



**June 26, 2023 Regular Board Meeting**  
**06/26/2023 09:00 AM**  
1700 W. Washington St., Executive Tower  
3rd Floor Boardroom  
Phoenix, AZ 85007

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## Arizona State Board of Education

### AMENDED Agenda

### NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING

Pursuant to Arizona Revised Statutes (A.R.S.) 38-431.02, notice is hereby given to the members of the Arizona State Board of Education and to the general public that the Board will hold a meeting, open to the public, on **Monday, June 26, 2023 at 9:00 A.M.**

The **Monday, June 26, 2023** State Board of Education meeting will be a hybrid-access meeting. This means that the public has the opportunity to participate in-person or virtually.

Please note the location of the **Monday, June 26, 2023** State Board of Education meeting: 1700 W. Washington St., Executive Tower, 3rd Floor Boardroom, Phoenix, AZ 85007

A copy of the meeting agenda is attached. The Board reserves the right to change the order of items on the agenda, with the exception of public hearings. One or more members of the Board may participate telephonically or virtually.

Agenda materials can be reviewed online at <http://azsbe.az.gov>

Pursuant to A.R.S. §38-431.02 (H), the Board may discuss and take action concerning any matter listed on the agenda.

Pursuant to A.R.S. 38-431.03 (A) (2), the Board may vote to convene in executive session, which will not be open to the public, for discussion or consideration of records exempt by law from public inspection.

Pursuant to A.R.S. §38-431.03 (A) (3), the Board may vote to convene in executive session, which will not be open to the public, for discussion or consultation for legal advice concerning any item on this agenda.

Persons with a disability may request a reasonable accommodation such as a sign language interpreter or narrator by contacting the State Board Office at (602) 542-5057. Requests should be made as early as possible to allow time to arrange the accommodation.

The **Monday, June 26, 2023** State Board of Education meeting will be a hybrid-access meeting. Please see below on how to access the meeting and provide public comment on agenda items, regardless of the chosen access method.

### Accessing the State Board of Education Meeting Virtually

**To watch the State Board meeting via computer or a smartphone with a data plan/Wi-Fi:**

- Open a web browser on your device (Safari, Google Chrome, Internet Explorer, Firefox)
- Visit [azsbe.az.gov](https://azsbe.az.gov)
- Upper right hand of the page, click on the YouTube icon
- A pop-up may open, stating you are leaving the official website, click “ok”
- When the meeting starts, you will see a “live” video. If you do not see this, and the meeting’s start time has passed, you may need to hit the refresh button on your browser

Direct Link: <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCsNwAaD9tyciKskyp0R2e5A>

If you do not have internet access to watch the meeting, please contact the Board’s office at (602) 542-5057 and a staff member will assist you.

### **Procedure for Submitting a Public Comment (Please read through each option carefully):**

#### **Written Comment:**

Written comments for the meeting will be accepted by:

- email [inbox@azsbe.az.gov](mailto:inbox@azsbe.az.gov)
- fax to (602) 542-3046
- USPS to 1700 W. Washington St., Executive Tower, Suite 300, Phoenix, Arizona 85007

**The deadline to submit a written comment will be Thursday, June 22, 2023 at 12:00 PM.**

Written comments received after the deadline, including those that are mailed but not received by staff, will not be posted and will not be provided to members.

Written comments will not be read into the record, however, staff will post all written comments received by the deadline on the Board's agenda by **Friday, June 23, 2023 at 5:00 PM.**

#### **Virtual Verbal Comment:**

Individuals must register to submit a virtual verbal comment at the meeting.

**The deadline to register for a virtual verbal comment will be Thursday, June 22, 2023 at 12:00 PM.**

By registering, you are submitting a request to speak form and Board staff will call on you to speak virtually during the appropriate public comment agenda item.

The name in which you register **MUST** match the name on the account when signing in to the meeting to speak. Prior to the meeting, you may need to download the Zoom application to your device and create an account to ensure name matching. Board staff will only call speakers once and then will move on to the next speaker. If you miss your turn, Board staff will attempt again at the end of the list. The order in which names are called will be in the order in which the registrations are received.

Individuals who register after the noon deadline on **Thursday, June 22, 2023** will not be provided the opportunity to give virtual verbal public comment at the meeting.

Please review the Board's agenda to determine at which public comment agenda item (#2, #4, #6, #8) you will be called.

All Board policies in regard to public comment at in-person meetings are transferable to virtual verbal public comment for meetings. Virtual verbal public comment is limited to three minutes, unless the time limit is adjusted by the Board President at the start of the meeting.

Please use this link to register for a **virtual** verbal public comment:

[https://us02web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN\\_d\\_ew55F5QXi1vqg\\_qZd1wg](https://us02web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_d_ew55F5QXi1vqg_qZd1wg)

**In-Person Verbal Public Comment:**

Individuals must register in advance to submit an in-person verbal comment at the meeting.

No requests to speak will be accepted on the morning of the meeting.

**The deadline to register for an in-person verbal comment will be Thursday, June 22, 2023 at 12:00 PM.**

By registering, you are submitting a request-to-speak form and Board staff will call on you to speak during the appropriate public comment agenda item.

By registering, you are also informing Board staff that you will be present in-person at the meeting to provide your public comment. Staff will not switch your registration to virtual if you fail to attend the meeting in-person.

Board staff will only call speakers one time. If a speaker is not ready and available to comment at that time, staff will move on to the next speaker. If you miss your turn, Board staff will attempt again at the end of the list. The order in which names are called will be in the order in which the registrations are received.

Individuals who register after the noon deadline on **Thursday, June 22, 2023** will not be provided the opportunity to give an in-person public comment at the meeting.

Please review the Board's agenda to determine at which public comment agenda item (#2, #4, #6, #8) you will be called.

In-person verbal public comments are limited to three minutes, unless the time limit is adjusted by the Board President at the start of the meeting.

Please use this link to register for in-person verbal comment:

<https://forms.gle/1o6tmjAauNahwPS66>

If you need assistance with registering, please contact the Board's office at (602) 542-5057 and a staff member will assist you.

If you do not have internet access to register for a virtual comment, please contact the Board's office at (602) 542-5057 and a staff member will assist you.

DATED AND POSTED this 16th day of June, 2023.

Arizona State Board of Education



By:

Sean Ross

Executive Director

(602) 542-5057

9:00 a.m. CALL TO ORDER AND ROLL CALL

**1. BUSINESS REPORTS**

- A. President's Report
- B. Superintendent's Report
  - 1. Honoring Highly Effective Principals
- C. Executive Director's Report
  - 1. Honoring Arizona's Presidential Scholar Award winners

**2. CALL TO THE PUBLIC**

**3. CONSENT AGENDA**

- A. Consideration to approve the contract between the State Board and awarded Lead Educational Agencies for Nita M. Lowey 21st Century Community Learning Center (CCLC) Title IV-B funds.
- B. Determination that Pine Strawberry Elementary School District is in compliance with audit reporting requirements
- C. Approval of Structured English Immersion (SEI) course provider(s)
- D. Approval of the addition of degrees to the degree matrix to meet the Subject Matter Expert certificate degree requirement and subject knowledge exam waiver
- E. Approval of Exemplary Educators Alternative Pathway Elementary Education Grades K-8 Educator Preparation Program leading to educator certification
- F. Approval of TEACH LLC, #T.E.A.C.H (Training Educators And Creating Hope) Alternative Pathway Secondary Education Educator Preparation Program leading to educator certification

- G. Approval of Arizona State University M.Ed in Special Education Mild to Moderate, Alternative Pathway, Grades K-12, Educator Preparation Program leading to educator certification
- H. Approval of the Arizona State University M.Ed in Special Education Mild to Moderate, Grades K-12, Educator Preparation Program leading to Arizona educator certification
- I. Approval of the Northern Arizona University M.Ed in Elementary Education, Grades K-8, Educator Preparation Program leading to Arizona educator certification
- J. Approval of the University of Phoenix M.Ed in Elementary Education/Elementary Teacher Education (MAED/TED-E), Grades K-8, Educator Preparation Program leading to Arizona educator certification
- K. Approval of the Arizona State University Undergraduate Credential in Middle Grades Education, Grades 5-9, Educator Preparation Program leading to Arizona educator certification
- L. Approval of the Deer Valley Unified School District Early Childhood Grades PreK-3 Educator Classroom-Based Prep Program
- M. Approval of the Deer Valley Unified School District Secondary Educator Grades 6-12 Classroom-Based Prep Program
- N. Consideration to approve the allocation of funds from United States Department of Agriculture (USDA) for the Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Program for Fiscal Year 2024 of \$4,547,784.00.
- O. Approval of the updated public A-F file to release letter grade calculations for two schools for the 2021-2022 school year

#### **4. CALL TO THE PUBLIC**

#### **5. GENERAL SESSION**

- A. Presentation and discussion on Auditor General Responsibilities
- B. Presentation, discussion and possible action on the request of the Arizona Department of Education to consider the overexpenditures of the Antelope Union High School District under A.R.S. 15-107
- C. Rulemaking Update: Move On When Reading R7-2-318
- D. Presentation and discussion regarding educator retention and recruitment data
- E. Presentation and discussion of My Future AZ and college matriculation
- F. Presentation and discussion of the State Board Student of the Month Initiative
- G. Presentation and discussion regarding legislative affairs. The Board may take action to support, oppose or remain neutral on specific legislative proposals

#### **6. CALL TO THE PUBLIC**

#### **7. CONSENT AGENDA - CERTIFICATION ENFORCEMENT ACTIONS**

- A. Approval of the voluntary surrender of the educator certificates held by:
  - 1. Gregory Boujikian, Case no. C-2023-000612
    - a. Gregory Boujikian, Case no. C-2023-000612 - Supporting Documents

2. Allisence Chang, Case no. C-2021-011185
    - a. Allisence Chang, Case no. C-2021-011185 - Supporting Documents
  3. Stephen Gill, Case no. C-2023-000881
    - a. Stephen Gill, Case no. C-2023-000881 - Supporting Documents
  4. Colleen Hartnett, Case no. C-2022-001917
    - a. Colleen Hartnett, Case no. C-2022-001917 - Supporting Documents
  5. Nicole Lake, Case no. C-2023-000622
    - a. Nicole Lake, Case no. C-2023-000622 - Supporting Documents
  6. Denisse Leyva, Case no. C-2023-000623
    - a. Denisse Leyva, Case no. C-2023-000623 - Supporting Documents
  7. Marvin Pacheco Villa, Case no. C-2023-000452
    - a. Marvin Pacheco Villa, Case no. C-2023-000452 - Supporting Documents
  8. Cecilia Rosales, Case no. C-2023-000530
    - a. Cecilia Rosales, Case no. C-2023-000530 - Supporting Documents
  9. Jessica Smith, Case no. C-2023-000660
    - a. Jessica Smith, Case no. C-2023-000660 - Supporting Documents
  10. Dante Yarborough, Case no. C-2023-000797
    - a. Dante Yarborough, Case no. C-2023-000797 - Supporting Documents
  11. Blake Young, Case no. C-2023-000427
    - a. Blake Young, Case no. C-2023-000427 - Supporting Documents
- B. Approval of the permanent revocation of any and all educator certificates, pursuant to A.R.S. § 15-550, held by:
1. Stephen Escudero, Case no. C-2022-000947
    - a. Stephen Escudero, Case no. C-2022-000947 - Supporting Documents
  2. Nathan Jellicoe, Case no. C-2021-012494
    - a. Nathan Jellicoe, Case no. C-2021-012494 - Supporting Documents
- C. Approval of the revocation of any and all educator certificates, pursuant to A.R.S. § 15-534.04(C), held by:
1. Robert McEwin, Case no. C-2022-000180
    - a. Robert McEwin, Case no. C-2022-000180 - Supporting Documents

2. Gustavo Orellana, Case no. C-2022-001755

a. Gustavo Orellana, Case no. C-2022-001755 - Supporting Documents

3. Nathan Williams, Case no. C-2023-000303

a. Nathan Williams, Case no. C-2023-000303 - Supporting Documents

D. Approval of the revocation of any and all educator certificates, pursuant to A.A.C. R7-2-1307(A), held by:

1. \*\*\*REMOVED\*\*\* Evelyn Andrade, Case no. C-2022-002379 \*\*\*REMOVED\*\*\*

2. \*\*\*REMOVED\*\*\* Chris Caldwell, Case no. C-2021-012329 \*\*\*REMOVED\*\*\*

E. Approval of the summary suspension of any and all educator certificates, pursuant to A.A.C. R7-2-1309(A), held by:

1. Manuel Gavina, Case no. C-2019-000770

a. Manuel Gavina, Case no. C-2019-000770 - Supporting Documents

2. Felicia Hymer, Case no. C-2022-003259

a. Felicia Hymer, Case no. C-2022-003259 - Supporting Documents

3. Levi Jackson, Case no. C-2022-003443

a. Levi Jackson, Case no. C-2022-003443 - Supporting Documents

4. Michelle Kumar, Case no. C-2023-000267

a. Michelle Kumar, Case no. C-2023-000267 - Supporting Documents

5. Andrew Provencio, Case no. C-2022-003471

a. Andrew Provencio, Case no. C-2022-003471 - Supporting Documents

6. Joanna Reyes, Case no. C-2022-002971

a. Joanna Reyes, Case no. C-2022-002971 - Supporting Documents

7. Jacob Williams, Case no. C-2022-003076

a. Jacob Williams, Case no. C-2022-003076 - Supporting Documents

## **8. CALL TO THE PUBLIC**

## **9. GENERAL SESSION - CERTIFICATION ENFORCEMENT ACTIONS**

A. Presentation, discussion and possible action to approve the Negotiated Settlement Agreements for:

1. Michelle Alvillar, Case no. C-2022-000380

a. Michelle Alvillar, Case no. C-2022-000380 - Supporting Documents

2. Anthony Cullen, Case no. C-2021-011052

- a. Anthony Cullen, Case no. C-2021-011052 - Supporting Documents
3. Sandra Douville, Case no. C-2022-002692
  - a. Sandra Douville, Case no. C-2022-002692 - Supporting Documents
4. Erica Shelton, Case no. C-2022-001418
  - a. Erica Shelton, Case no. C-2022-001418 - Supporting Documents
5. Lawrence Watson, Case no. C-2021-011051
  - a. Lawrence Watson, Case no. C-2021-011051 - Supporting Documents
6. Kenneth Wilk, Case no. C-2021-001689
  - a. Kenneth Wilk, Case no. C-2021-001689 - Supporting Documents
- B. Presentation, discussion and possible action on the findings of fact, conclusions of law and recommendation of the Professional Practices Advisory Committee to suspend the certificates and approve the application to remove deficiencies of Jenny Bolton, Case no. C-2021-011137 and C-2021-11978R , for a period of three months
  1. Jenny Bolton, Case no. C-2021-011137 and C-2021-11978R - Supporting Documents
- C. Presentation, discussion and possible action on the findings of fact, conclusions of law and recommendation of the Professional Practices Advisory Committee to revoke the certificate(s) of Ashley Brewer, Case no. C-2022-002685, for a of five years
  1. Ashley Brewer, Case no. C-2022-002685 - Supporting Documents
- D. Presentation, discussion and possible action on the findings of fact, conclusions of law and recommendation of the Professional Practices Advisory Committee to revoke the certificate (s) of Thomas Chavez, Case no. C-2018-718, for a period of five years
  1. Thomas Chavez, Case no. C-2018-718 - Supporting Documents
- E. Presentation, discussion and possible action on the findings of fact, conclusions of law and recommendation of the Professional Practices Advisory Committee to revoke the certificate(s) of Melissa Slonski, Case no. C-2021-013055 for a period of five years
  1. Melissa Slonski, Case no. C-2021-013055 - Supporting Documents
- F. Presentation, discussion and possible action on the findings of fact, conclusions of law and recommendation of the Professional Practices Advisory Committee to revoke the certificate (s) of Talal C. Yousufzai, Case no. C-2022-003135, for a period of five years
  1. Talal C. Yousufzai, Case no. C-2022-003135- Supporting Documents

## **10. SUMMARY OF CURRENT EVENTS, FUTURE MEETING DATES AND ITEMS FOR FUTURE AGENDAS**