



MINUTES
Special Meeting
August 24, 2021

ORANGE COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION
Special Meeting Minutes

WELCOME

CALL TO ORDER

The Special Meeting of the Orange County Board of Education was called to order by Board President Barke at 6:08 p.m., August 24, 2021 in the Board Room, 200 Kalmus Drive, Costa Mesa, California and via YouTube live stream.

ROLL CALL

Present:
Lisa Sparks, Ph.D.
Rebecca "Beckie" Gomez
Tim Shaw
Ken L. Williams, D.O.
Mari Barke

(*) AGENDA

Motion by Williams, seconded by Sparks, and carried by a vote of 5-0 to approve the agenda of the Special meeting of August 24, 2021.

INVOCATION

Pastor Kathleen Espinoza, Associate Pastor, Templo Calvario Church

PLEDGE

Jeff Barke

PUBLIC COMMENTS

- Aneta
- Kim
- Brenda
- Victor
- Emily
- Ellisa
- Catalina
- Kay
- Julius
- Karen
- Kelly
- Marie
- Nathan
- Cecil

INTRODUCTIONS

Board President introduced trustees from Lowell Joint School District, Melissa Salinas and Karen Shaw.

FORUM FORMAT

Board President Barke handed the meeting over to Harriette Reid, Moderator.

Ms. Reid provided an overview of the meeting format and introduced the panelists.

- Elina Kaplan
- James A. Lindsay, Ph.D.
- Joe Nalven, Ph.D.
- D.A. Horton
- Mark MacDonald, M.D.

The panelists made their opening remarks (12 minutes).

Board began first round-robin questions to panelist (6 minutes per Trustee).

- Trustee Gomez
- Trustee Shaw
- Board President Barke
- Board Vice President Williams
- Trustee Sparks

The Board took a recess from 8:48 p.m. to 9:01 p.m.

Closing Remarks (8 minutes per panelist) made by Pastor Horton, Dr. MacDonald, Dr. Nalven, Dr. Lindsay, and Ms. Kaplan.

Ms. Reid thanked the panel and handed the meeting back to Board President Barke.

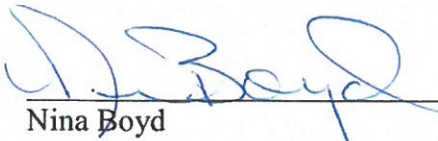
PUBLIC COMMENTS

- Mylinh
- Jiaqi
- Elana
- Mrs. G
- James


Board President closed the meeting.

ADJOURNMENT

On a motion duly made, and seconded, the Special Board meeting of August, 24, 2021 adjourned at 10:00 p.m.



Nina Boyd
Assistant Secretary, Board of Education



Mari Barke
President, Board of Education

Next Regular Board Meeting: Wednesday, September 1, 2021 at 5:00 p.m. The meeting will be held onsite at 200 Kalmus Drive, Costa Mesa, CA 92626 with limited seating and via YouTube live stream.

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