

BOARD OF EDUCATION
Special Meeting

DATE: MAY 23, 2013

Linden Unified School District
18527 E. Main Street
Linden, CA 95236

DISTRICT OFFICE
Open Session 9:30 p.m.
Closed Session 9:35 p.m.

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MINUTES OF SPECIAL MEETING

1.0 CALL TO ORDER - ROLL CALL

Board President, Clay Titus, called the meeting to order at 9:45 p.m.

Members Present: Clay Titus, John Huber, Kirstin Holtberg, Diana Machado, Jay Colombini, Denise Moore, and Fred Podesta.

Others Present: Heather and Fred Lara, Cynde Carr, Sherry Mori, Mark and Heather Ewing, Jamie Lowy, Mona Jackson, Starr Goforth, John and Mary Cervantes.

NOTE: Before moving to closed session at 9:46 p.m. the Board President publicly announced the items to be discussed in closed session.

2.0 PUBLIC COMMENT RELATED TO ITEMS ON THE AGENDA

No public comment.

3.0 CLOSED SESSION

3.1 Employee Discipline/Dismissal/Release

4.0 REPORT OUT OF CLOSED SESSION

The Board returned to open session at 11:12 p.m. The Board voted 6-1 in closed session ("no" vote cast by D. Machado) to place Superintendent, Michael V. Gonzales, on administrative leave with pay effective immediately. The Board did not comment further due to the need for confidentiality in this personnel matter. An interim superintendent will be appointed soon.

5.0 ADJOURNMENT

Mr. Titus adjourned the meeting at 11:13 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Clay Titus, President
Board of Education
Linden Unified School District