

**CUYAMA JOINT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT  
REGULAR BOARD MEETING  
THURSDAY, June 18, 2026, 6:00 P.M.  
BOARD ROOM, CUYAMA ELEMENTARY SCHOOL  
2300 Hwy 166, New Cuyama CA 93254**

**4355 Highway 33  
Maricopa, CA 93252**

**Join Zoom Meeting**

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- I. The meeting will be called to order by Board President, Jeffrey Mitchell at \_\_\_\_ P.M.

Roll Call Vote:

Elaine Johnson \_\_\_\_\_ Jeffrey Mitchell \_\_\_\_\_ Jeanette Rosales \_\_\_\_\_

Danielle Reynolds \_\_\_\_\_

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. CVHS FFA report: Advisor Mrs. Cannon and CVHS FFA Officers

IV. Superintendent's Report

- a. Graduations 2026
- b. Summer School Program update
- c. Staffing vacancy update
- d. Collective Bargaining and salary schedules update
- e. Other

V. Board Reports

VI. Public Hearing on the Local Control Accountability Plan 2026-2027:  
The Cuyama Joint Unified School District Board of Trustees opens this public hearing in accordance with the Local Control Funding Formula (LCFF) and prior to the adoption of the 2026-2027 Local Control Accountability Plan (LCAP). The Cuyama Joint Unified School District Board of Trustees opens this public hearing of the 2026-2027 Local Control Accountability Plan (LCAP). The Local Control Accountability plan is available for review at the District Office at 2300 Highway 166, New Cuyama, CA 93254, during normal business hours or online on the CJUSD website under the June 18, 2026, board meeting agenda. (Notice of Public Hearing)  
**Pg. 1-2**

- VII. Public Hearing of the Cuyama Joint Unified School District 2026-2027 budget: The Cuyama Joint Unified School District Board of Trustees opens this public hearing of the 2026-2027 budget provided by Grace Griego, Business Manager. The district budget is available for review at the District Office at 2300 Highway 166, New Cuyama, CA 93254, during business hours or online on the CJUSD website under the June 18, 2026, board meeting agenda. (Notice of Public Hearing) **Pg. 3-4**

VIII. 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, May 21, 2026, Regular Board Meeting. **Pg. 5-36**
2. Checks Board Report and Warrants May 1-31, 2026. **Pg. 37-64**
3. Field Trip request: Mrs. Furstenfeld, Mr. Panchi, and Mr. Reed request a summer school enrichment field trip (TK-8<sup>th</sup>) to Santa Barbara Sea Life Center, Lil' Toot Boat Ride, and Maritime Museum in Santa Barbara on June 30, 2026. Funded by summer school ELOP funds. A bus will be needed to transport students, staff, and chaperones **Pg. 65-73**
4. Field Trip request: Mrs. Furstenfeld, Mr. Panchi, and Mr. Reed request a summer school enrichment field trip (TK-8<sup>th</sup> grade) to Santa Barbara Zoo on Tuesday, July 21, 2026. A bus will be needed to transport students, staff, and chaperones. **Pg. 74-78**
5. Field Trip request: Mrs. Cannon is requesting a field trip to the Chico State Livestock Judging Camp for 10 students. Ag van will be used. The van will depart on August 6, 2026, and return on August 9, 2026, at 12 a.m. Field trip funded by CTEIG grant. They will stay at an Air BnB. **Pg. 79-80**

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2nd By: \_\_\_\_\_

Roll Call Vote:

Elaine Johnson \_\_\_\_\_

Jeffrey Mitchell \_\_\_\_\_

Jeanette Rosales \_\_\_\_\_

Danielle Reynolds \_\_\_\_\_

IX. Action Items:

- a. It is recommended that the Board discuss and approve the Governing Board Authorized Signatures of board members for the remainder of 2026, 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 new Superintendent, the Business Manager, and Community Schools Coordinator the authority to make cash and budget transfers between and within district funds, approve Payroll Warrants, approve Commercial Warrants, authority to sign contracts, purchase orders, quotes, and enter agreements, and authority to accept resignation letters. Mrs. Rachel Leyland will be able to sign payroll, payments and warrants as needed by the district. This authority is for the 2026 calendar year. **Pg. 81-83**

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Roll Call Vote:

Elaine Johnson \_\_\_\_\_ Jeffrey Mitchell \_\_\_\_\_ Jeanette Rosales \_\_\_\_\_

Danielle Reynolds \_\_\_\_\_

- b. It is recommended that the board discuss and approve the College and Career Access Pathway (CCAP) partnership between The Allan Hancock Joint Community College District and the Cuyama Joint Unified School District. This agreement will be effective July 1, 2026 – June 30, 2027. This agreement will offer College and Career Pathways (CCAP) to high school students who may not be college-bound or who are underrepresented in higher education. Our CVHS teachers will be the instructors. The list of CCAP Agreement Courses approved for 2026-2027 are on Appendix C of this agreement. **Pg. 84-107**

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Roll Call Vote:

Elaine Johnson \_\_\_\_\_ Jeffrey Mitchell \_\_\_\_\_ Jeanette Rosales \_\_\_\_\_

Danielle Reynolds \_\_\_\_\_

- c. It is recommended that the board discuss and approve the License Agreement for Groundwater Well Monitoring Project. The department of Water Resources (DRW) will perform groundwater monitoring and data collection which may include installation, maintenance, repair, and removal of automated monitoring and data transmission

equipment. Once the document is completed on Docu Sign, each entity will have an original agreement for our records. **Pg. 108-114**

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Roll Call Vote:

Elaine Johnson \_\_\_\_\_ Jeffrey Mitchell \_\_\_\_\_ Jeanette Rosales \_\_\_\_\_

Danielle Reynolds \_\_\_\_\_

d. It is recommended that the board discuss and approve the books donated by John Hancock. Once the donation is approved, our librarian Noelle Brunelle will induct/discard the books as appropriate. **Pg. 115-120**

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Roll Call Vote:

Elaine Johnson \_\_\_\_\_ Jeffrey Mitchell \_\_\_\_\_ Jeanette Rosales \_\_\_\_\_

Danielle Reynolds \_\_\_\_\_

e. It is recommended that the board discuss and approve the Legal Services Agreement between Kern County Superintendent of Schools (KCSOS), School Legal Services Department (SLS) and the Cuyama Joint Unified School District for the term of July 1, 2026 – June 30, 2028. **Pg. 121-124**

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Roll Call Vote:

Elaine Johnson \_\_\_\_\_ Jeffrey Mitchell \_\_\_\_\_ Jeanette Rosales \_\_\_\_\_

Danielle Reynolds \_\_\_\_\_

f. It is recommended that the board discuss and approve the Proposition 28: Arts and Music in Schools Funding Final Expenditure report for fiscal year 2025-2026. All funds were expended. **Pg. 125-126**

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Roll Call Vote:

Elaine Johnson \_\_\_\_\_

Jeffrey Mitchell \_\_\_\_\_

Jeanette Rosales \_\_\_\_\_

Danielle Reynolds \_\_\_\_\_

g. It is recommended that the board discuss and acknowledge the first reading of CSBA policy updates from May 2026 (Copies are in the board room for the board, staff, and the community to review). The policies will be available in the district office today, June 18, 2026, through Thursday, August 13, 2026 (date of August board meeting). **Pg. 127-136**

1. Review CSBA Policy Guide Sheet & CSBA Update Checklist – May 2026
2. BP& AR 1240 – Voluntary Assistance
3. AR 1312.4, Exhibit (1) & Exhibit (2) – Williams Uniform Complaint Procedures
4. BP 2110 – Superintendent Responsibilities and Duties
5. AR 3517, Exhibit (1) & New Exhibit (2) – Facilities Inspection
6. BP 4100 – Certificated Personnel
7. BP 4111/4211/4311 – Recruitment and Selection
8. AR 4112 – Appointment and Conditions of Employment
9. AR 4112.5/4212.5/4312.5 Criminal Record & Exhibit (1) for 4112.5/4212.5/4312.5 Criminal Record Check
10. AR 4112.6/4212.6/4312.6 – Personnel Files
11. Board Policy 4112.9/4212.9/4312.9 – Employee Notifications & Exhibit (1)  
4112.9/4212.9/4312.9 – Employee Notifications
12. AR 4200 – Classified Personnel
13. AR 4212 – Appointment & Conditions of Employment
14. BP & AR 4300 – Administrative and Supervisory Personnel
15. BP & AR 5131.4 – Student Disturbances
16. BP & AR 5141.4 – Child Abuse Prevention and Reporting
17. BP 5141.7 – Delete (Not necessary; moved to BP 5141.75)
18. BP 5141.75 – Weather Safety
19. BP & AR 5142 - Safety
20. BP & AR 5145.6 – Parent/Guardian Notifications
21. BP & AR 5148 – Child Care and Development
22. BP & AR 5148.3 – Preschool/Early Childhood Education
23. BP 7110 – Facilities Maser Plan
24. BB 9200 – Limits of Board Member Authority

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2nd By: \_\_\_\_\_

Roll Call Vote:

Elaine Johnson \_\_\_\_\_ Jeffrey Mitchell \_\_\_\_\_ Jeanette Rosales \_\_\_\_\_

Danielle Reynolds \_\_\_\_\_

h. It is recommended that the board discuss and approve the Consolidated Application of the annual submission of the Certification of Assurances for the 2026-2027 school year. These assurances are required every fiscal year. **Pg. 137-143**

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Roll Call Vote:

Elaine Johnson \_\_\_\_\_ Jeffrey Mitchell \_\_\_\_\_ Jeanette Rosales \_\_\_\_\_

Danielle Reynolds \_\_\_\_\_

i. It is recommended that the board discuss the Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) between Cuyama Joint Unified School District and the Cuyama Valley Football Foundation. The board needs to provide direction to district administration. **Pg. Starting on Page 345**

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Roll Call Vote:

Elaine Johnson \_\_\_\_\_ Jeffrey Mitchell \_\_\_\_\_ Jeanette Rosales \_\_\_\_\_

Danielle Reynolds \_\_\_\_\_

j. It is recommended that the board review and discuss the Local Control Accountability Plan (LCAP) 2026-2027. Mr. Gamino (Superintendent) and Ms. Griego (Business Manager) will present the LCAP in accordance with the LCFF which districts are required to develop, adopt, and update annually. This presentation includes the LCFF Budget Overview for Parents (BOP). The plan will move forward for action at the June 25, 2026, special board meeting. **Pg. 144-228**

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Roll Call Vote:

Elaine Johnson \_\_\_\_\_ Jeffrey Mitchell \_\_\_\_\_ Jeanette Rosales \_\_\_\_\_

Danielle Reynolds \_\_\_\_\_

k. Ms. Grace Griego (Business Manager) will review and discuss the 2026-2027 budget and Balances in Excess of Minimum Reserve Requirements. The 2026-2027 Cuyama Joint Unified School District budget will move forward for action at the special board meeting set for June 25, 2026. **Pg. 229-344**

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Roll Call Vote:

Elaine Johnson \_\_\_\_\_ Jeffrey Mitchell \_\_\_\_\_ Jeanette Rosales \_\_\_\_\_

Danielle Reynolds \_\_\_\_\_

l. It is recommended that the board cancel the July 9, 2026, regular board meeting with the understanding that the Superintendent may call a special meeting to address any pressing district business including the hiring of personnel as necessary.

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Roll Call Vote:

Elaine Johnson \_\_\_\_\_ Jeffrey Mitchell \_\_\_\_\_ Jeanette Rosales \_\_\_\_\_

Danielle Reynolds \_\_\_\_\_

X. ITEM(S) PULLED FROM CONSENT AGENDA:

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Roll Call Vote:

Elaine Johnson \_\_\_\_\_ Jeffrey Mitchell \_\_\_\_\_ Jeanette Rosales \_\_\_\_\_

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Roll Call Vote:

Elaine Johnson \_\_\_\_\_ Jeffrey Mitchell \_\_\_\_\_ Jeanette Rosales \_\_\_\_\_

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Roll Call Vote:

Elaine Johnson \_\_\_\_\_ Jeffrey Mitchell \_\_\_\_\_ Jeanette Rosales \_\_\_\_\_

Danielle Reynolds \_\_\_\_\_

**XI. 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, leave of absence requests, and hirings reported by the Superintendent.

The Board will adjourn into closed session at \_\_\_\_\_ p.m.

The Board returned to open session at: \_\_\_\_\_ p.m.

Report out from closed session

XII. 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 special School Board Meeting will be on  
Thursday, June 25, 2026; 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: 06/25/2026.

**The next regularly scheduled School Board Meeting will be on  
Thursday, August13, 2026; 6:00 p.m., Elementary School Board Room**

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