

June 24, 2024 Regular Board Meeting 06/24/2024 09:00 AM

1700 W. Washington St., Executive Tower 3rd Floor Boardroom Phoenix, AZ 85007

Arizona State Board of Education

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 24, 2024 at 9:00 A.M**.

The **Monday**, **June 24**, **2024** 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 24**, **2024** State Board of Education meeting: 1700 W. Washington St., Executive Tower, 3rd Floor Boardroom, Phoenix, AZ 85007. The public will have physical access to the meeting location 30 minutes before the Board meeting, at 8:30 A.M.

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 24, 2024 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 online:

- Open a web browser on your device (Safari, Google Chrome, Internet Explorer, Firefox)
- Visit azsbe.az.gov
- Lower 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

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

Advance registration is required to provide verbal public comment. The deadline to submit a written comment and/or to register for a verbal public comment is Thursday, June 20, 2024 at 12:00pm. Individuals that attempt to register or submit a written comment after the deadline will not be provided the opportunity to give public comment at the meeting.

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. The name in which you register MUST match the name on the account when signing into the meeting to speak virtually.

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

All Board policies in regard to public comment at meetings apply to in-person and virtual public comments. Public comments are limited to three minutes unless the time limit is adjusted by the Board President at the start of the meeting.

Virtual Public Comment:

Please use this link to register for a **Virtual** public comment: https://us02web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN-6Rzdt3IPS--7ZVk43O2mvg

In-Person Public Comment:

Please use this link to register for an **In-Person** public comment: https://forms.gle/MZtG9xKam643fxCm6

Written Comment:

Written comments for the meeting will be accepted by:

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

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 21**, **2024 at 5:00 PM**.

If you need assistance with registering or 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 14th day of June, 2024.

Arizona State Board of Education

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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
- C. Executive Director's Report
 - 1. Honoring Arizona's Presidential Scholar Award Winners

2. CALL TO THE PUBLIC

3. CONSENT AGENDA

- A. Approval of the hearing officer's recommendations to deny the appeal for certification for reasons that do not involve immoral or unprofessional conduct for Julia Palazzi, Case No. 2024-001
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- B. Approval of a Student Teaching Intern Written Supervision Plan pursuant to A.A.C. R7-2-614(K) for Rio Salado College
- C. Approval of the TNTP EsperAnZa Dual Elementary/Special Education Alternative Pathway educator preparation program leading to Arizona certification in Elementary Education, Grades K-8, and Special Education Mild/Moderate Disabilities, Grades K-12

- D. Approval of the Northland Pioneer Bachelor of Arts, Elementary Education traditional and alternative educator preparation program leading to Arizona certification in Elementary Education, Grades K-8
- E. Approval of a Student Teaching Intern Written Supervision Plan pursuant to A.A.C. R7-2-614(K) for Northland Pioneer College
- F. Approval of the University of Arizona Special Education MA: Mild/Moderate Disabilities educator preparation program leading to Arizona certification in Special Education: Mild/Moderate Disabilities, Grades K-12
- G. Approval of the Capella University PsyD in School Psychology educator preparation program leading to Arizona certification in School Psychology, Grades PreK-12
- H. Approval of the Arizona School for the Deaf and Blind SPED Hearing Impairment, Classroom-Based Prep Program leading to Arizona certification in Special Education: Hearing Impaired, Birth-Grade 12
- I. Approval of the Arizona School for the Deaf and Blind SPED Visual Impairment, Classroom-Based Prep Program leading to Arizona certification in Special Education: Visually Impaired, Birth-Grade 12
- J. Approval of the addition of degrees to the degree matrix to meet the Subject Matter Expert certificate degree requirement and subject knowledge exam waiver
- K. Appointment and reappointment of members of the Professional Practices Advisory Committees
- L. 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
- M. Consideration to determine compliance by Antelope Union High School District with the Uniform System of Financial Records and to return previously withheld state funds pursuant to A.R.S. § 15-272(B)

4. CALL TO THE PUBLIC

5. GENERAL SESSION

- A. Presentation and discussion of the K-12 Generative Artificial Intelligence Guidance released by the Arizona Institute for Education and the Economy
- B. Presentation, discussion, and possible action to approve the Arizona State Plan for Perkins V 2024-2027
- C. Presentation, discussion and possible action to close rulemaking procedures for A.A.C. R7-2-811, Seizure Management Training
- D. Presentation, discussion and possible action to close rulemaking procedures for A.A.C. R7-2-608, R7-2-609 Elementary and Early Childhood Certificates
- E. Presentation, discussion and possible action to close rulemaking procedures for A.A.C. R7-2-320, State Seal of Civics Literacy
- F. Presentation, discussion and possible action regarding the recommendation to approve the Parent's/Guardian's, L.V.A.'s, appeal and deny the Arizona Department of Education (Department's) denial of a purchase in Empowerment Scholarship Account (ESA) for Appeal Case No. 2023-00083
 - E.D.V.A., student by and through the Parent/Guardian, L.V.A., ESA Appeal Case No. 2023-00083 Supporting Documents

- G. Presentation, discussion and possible action regarding the recommendation to deny the Parent's/Guardian's, B.O.'s, appeal and adopt the Arizona Department of Education (Department's) denial of a purchase in Empowerment Scholarship Account (ESA) for Appeal Case No. 2024-00018
 - 1. M.O., student by and through the Parent/Guardian, B.O., ESA Appeal Case No. 2024-00018 Supporting Documents
- H. UPDATED Presentation, discussion and possible action regarding the recommendation to approve the Parent's/Guardian's, C.B.'s, appeal and reject the Arizona Department of Education (Department's) denial of a purchase in Empowerment Scholarship Account (ESA) for Appeal Case Numbers 2024-00025, 2024-00026, 2024-00027 – UPDATED
 - 1. L.B., O.B., F.B., students by and through the Parent/Guardian, C.B., ESA Appeal Case No. 2024-00025, 2024-00026, 2024-00027 Supporting Documents
- I. 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 or right to work in an Arizona district or charter school for the following individuals:
 - 1. Lisa Ballesteros, Case no. C-2024-000523
 - a. Lisa Ballesteros, Case no. C-2024-000523 Supporting Documents
 - 2. Taylor Chavez, Case no. C-2024-000639
 - a. Taylor Chavez, Case no. C-2024-000639 Supporting Documents
 - 3. Kelcie Christofferson, Case no. C-2024-000599
 - a. Kelcie Christofferson, Case no. C-2024-000599 Supporting Documents
 - 4. Joshua Conner, Case no. C-2023-002490
 - a. Joshua Conner, Case no. C-2023-002490 Supporting Documents
 - 5. Shasta Crabb, Case no. C-2024-000532
 - a. Shasta Crabb, Case no. C-2024-000532 Supporting Documents
 - 6. Nina DeConcini, Case no. C-2023-000404
 - a. Nina DeConcini, Case no. C-2023-000404 Supporting Documents
 - 7. Joseph Hall, Case no. C-2024-000617
 - a. Joseph Hall, Case no. C-2024-000617 Supporting Documents
 - 8. Omar Hernandez, Case no. C-2023-002920
 - a. Omar Hernandez, Case no. C-2023-002920 Supporting Documents

- 9. Grant Ibeh, Case no. C-2024-000717
 - a. Grant Ibeh, Case no. C-2024-000717 Supporting Documents
- 10. Dorothy Levitt, Case no. C-2023-0001799/C-2023-0001913
 - a. Dorothy Levitt, Case no. C-2023-0001799/C-2023-0001913 Supporting Documents
- 11. Frederick Loeper, Case no. C-2024-000544
 - a. Frederick Loeper, Case no. C-2024-000544 Supporting Documents
- 12. Aleksandra Lynch, Case no. C-2024-000394
 - a. Aleksandra Lynch, Case no. C-2024-000394 Supporting Documents
- 13. Carmen Medina, Case no. C-2024-000402
 - a. Carmen Medina, Case no. C-2024-000402 Supporting Documents
- 14. Mackinnon Olson, Case no. C-2024-000537
 - a. Mackinnon Olson, Case no. C-2024-000537 Supporting Documents
- 15. Paige Peters, Case no. C-2024-000706
 - a. Paige Peters, Case no. C-2024-000706 Supporting Documents
- 16. Christina Rojanautai, Case no. C-2024-000494
 - a. Christina Rojanautai, Case no. C-2024-000494 Supporting Documents
- 17. Jeffrey Sanchez, Case no. C-2024-000689
 - a. Jeffrey Sanchez, Case no. C-2024-000689 Supporting Documents
- 18. Michael Schutt, Case no. C-2024-000522
 - a. Michael Schutt, Case no. C-2024-000522 Supporting Documents
- 19. Darren Spindler, Case no. C-2024-000074
 - a. Darren Spindler, Case no. C-2024-000074 Supporting Documents
- 20. Jeffrey Swanberg, Case no. C-2024-000874
 - a. Jeffrey Swanberg, Case no. C-2024-000874 Supporting Documents
- 21. ***UPDATED** Artesia Ulrich Runge, Case no. C-2024-000796
 - a. Artesia Ulrich Runge, Case no. C-2024-000796 Supporting Documents
- B. Approval of the permanent revocation of any and all educator certificates, pursuant to A.R.S. § 15-550(A) or permanently revoke the right to work in an Arizona district or charter school, pursuant to A.R.S. § 15-550(C) for the following individuals:
 - 1. Todd C. Roatsey, Case no. C-2024-00529

- a. Todd C. Roatsey, Case no. C-2024-00529- Supporting Documents
- C. Approval of the revocation of any and all educator certificates, pursuant to A.R.S. § 15-534.04(C), for the following individuals:
 - 1. Thomas Lauffenberger, Case no. C-2023-002607
 - a. Thomas Lauffenberger, Case no. C-2023-002607- Supporting Documents
- D. Approval of the non-issuance and/or revocation of any and all educator certificates, pursuant to A.A.C. R7-2-1307(A) or revocation of the right to work in an Arizona district or charter school, pursuant to A.A.C. R7-2-1307(D), for the following individuals:
 - 1. Jamel L. Brown, Case no. C-2024-000481
 - a. Jamel L. Brown, Case no. C-2024-000481- Supporting Documents
 - 2. Velleda R. Sidney, Case no. C-2023-001193
 - a. Velleda R. Sidney, Case no. C-2023-001193 Supporting Documents
- E. Approval of summary suspension of any and all certificates, pursuant to A.A.C. R7-2-1309(A), for the following individuals:
 - 1. Nathania Garcia, Case no. C-2023-002510
 - a. Nathania Garcia, Case no. C-2023-002510 Supporting Documents
- F. Approval of the revocation of any and all educator certificates for violation of Negotiated Settlement terms and conditions for the following individuals:
 - 1. Jose F. Ramirez, Case No. C-2024-000154
 - a. Jose F. Ramirez, Case No. C-2024-000154 Supporting Documents
 - 2. Dolorez S. Valenzuela, Case No. C-2023-001271
 - a. Dolorez S. Valenzuela, Case No. C-2023-001271 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 the following individuals:
 - Thomas Black, Case no. C-2023-000984
 - a. Thomas Black, Case no. C-2023-000984 Supporting Documents
 - 2. Valerie Cervantez, Case no. C-2023-000960/2023-000937
 - a. Valerie Cervantez, Case no. C-2023-000960/2023-000937 Supporting Documents
 - 3. Dymond Ferrell-Cardenas, Case no. C-2023-002356

- a. Dymond Ferrell-Cardenas, Case no. C-2023-002356 Supporting Documents
- 4. Sherrie Jarama, Case no. C-2022-000627
 - a. Sherrie Jarama, Case no. C-2022-000627 Supporting Documents
- 5. Allison Kirby, Case no. C-2022-001417
 - a. Allison Kirby, Case no. C-2022-001417 Supporting Documents
- 6. Ramon Marquez, Case no. C-2023-001461
 - a. Ramon Marquez, Case no. C-2023-001461 Supporting Documents
- 7. James Pyper, Case no. C-2023-001025
 - a. James Pyper, Case no. C-2023-001025- Supporting Documents
- 8. Melissa Schmiesing, Case no. C-2022-001474
 - a. Melissa Schmiesing, Case no. C-2022-001474- Supporting Documents
- 9. Gregory Torok, Case no. C-2023-002712
 - a. Gregory Torok, Case no. C-2023-002712 Supporting Documents
- B. Presentation, discussion and possible action to approve the findings of fact, conclusions of law and recommendations of the Professional Practices Advisory Committee for the following individuals:
 - 1. David Alter, Case no. C-2023-001917/C-2022-002791
 - a. David Alter, Case no. C-2023-001917/C-2022-002791 Supporting Documents
 - 2. Audra Betzer, Case no. C-2023-002488
 - a. Audra Betzer, Case no. C-2023-002488 Supporting Documents
 - 3. Guy Delprete, Case no. C-2021-012732
 - a. Guy Delprete, Case no. C-2021-012732 Supporting Documents
 - 4. Kurt Flores, Case no. C-2023-000403
 - a. Kurt Flores, Case no. C-2023-000403 Supporting Documents
 - 5. Mark Guthrie, Case no. C-2022-000383
 - a. Mark Guthrie, Case no. C-2022-000383 Supporting Documents
 - 6. Michelle Idlet, Case no. C-2023-000390
 - a. Michelle Idlet, Case no. C-2023-000390 Supporting Documents
 - 7. Jacquelyn Johnson, Case no. C-2023-001912
 - a. Jacquelyn Johnson, Case no. C-2023-001912 Supporting Documents

- 8. Daniel Kearl, Case no. C-2023-000416
 - a. Daniel Kearl, Case no. C-2023-000416- Supporting Documents
- 9. Paul Koines, Case no. C-2023-000021
 - a. Paul Koines, Case no. C-2023-000041 Supporting Documents
- 10. Michaela Morey, Case no. C-2022-002791/C-2023-000061
 - a. Michaela Morey, Case no. C-20C-2022-002791/C-2023-000061 Supporting Documents
- 11. Grant Parham, Case no. C-2022-003355
 - a. Grant Parham, Case no. C-2022-003355 Supporting Documents
- 12. Philip Skorokhodov, Case no. C-2022-002730
 - a. Philip Skorokhodov, Case no. C-2022-002730 Supporting Documents
- 13. Thomas Snowden, Case no. C-2023-000295
 - a. Thomas Snowden, Case no. C-2023-000295 Supporting Documents
- 14. Paul Tibbetts, Case no. C-2022-003424
 - a. Paul Tibbetts, Case no. C-2022-003424 Supporting Documents

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