

Wednesday, April 24, 2024

JOINT VERDE VALLEY SCHOOL DISTRICTS GOVERNING BOARDS MEETING 5:30PM  
NETWORKING AND DINNER 5:15 P.M.  
JOINT MEETING 6:00 P.M.  
HOSTED BY: COTTONWOOD-OAK CREEK SCHOOL DISTRICT  
CLEMENCEAU GYM  
1 N. WILLARD ST.  
COTTONWOOD, AZ 86326

## 1. GENERAL FUNCTIONS

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Subject : 1.01 INFORMATION AGENDA ITEM: DINNER AND NETWORKING 5:15 to 6:00PM

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Type : Information

## Public Content

This time is reserved for the Governing Board Members to enjoy dinner and network with each other.	5:15PM-6:00PM
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- Dinner catered by Sodexo Quality of Life Services.

Subject : 1.02 PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE: Pledge of Allegiance Led By Superintendent, Mrs. Karin Ward

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PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE: Pledge of Allegiance Led By Superintendent, Mrs. Karin Ward

I PLEDGE ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, AND TO THE REPUBLIC FOR WHICH IT STANDS, ONE NATION UNDER GOD, INDIVISIBLE, WITH LIBERTY, AND JUSTICE, FOR ALL.

Subject : 1.03 6:00PM - INFORMATION AGENDA ITEM: Welcome and Introductions by Superintendent Mrs. Karin Ward (5 Minutes)

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## Public Content

The following Governing Board will introduce their members at this time: 15 Minutes

### **Beaver Creek School District Governing Board and Superintendent**

- *Jackie Harshman, President*
- *Susie Edgington, Member*
- *Mrs. Karin Ward, Superintendent*
- *Ms. Allie Wheeler, Incoming Superintendent*

### **Camp Verde Unified School District Governing Board and Superintendent**

- *Sharon Petrie, President*
- *Thomasene Cardona, Member*
- *Mr. Steve Hicks, Superintendent*

### **Clarkdale- Jerome School District Governing Board and Superintendent**

- *Angie Smith, President*
- *Janet Regner, Vice President*
- *Denise Kennedy, Member*
- *Scott Russell, Member*
- *Dr. Matthew Schumacher, Superintendent*

### **Cottonwood Oak Creek School District Governing Board and Superintendent**

- *Mary Valenzuela, President*
- *Neil Manzenberger, Member*
- *Mrs. Jessica Vocca, Superintendent*
- *Tricia Winters, Executive Assistant*

### **Mingus Union High School District Governing Board and Superintendent**

- *Lori Drake, President*
- *Misty Cox, Vice-President*
- *Austin Babcock, Member*

- Anthony Lozano, Member
- Carol Anne Teague, Member
- *Mr. Mike Westcott, Superintendent*

**Sedona Unified School District Governing Board and Superintendent**

- *Randy Hawley, President*
- *Lauren Robinson, Vice president*
- *April Payne, Member*
- *David Price, Member*
- *Karen McClelland, Member*
- *Mr. Thomas Swaniger, Superintendent*

**Valley Academy for Career and Technology Education (VACTE)**

- *Jeff Wassel, Chairman*
- Ed Mezulis, Clerk
- Kathleen Fleenor, Member
- Joe Mulcaire, Member
- *Mr. Bob Weir, Superintendent*
- *Shawna Patton, Business Manager and Board Secretary*

Subject : 1.04 CALL TO ORDER: Governing Board Presidents Will Call Their Respective Boards Together

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Governing Board Presidents will call their respective Governing Boards to order at this time: 2 Minutes

- Jackie Harshman, Beaver Creek School District
- Sharon Petrie, Camp Verde Unified School District
- Angie Smith, Clarkdale-Jerome School District
- Mary Valenzuela, Cottonwood-Oak Creek School District
- Lori Drake, Mingus Union High School District
- Randy Hawley, Sedona Unified School District
- Jeff Wassel, Valley Academy for Career and Technology

Subject : 1.05 INFORMATION & DISCUSSION AGENDA ITEMS:  
Information & Discussion Followed by Q & A on Enrollment Trends/Concerns; CTE/Yavapai College Options and Transitions to 9th and Beyond; School Calendar Alignment; Teacher Housing; Non Certified Staff in Certified Positions & Emergency Certification and Not by District out of Content Area Teachers; Early Childhood Program Needs; Transportation Data and ASBA/Trust Policy Subscriptions and What Each District is Currently Using or Planning

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Topic	Superintendent
Enrollment Trends/Concerns	Mr. Mike Westcott
CTE/Yavapai College Options and Transitions to 9th and Beyond	Mr. Bob Weir
School Calendar Alignment	Mrs. Karin Ward
Teacher Housing	Mr. Tim Carter
Non Certified Staff in Certified Positions & Emergency Certification and Not by District Out of Content Area Teachers	Mrs. Jessica Vocca
Early Childhood Program Needs	Mr. Thomas Swanniger
Transportation Data	Mr. Steve Hicks
ASBA/Trust Policy Subscriptions and What Each District is Currently Using or Planning	Mr. Matthew Schumacher

**Exhibit A:** Powerpoint Presentation

### File Attachments

[Verde Valley Joint Governing Board Meeting.pdf \(30 KB\)](#)

## 2. ADJOURNMENT

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Subject : 2.01 Adjournment

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Category :	2. ADJOURNMENT
Access :	Public
Type :	Action
Recommended Action :	The Governing Boards will adjourn the meeting at this time.

## **Public Content**

The Governing Boards will adjourn the meeting at this time.