



**Los Angeles County Committee on
School District Organization**
c/o Los Angeles County Office of Education
9300 Imperial Highway, Downey, CA 90242-2890

**2022
County Committee Members**

March 15, 2022

First Supervisorial District

John Nunez
Frank Ogaz, *Chairperson*

Dr. Jeff Wilson, Superintendent
Claremont Unified School District
170 West San Jose Ave.
Claremont, CA 91711

Second Supervisorial District

Estefany Castaneda
Charles Davis

Third Supervisorial District

Ralph Mechur
Barry A. Snell

Dear Dr. Wilson:

Proposal to Establish Trustee Areas and Trustee Area Voting Within the Claremont
Unified School District (USD)

Fourth Supervisorial District

Donald LaPlante
Martha Deutsch

Regarding the proposal to establish trustee areas and trustee area voting within the Claremont USD, a public hearing will be held virtually on Wednesday, March 30, 2022 at 7:00 PM, and connection info will be emailed to you separately. A special meeting is planned afterward at 8:00 PM so that the County Committee may vote on the proposal that same evening if they choose to do so.

Fifth Supervisorial District

Cherise Moore
Suzan T. Solomon

Enclosed are the following documents:

At Large

John Quintanilla, *Vice Chairperson*


1. Notice of Public Hearing, to be held on March 30, 2022;
2. Agenda for the Public Hearing; and
3. Public Hearing Agenda Guidelines.

Octavio Castelo
Secretary
(562) 922-6110

Items 1 and 2 are to be posted pursuant to Government Code §54954.2. We would appreciate your assistance in posting these items in a location at your district office and on your website. The posting location should be freely accessible to members of the public at least 72 hours prior to the hearing.

If you have questions, please call Dr. Allison Deegan at (562) 922-6336.

Sincerely,


Octavio Castelo (Mar 15, 2022 14:48 PDT)

Octavio Castelo
Secretary to the County Committee

AD/EH:ah
Enclosures

CC: Patricia Smith, Los Angeles County Office of Education (LACOE)
April Mitchell, LACOE
Allison Deegan, Ed.D., LACOE
Eric Hass, LACOE

**LOS ANGELES COUNTY COMMITTEE ON
SCHOOL DISTRICT ORGANIZATION**

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Pursuant to Education Code §5019(c), the Los Angeles County Committee on School District Organization will be conducting a public hearing on a proposal to establish trustee areas and trustee area voting within the Claremont Unified School District (USD).

DATE: Wednesday, March 30, 2022

TIME: 7:00 p.m. estimated start-time

LOCATION: Online: Connection info will be posted at least 48 hours before the hearing at the Public Hearings page at:

<https://www.jacoe.edu/Business-Services/Business-Advisory-Services/County-Committee>

NOTE: Language translation services and American Sign Language interpreters will be provided with a minimum notice of three business days prior to the public hearing.

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For additional information or to request translation service, call (562) 922-6110.

**LOS ANGELES COUNTY COMMITTEE ON
SCHOOL DISTRICT ORGANIZATION (COUNTY COMMITTEE)**

PUBLIC HEARING

on a Proposal
to Establish Trustee Areas and Trustee Area Voting within the Claremont Unified School
District (USD)

A G E N D A

This public hearing is being online; the notice provided the website address at which interested parties could access the connection information to participate in the process if they chose to.

**Wednesday, March 30, 2022
7:00 p.m.**

- I. CALL TO ORDER—Chairperson
- II. FLAG SALUTE— Chairperson
- III. INTRODUCTIONS—Chairperson
- IV. HEARING ON A PROPOSAL TO ESTABLISH TRUSTEE AREAS AND TRUSTEE AREA VOTING WITHIN THE CLAREMONT USD
 - A. Explanation of the proposal and process by Mr. Octavio Castelo, Secretary to the County Committee
 - B. Explanation of public hearing guidelines by the Chairperson
 - C. Testimony in the following order:
 1. CLAREMONT USD
 2. Public Comment
 - a. Proponents of proposal
 - b. Opponents of proposal
 - D. Summation/Closing Statements
 1. CLAREMONT USD
- V. ADJOURNMENT

**LOS ANGELES COUNTY COMMITTEE ON SCHOOL DISTRICT ORGANIZATION
(COUNTY COMMITTEE)**

PUBLIC HEARING AGENDA GUIDELINES*

- I. Call to Order by the Chairperson
- II. Flag Salute
- III. Introduction of the County Committee by the Chairperson
 - Responsibilities/Missionno time limit
- IV. Hearing on Proposed Reorganization
 - A. Explanation of the Proposal, Evaluation Conditions and Process by the Secretary.....no time limit
 - B. Agenda Guidelines Explanation by the Chairpersonno time limit
 - C. Testimony in the following order:
 - 1. Representatives of the Affected District20 minutes maximum
 - 2. Public Comment
 - a. Proponents45 minutes maximum; each speaker limited to five minutes maximum (time may be shortened at the discretion of the chairperson)
 - b. Opponents.....45 minutes maximum; each speaker limited to five minutes maximum (time may be shortened at the discretion of the chairperson)
 - D. Summation/Closing Statements
 - Affected District.....5 minutes maximum
 - E. Adjournment

*Excerpted from “Policies of the Los Angeles County Committee on School District Organization”