

**CHATOM UNION SCHOOL DISTRICT
REGULAR BOARD MEETING MINUTES
Room #32 & Zoom Platform
June 9, 2026**

Tuesday, June 9, 2026

Closed Session: 6:00 p.m.

Public Session: 7:00 p.m.

(The public can obtain access to the Zoom meeting by contacting the District Office at 209-664-8505 or online at www.chatom.k12.ca.us)

Board Member Trustee attending via Zoom will be located at the following address:
Steve Soderstrom - 11011 W. Charleston Boulevard, Las Vegas, NV 89135

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The Chatom Union School Board of Trustees welcomes you to its meetings which are regularly scheduled on the second Tuesday of each month. Your interest is encouraged and appreciated. There are two procedures for public comment. They are:

Commenting on Items Not on the Agenda

California law prohibits the Board from taking action on any matter which is not on the posted agenda unless it is determined to be an emergency by the Board of Trustees.

The audience may comment on items that are not on the agenda during the Public Comments section, only. Public comments are limited to three (3) minutes maximum.

Commenting on Agenda Items

Procedures

1. Prior to the meeting, fill out a 3x5 agenda comment card. Wait for the Item to be announced.
2. Item Announced
3. Board Motion/Second
4. Public Comment (3 minute maximum)
5. Close of Public Comments
6. Board Discussion
7. Board Vote

Consent Calendar

Items listed under the Consent Calendar are considered to be routine and are acted on by the Board of Trustees in one motion. There is no discussion of these items before the vote unless a Board member, staff or public requests specific items be discussed and/or removed from the Consent Calendar. It is understood that the administration recommends approval on all Consent Items. Each item approved by the Board shall be deemed to have been considered in full and adopted as recommended.)

The District welcomes Spanish and other language speakers to Board meetings. Anyone planning to attend and needing an interpreter should call (209) 664-8505, 24 hours in advance of the meeting, so arrangements can be made for an interpreter. *El Distrito da la bienvenida a las personas que hablan español a las juntas de la Mesa Directiva. Si planea asistir y necesita interpretación llame al (209) 664-8505, 24 horas antes de la junta, para poder hacer arreglos de interpretación.*

1. CALL TO ORDER (6:15 pm)

1.1 Roll Call

☒ Anthony Avila

☒ Karen Macedo

☐ Steve Soderstrom

☒ Alison Carvalho

☒ Rob Santos

1.2 Public Comment on Closed Session Agenda Items

1.3 Adjourn to Closed Session

APPROVED

Motion: Anthony Avila Second: Karen Macedo

Vote Ayes 4 Noes 0 Abstentions 0

2. **CLOSED SESSION**

Disclosure of Items Discussed in Closed Session (Gov. Code 54947.7)

2.1 Public Employee Appointment

2.1.1 Itinerant Speech Therapist 80%

Maria Jackson

APPROVED

Motion: Anthony Avila Second: Rob Santos

Vote Ayes 4 Noes 0 Abstentions 0

2.1.2 Year 1 Induction Support Provider (3rd Grade)

Christina Oliveira

APPROVED

Motion: Anthony Avila Second: Rob Santos

Vote Ayes 4 Noes 0 Abstentions 0

2.1.3 Mountain View Sports

- Girls Soccer Coach - Daniel Jimenez-Soto
- Boys Soccer Coach - Jesus Alvarez-Suarez
- Boys Basketball Coach (Vacant - Pending)
- Track (Vacant - Pending)

APPROVED

Motion: Anthony Avila Second: Rob Santos

Vote Ayes 4 Noes 0 Abstentions 0

2.1.4 Request Authority for the Superintendent to
Continue to Hire Vacant Certificated and Classified
Staff Members that are Time Sensitive to the Start of
School Under the Direction of the Board President or
Board Representative

APPROVED

Motion: Anthony Avila Second: Rob Santos

Vote Ayes 4 Noes 0 Abstentions 0

2.2 Public Employees Discipline/Dismissal/Release/Non-reelection/Leaves of Absence/Resignation/Retirements And Resolution Regarding Reduction or Discontinuance of Source (Gov. Code 44949 (e) and Gov. Code 44955)

2.2.1 Resignation of Employee 06-09-26-01

APPROVED

Motion: Anthony Avila Second: Rob Santos

Vote Ayes 4 Noes 0 Abstentions 0

2.3 Anticipated Litigation - One potential Case (Gov. Code 54956.9)

2.4 Superintendent Evaluation

2.5 Adjournment Back to Public Session

APPROVED

Motion: Karen Macedo Second: Rob Santos

Vote Ayes 4 Noes 0 Abstentions 0

3. OPEN SESSION: CALL TO ORDER (6:15 pm)

3.1 Roll Call

☒ Anthony Avila

☒ Alison Carvalho

☒ Karen Macedo

☒ Rob Santos

☐ Steve Soderstrom

3.2 Flag Salute led by Board President, Alison Carvalho

3.3 Report from Closed Session

The Board accepted the resignation of employee #06-09-26-01. The Board approved the appointment of the following positions: Maria Jackson as Itinerant Speech Therapist (80%), Christina Oliveira as Year 1 Induction Support Provider (3rd Grade), Daniel Jimenez-Soto as Mountain View Girls' Soccer Coach, and Jesus Alvarez-Suarez as Mountain View Boys' Soccer Coach. The Mountain View Boys' Basketball Coach and Track Coach positions remain vacant and are pending appointment. The Board also authorized the Superintendent to continue hiring vacant certificated and classified positions that are time-sensitive to the start of the school year, under the direction of the Board President or a designated Board representative.

3.4 Approval of Agenda

APPROVED

Motion: Anthony Avila Second: Rob Santos

Vote Ayes 4 Noes 0 Abstentions 0

4. CONSENT CALENDAR

4.1 Board Minutes

4.2 Fiscal Services – Warrants/Payroll

4.3 Declaration of Obsolete Items

4.3.1 Old Mathematics Curriculum

4.4 Collection of Developer Fees

4.5 Consider Revision of Board Policy and Administrative Regulation 1312.3 Uniform Complaint Procedures

4.6 Consider New Board Policy and Administrative Regulation 4219.24 Maintaining Appropriate Adult-Student Interactions

4.7 Consider Revision of Board Policy and Administrative Regulation 6173 Education for Homeless Children
APPROVED

Motion: Rob Santos Second: Karen Macedo
Vote Ayes 4 Noes 0 Abstentions 0

5. PUBLIC COMMENT/RECOGNITION/COMMUNICATION

6. INFORMATION

6.1 Calendar of Events

6.2 Board Financial Summary Report

6.3 Program Reports:

Chatom Elementary School Principal, Sara Cruz, shared that the school year concluded with many end-of-year events. Mrs. Cruz provided a recap, which included the Talent Show, the End-of-Year Ceremony, Open House, Science Night, Staff Appreciation Week, and the Teacher vs. Student Dodgeball game, which was a lot of fun. She concluded by excitedly sharing that 25 students completed the entire school year with perfect attendance and that 14 English Learner (EL) students were reclassified.

Mountain View Middle School Principal, Lauren Lanum, shared that May was a very busy month, especially during the final week of the school year. She stated that it was great hosting the fifth-grade students on Transition Day and shared that both Rocket Day and Market Day were very successful events. Mrs. Lanum noted that the 8th Grade Graduation Ceremony was beautiful and that the parents who helped decorate did an incredible job. She also shared that Mountain View held a teacher vs. student Battle of the Books competition, which the teachers won. Mrs. Lanum concluded by sharing that Mountain View students and staff bid farewell to Mrs. Carroll, who retired on the last day of school.

Chatom Union School District Superintendent, Cherise Olvera, began by extending a special thank you to all staff members for their hard work throughout the school year. She shared that the year concluded with many successful events and highlighted how special the 8th Grade Graduation Ceremony turned out. Mrs. Olvera also announced that mental health support services will be

available to students throughout the summer through a mental health grant that has been extended through December 2026. She concluded by providing a Summer School update, sharing that the program began on June 2 under the direction of Mrs. Salas, who is serving as Teacher-Principal. She also noted that summer enrichment programs are offered in the afternoon through the Expanded Learning Opportunities Program (ELOP), and that students have several fun field trips scheduled on Fridays throughout the summer session.

7. ACTION

7.1 Consider Renewal of California School Boards Association (CSBA) GAMUT Online Contract and CSBA Membership

APPROVED

Motion: Karen Macedo Second: Rob Santos

Vote Ayes 4 Noes 0 Abstentions 0

7.2 Acceptance of California Department of Education Agreement/ 2026-2027 Contract for Child Development Services

APPROVED

Motion: Rob Santos Second: Anthony Avila

Vote Ayes 4 Noes 0 Abstentions 0

7.3 Consider Approval of Chatom Elementary and Mountain View Photography Contracts for 2026-2027 School Pictures

APPROVED

Motion: Anthony Avila Second: Karen Macedo

Vote Ayes 4 Noes 0 Abstentions 0

7.4 Consider Approval of Yearbook Contract for 2026-2027

APPROVED

Motion: Anthony Avila Second: Rob Santos

Vote Ayes 4 Noes 0 Abstentions 0

7.5 Consider Approval of Chatom Elementary 2026-2027 Fundraising Proposal

APPROVED

Motion: Karen Macedo Second: Rob Santos

Vote Ayes 4 Noes 0 Abstentions 0

7.6 Consider Approval of Mountain View 2026-2027 Fundraising Proposal

APPROVED

Motion: Karen Macedo Second: Rob Santos

Vote Ayes 4 Noes 0 Abstentions 0

7.7 Consider Approval of 2026-2027 Differentiated Assistance Support Plan and MOU Agreement for Mathematics and

Literacy Professional Learning with Stanislaus County
Office of Education

APPROVED

Motion: Anthony Avila Second: Karen Macedo

Vote Ayes 4 Noes 0 Abstentions 0

7.8 Consider Approval of Phase-In Plan for New Graduation
Awards Policy

APPROVED

Motion: Karen Macedo Second: Anthony Avila

Vote Ayes 4 Noes 0 Abstentions 0

7.9 Consider Approval of Annual Title III Local Plan Update

APPROVED

Motion: Rob Santos Second: Karen Macedo

Vote Ayes 4 Noes 0 Abstentions 0

7.10 Consider Approval of Revised Federal Addendum

APPROVED

Motion: Karen Macedo Second: Anthony Avila

Vote Ayes 4 Noes 0 Abstentions 0

7.11 Consider Approval of Mountain View Classroom #11
Exterior Paint Bid

Bid awarded to Lancaster Painting

APPROVED

Motion: Rob Santos Second: Anthony Avila

Vote Ayes 4 Noes 0 Abstentions 0

7.12 Consider Approval of Mountain View Dry Rot Repair Bid
Bid awarded to Harris Construction

APPROVED

Motion: Karen Macedo Second: Rob Santos

Vote Ayes 4 Noes 0 Abstentions 0

7.13 Proposed 2024-2027 Local Control Accountability Plan and
Annual Update for 2025-2026

7.13.1 Open Public Hearing

APPROVED

Motion: Rob Santos Second: Anthony Avila

Vote Ayes 4 Noes 0 Abstentions 0

7.13.2 Public Comment

7.13.3 Close Public Hearing

APPROVED

Motion: Anthony Avila Second: Rob Santos

Vote Ayes 4 Noes 0 Abstentions 0

7.14 Proposed Adoption of 2026-2027 Budget

7.14.1 Open Public Hearing

APPROVED

Motion: Rob Santos Second: Anthony Avila
Vote Ayes 4 Noes 0 Abstentions 0

7.14.2 Public Comment

7.14.3 Close Public Hearing

APPROVED

Motion: Anthony Avila Second: Rob Santos
Vote Ayes 4 Noes 0 Abstentions 0

7.15 Consider Approval of Resolution #06-09-26-01 Authorizing
End-of-Year Transfers

APPROVED

Motion: Rob Santos Second: Karen Macedo
Vote Ayes 4 Noes 0 Abstentions 0

7.16 Consider Approval of Revolving Cash Fund and Authorized
Signatures

APPROVED

Motion: Anthony Avila Second: Rob Santos
Vote Ayes 4 Noes 0 Abstentions 0

7.17 Consider Approval of Resolution #06-09-26-02 Regarding
Order of Election

APPROVED

Motion: Karen Macedo Second: Anthony Avila
Vote Ayes 4 Noes 0 Abstentions 0

8. ITEMS FOR FUTURE CONSIDERATION

9. ADJOURNMENT (8:10 pm)

APPROVED

Motion: Rob Santos Second: Karen Macedo
Vote Ayes 4 Noes 0 Abstentions 0