

Orland Unified School District 903 South Street Orland, CA. 95963 Minutes of the Special Session Governing Board Meeting Thursday, March 3, 2022

OPEN SESSION:

1. CALL TO ORDER, ROLL CALL, PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE, PUBLIC COMMENTS:

Present: Ovard, Aguiar, Reimers, Brummet, Allen

- **1.1** President Allen called the meeting to order at 5:00 pm.
- 1.2 Pledge of Allegiance: Led by Victor Perry.

2. DISCUSSION/ACTION ITEMS:

2.1 Updated COVID-19 Guidelines for Staff and Students - Kortni Shockley and Andrea Rivera spoke in support of ending the masking requirements effective immediately for staff and students. Governor Newsom made an announcement on February 28th that starting March 11, 2022 at 11:59 pm students in K-12 settings will not be required to wear masks indoors, regardless of their vaccination status. Masks would only be highly recommended.
Trustee Aguiar made a motion to end the indoor masking requirement for OUSD staff and students effective March 4, 2022 and make masking a personal choice. Trustee Brummet spoke

students effective March 4, 2022 and make masking a personal choice. Trustee Brummet spoke against ending the mask requirement until the date that the State has imposed. A discussion ensued regarding whether the Board should vote to end indoor mask requirements effective March 4, 2022.

Trustee Reimers made a motion to amend the motion to include that there will be no reward or no discipline for staff and students that either choose to wear or not wear a mask. Trustee Brummet - second the amendment

Trustee	Aye	No	Abstain	Absent
Brummet		х		
Aguiar	x			
Ovard	x			
Reimers	x			
Allen	x			

Motion by: Aguiar / Ovard - roll call vote - motion passed 4 - 0

3. ADJOURNMENT OF OPEN SESSION:

3.1 Meeting Adjourned at 5:23 pm.

Respectfully.

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Victor Perry, Secretary to the Board

Shannar Ovard, Board Clerk

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