller _____

f. It is recommended that the Board approve the Governing Board Regular Meeting Schedule for 2026. **Pg. 4**

Moved By: _____ 2nd By: _____

Roll Call Vote:

Elaine Johnson _____ Jeffrey Mitchell _____ Jeanette Rosales _____

Danielle Reynolds _____ Michael Fuller _____

g. Appointment of School Board Representative to the Santa Barbara Committee on School District Organization for the 2026 calendar year. **Pg. 5-6**

Moved By: _____ 2nd By: _____

Roll Call Vote:

Elaine Johnson _____ Jeffrey Mitchell _____ Jeanette Rosales _____

Danielle Reynolds _____ Michael Fuller _____

h. It is recommended that the board discuss and decide whether to act to either select a board member as a representative of the district to attend the Santa Barbara County School Boards Association (SBCSBA) Executive Committee meetings or to not select a representative to the SBCSBA for the 2026 calendar year.

Moved By: _____ 2nd By: _____

Roll Call Vote:

Elaine Johnson _____ Jeffrey Mitchell _____ Jeanette Rosales _____
Danielle Reynolds _____ Michael Fuller _____

i. It is recommended that the Board approve the Statement of Facts Roster of Public Agencies Filing and file it with the Secretary of State within (10) days. **Pg. 7-9**

Moved By: _____ 2nd By: _____

Roll Call Vote:

Elaine Johnson _____ Jeffrey Mitchell _____ Jeanette Rosales _____
Danielle Reynolds _____ Michael Fuller _____

j. It is recommended that the board discuss and approve the SB SIPE Joint Powers Self Insurance district personnel for SB SIPE Board representative, and Safety and Health Committee Member and Alternate for the 2026 calendar year. **Pg. 10-11**

Moved By: _____ 2nd By: _____

Roll Call Vote:

Elaine Johnson _____ Jeffrey Mitchell _____ Jeanette Rosales _____
Danielle Reynolds _____ Michael Fuller _____

IV. Presentation of the following:

A. Cuyama Joint Unified School District Annual Financial Statements with report of Independent Certified Public Accountant Jeanette L. Garcia from Jeanette L. Garcia & Associates. This report was through June 30, 2025.

B. Cuyama Joint Unified School District Annual Financial and Performance Audit 2016 Election Measure Q General Obligation Bond – Building fund. This report was through June 30, 2025. This report presented by Jeanette L. Garcia from Jeanette L. Garcia & Associates.

- V. Presentation of the ELA/Mathematics CAASPP, California Science (CAST), ELPAC & Dashboard district data for Cuyama Joint Unified School District for the 2024-2025. The district performance overview data will be reviewed. - Alfonso Gamino
Pg. 12-16 & 221-226
- VI. CVHS FFA report: Advisor Mrs. Cannon and CVHS FFA Officers
- VII. ASB Elementary School & ASB Jr. High School report – Mrs. Furstenfeld
- VIII. ASB CVHS – Mrs. Laura Price
- IX. Board Reports
- X. CONSENT AGENDA:
The Board will consider the following consent calendar items. All items listed are considered to be routine and noncontroversial. Consent items will be considered first and may be approved by one motion if no member of the CJUSD Board wishes to comment or discuss. If comment or discussion is desired, the item will be removed from the consent agenda and considered in the listed sequence with an opportunity for any member of the public to address the CJUSD Board concerning the item before action is taken.
1. Minutes of the Thursday, November 13, 2025, Regular Board Meeting. **Pg. 17-28**
 2. Checks Board Report and Warrants November 1-30, 2025. **Pg. 29-53**
 3. Field Trip request to take the Perfect Attendance/Honor Roll students (Elem/Jr. High) to Taft for movie trip on 12/17/25, from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. on a bus. Expected about 45 students. **P. 219-220**

Elaine Johnson _____

Jeffrey Mitchell _____

Jeanette Rosales _____

Danielle Reynolds _____ Michael Fuller _____

XI. Action Items (continued):

k. It is recommended that the board discuss and approve the purchase of two district vans with use of Community Schools Grant. CDE has approved such a purchase as these vehicles are needed to transport students at CVHS and Cuyama Elem/Jr. High School to events and activities throughout the year. **Pg. 54-69**

Moved By: _____ 2nd By: _____

Roll Call Vote:

Elaine Johnson _____ Jeffrey Mitchell _____ Jeanette Rosales _____

Danielle Reynolds _____ Michael Fuller _____

l. It is recommended that the board discuss and approve to accept the books donated by Mr. John Hancock and discard any books that may not go well with our library as appropriate. It is also recommended to accept the three books and two dolls donated by Mr. Robert Morgan Fishe. **Pg. 70-76**

Moved By: _____ 2nd By: _____

Roll Call Vote:

Elaine Johnson _____ Jeffrey Mitchell _____ Jeanette Rosales _____

Danielle Reynolds _____ Michael Fuller _____

m. It is recommended that the board discuss and approve to declare obsolete and to dispose of the elementary/jr. high salad bar. The district is working with Blue Sky on a grant that would buy the school a new salad bar. In addition, the district will apply for the Kitchen Infrastructure Grant that would also serve to buy a salad bar and other kitchen items. **Pg. 77**

Moved By: _____ 2nd By: _____

Roll Call Vote:

Elaine Johnson _____ Jeffrey Mitchell _____ Jeanette Rosales _____

Danielle Reynolds _____ Michael Fuller _____

n. It is recommended that the board discuss and approve the November 2025 updated board policies as a first reading. The November policies will be available in the district office for board members, staff, and public to review through January 8, 2026. **Pg. 78-85**

November 2025 CSBA Policy updates:

1. BP1000 – Concepts and Roles
2. BP and AR 1114 – District Sponsored Social Media
3. BP 2120 – Superintendent Recruitment and Selection
4. AR 3311.3 – Design-Build Contracts
5. BP 3470 – Debt Issuance and Management
6. BP 4000- Concepts and Roles
7. BP 5000 – Concepts and Roles
8. BP and AR 5020 – Parent Rights and Responsibilities
9. BP and AR 5117 – Interdistrict Transfer
10. BP 5138 – Conflict Resolution/Peer Mediation
11. BP and AR 6020 – Parent Involvement
12. BP and AR 6143 – Courses of Study
13. BP, AR and E (1) 6142.2 – Certificate of Proficiency/High School Equivalency
14. BP 7000 – Concepts and Roles
15. BP 7131 – Relations with Local Agencies
16. BB 9310 – Board Policies
17. CC 9321 and E (1) and E (2) – Closed Session

Moved By: _____ 2nd By: _____

Roll Call Vote:

Elaine Johnson _____ Jeffrey Mitchell _____ Jeanette Rosales _____

Danielle Reynolds _____ Michael Fuller _____

o. It is recommended that the board discuss and approve the updated Wellness Plan. **Pg. 86-95**

Moved By: _____ 2nd By: _____

Roll Call Vote:

Elaine Johnson _____ Jeffrey Mitchell _____ Jeanette Rosales _____

Danielle Reynolds _____ Michael Fuller _____

p. It is recommended that the board review and acknowledge the First Interim report for the 2025-2026 school year. Business Manager worked with SBCEO personnel to

complete this report. Mr. Gamino will present the First Interim report. **Pg. 96-209 & 213-118 (friendly budget)**

Moved By: _____ 2nd By: _____

Roll Call Vote:

Elaine Johnson _____ Jeffrey Mitchell _____ Jeanette Rosales _____

Danielle Reynolds _____ Michael Fuller _____

XII. ITEM(S) PULLED FROM CONSENT AGENDA:

1. _____

Moved By: _____ 2nd By: _____

Roll Call Vote:

Elaine Johnson _____ Jeffrey Mitchell _____

Jeanette Rosales _____ Danielle Reynolds _____

2. _____

Moved By: _____ 2nd By: _____

Roll Call Vote:

Elaine Johnson _____ Jeffrey Mitchell _____

Jeanette Rosales _____ Danielle Reynolds _____

3. _____

Moved By: _____

2nd By: _____

Roll Call Vote:

Elaine Johnson _____

Jeffrey Mitchell _____

Jeanette Rosales _____

Danielle Reynolds _____

XIII. Superintendent's Report

- a. Jr. High playground will be used for our very own soccer game vs. Maricopa on Monday, December 15, 2025, at 3 p.m. Everyone is invited to attend.
- b. Duplex water fixed, line and septic tank installed
- c. CVHS trees trimmed
- d. Maintenance truck (fixed and available for maintenance staff use) **Pg. 210-212**
- e. Computer labs update
- f. Western Association of Schools and Colleges (WASC): CVHS will have a mid-cycle visit in March of 2026. The whole CVHS staff including the counselor and myself are the leadership team. We are holding meetings to discuss our progress based on the WASC review from three years ago.
- g. District success over the last few years highlights
- h. Staffing for 26-27 update
- i. Other

XIV. CLOSED SESSION:

NOTE: The Brown Act permits the Board to consider certain matters in closed session, in limited circumstances. The Board will consider and may act upon any of the items described below in closed session. The Brown Act requires that the Board report out certain actions taken in closed session, which will be announced following the closed session. **WITH LIMITED EXCEPTIONS, THE LAW REQUIRES THAT INFORMATION DISCLOSED IN CLOSED SESSION REMAIN CONFIDENTIAL.**

- A. Under California Government Code 54957 Certificated and Classified Personnel changes. The Board will be asked to review and approve a number of transfers, reassignments, promotions, evaluations, terminations, resignations and hirings reported by the Superintendent.

- B. Negotiations as it relates to CUE/CTA – Consult with District negotiators Mr. Tim Salazar and/or Mr. Alfonso Gamino, authorized by Government Code section 3549.1
- C. Negotiations as it relates to CSEA Cuyama Chapter #288 – Consult with District negotiators Mr. Tim Salazar and/or Mr. Alfonso Gamino, authorized by Government Code section 3549.1

The Board will adjourn into closed session at _____ p.m.

The Board returned to open session at: _____ p.m.

Report out from closed session

XV. ADJOURNMENT:

Moved By: _____ 2nd By: _____

Roll Call Vote:

Elaine Johnson _____ Jeffrey Mitchell _____

Jeanette Rosales _____ Danielle Reynolds _____

Materials prepared in connection with an item on the regular session agenda may be reviewed in the Superintendent’s office 72 hours in advance of the meeting and will be available for public inspection at the meeting. An individual who requires disability- related accommodations or modifications, including auxiliary aids and services, in order to participate in the Board meeting should contact the Superintendent or designee. (Government Code 54954.2)

The next regularly scheduled School Board Meeting will be on Thursday, January 8, 2025; 6:00 p.m., Elementary School Board Room

Materials related to an item on this Order of Business distributed to the Board of Education are available for public inspection at the district office and at: <http://www.cuyamaunified.org/board-material-2025-2026/>using the “Click Here” links next to the date: 01/8/2026.