

Tuolumne Joint Powers Authority

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Board Meeting

Agenda

May 8, 2025

9:00 a.m.

Chicken Ranch Casino Resort

9100 People of the Mountain Rd, Sebright Room

Jamestown, CA 95327

1.0 Call to Order

2.0 Pledge

3.0 Introductions

4.0 Adoption of Agenda – *Items to be added or deleted according to G.C. 54954.2*

5.0 Adoption of Minutes

5.1 Tuolumne JPA Committee Meeting March 27, 2025

5.2 Tuolumne JPA Board Meeting April 10, 2025

Recommended Action: The Board adopts the minutes as presented.

6.0 Public Comment

The law allows the Public to address the Board on any matter, whether or not it is on the Agenda; but the law prohibits action by the Board on NON-Agenda items according to G.C. 54954.3

7.0 Closed Session – G.C. 54956.95

7.1 Workers' Compensation Injury Summary Report

Norma Wallace will discuss the Workers' Compensation Injury Summary Report with the Board.

7.2 Property & Liability Claims

Norma Wallace will discuss Property & Liability Claims with the Board.

7.3 Public Employee Performance Evaluation

Title: Executive Director, JPA

The Board will evaluate the Executive Director's performance for 2024-2025.

Audience Comment

Board Consideration

Return to Open Session

Report of Closed Session Action

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8.0 Action Item

8.1 Administrative Business Items

8.1.1 Establish JPA Board Meeting Schedule for 2025-2026

8.1.2 Establish JPA Calendar for 2025-2026

8.1.3 Designate JPA Official Address and Correspondence Address

8.1.4 Authorize JPA Warrant Signatures

Board President Zack Abernathy will bring Administrative Business Items to the Board for adoption.

Recommended Action: The Board adopts the JPA Board Meeting Schedule for 2025-2026, the JPA Calendar for 2025-2026, Designation of JPA Official Address and Correspondence Address and Authorizes JPA Warrant Signatures as presented.

8.2 Presentation - NEWFRONT State of the Market

Mark Stokes and Jennet Horder from NEWFRONT will present the Workers' Compensation State of the Market.

Recommended Action: Presentation only.

8.3 Adoption of Financial Reports through March 31, 2025

Norma Wallace will present the Financial Reports through March 31, 2025.

Recommended Action: The Board adopts the Financial Reports through March 31, 2025 as presented and recommended by the Tuolumne JPA Committee.

8.4 Approval of 2025-2026 Administrative Costs

Norma Wallace will present the 2025-2026 Administrative Costs.

Recommended Action: The Board approves the 2025-2026 Administrative Costs as presented and recommended by the Tuolumne JPA Committee.

8.5 Adoption of 2025-2026 Preliminary Workers' Compensation Rates – Revised

Norma Wallace will present the 2025-2026 Preliminary Workers' Compensation Rates – Revised.

Recommended Action: The Board adopts the 2025-2026 Preliminary Workers' Compensation Rates - Revised as presented and recommended by the Tuolumne JPA Committee.

8.6 Adoption of 2025-2026 Preliminary Property & Liability Rates

Norma Wallace will present the 2025-2026 Preliminary Property & Liability Rates.

Recommended Action: The Board adopts the 2025-2026 Preliminary Property & Liability Rates as presented and recommended by the Tuolumne JPA Committee.

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8.7 Adoption of 2025-2026 Tuolumne JPA Safety Credit Program

Norma Wallace will present the 2025-2026 Tuolumne JPA Safety Credit Program.

Recommended Action: The Board adopts the 2025-2026 Tuolumne JPA Safety Credit Program as presented and recommended by the Tuolumne JPA Committee.

8.8 Adoption of 2025-2026 Preliminary Budgets

Norma Wallace will present the 2025-2026 Preliminary Budgets.

Recommended Action: The Board adopts the 2025-2026 Preliminary Budgets as presented and recommended by the Tuolumne JPA Committee.

8.9 Policies and Guidelines

8.9.1 Approval of 2025-2026 Tuolumne JPA District Field Trip, Event and Club Guidelines

Norma Wallace will present the 2025-2026 Tuolumne JPA District Field Trip, Event and Club Guidelines.

Recommended Action: The Board approves the 2025-2026 Tuolumne JPA District Field Trip, Event and Club Guidelines as presented and recommended by the Tuolumne JPA Committee.

8.9.2 Approval of Tuolumne JPA Transportation Policy – Revised

Norma Wallace will present the Tuolumne JPA Transportation Policy - Revised.

Recommended Action: The Board approves the Tuolumne Transportation Policy - Review - Revised as presented and recommended by the Tuolumne JPA Committee.

8.9.3 Approval of 2025-2026 Tuolumne JPA Annual Employee Training Matrix

Norma Wallace will present the 2025-2026 Tuolumne JPA Annual Employee Training Matrix.

Recommended Action: The Board approves the 2025-2026 Tuolumne Annual Employee Training Matrix as presented and recommended by the Tuolumne JPA Committee.

8.9.4 Adopt Education Code 42141 Compliance as it relates to Workers' Compensation

Norma Wallace will discuss Education Code 42141 Compliance as it relates to Workers' Compensation with the Board.

Recommended Action: The Board adopts Education Code 42141 as presented.

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9.0 Information Items (Norma Wallace will discuss information items.)

- 9.1 Independent Contractor Template – Revised
- 9.2 SELF-AB 218 Liability Funding Budget Guidance/25-26 Invoice
- 9.3 School Connected Organization (SCO/Booster Club) Coverage – Renewals and New Applications
- 9.4 Special Education Voluntary Coverage Program (SEVCP) SISC
- 9.5 2024-2025 Tuolumne JPA Trainings/Workshops-Reminders
- 9.6 2025-2026 Tuolumne JPA Trainings/Workshops
- 9.7 2025-2026 Tuolumne JPA Board Member List
- 9.8 2025-2026 Tuolumne JPA Committee Member List

10.0 Requests/Correspondence

Requests/Correspondence of interest will be shared by Tuolumne JPA Board President Zack Abernathy and/or Tuolumne JPA Executive Director Norma Wallace.

11.0 Comments from Board Members

Members will present any requests or comments to the Board.

12.0 Adjournment

Next Regular Board Meeting of the Tuolumne Joint Powers Authority
Thursday, September 4, 2025 at 9:00 a.m.

Tuolumne County Superintendent of Schools
175 Fairview Lane, Room 217
Sonora, CA 95370

Agenda Material may be reviewed by email request to:

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Between the hours of 7:30 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

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