

Humboldt County Committee on School District Organization

Humboldt County Office of Education
901 Myrtle Avenue | Eureka, CA
Annex Conference Room
Zoom Link: <https://zoom.us/j/94201896352>

May 19, 2025
5:30 PM

MINUTES

1.0 CALL TO ORDER/WELCOME/FLAG SALUTE

President Hinz called the meeting of the Humboldt County Committee on School District Organization to order at 5:31 PM with a quorum present.

PRESENT: Tabitha Martel, Ren Wohlers, Fred Hanks, Mark Benzinger, Tom Hinz, Colleen Barrick, Audrey Dieker

ABSENT: Jessica Rebholtz (joined at 5:33 PM), Beth Johnston (joined at 5:45 PM)

STAFF PRESENT: Michael Davies-Hughes, Natalie Carrigan, Corey Weber, Colby Smart, Doug Lee, Ashley Emerzian, legal counsel

2.0 ADJUSTMENT OF THE AGENDA

There were no adjustments to the agenda.

3.0 PUBLIC COMMENTS ON NON-AGENDA ITEMS

There were no public comments on non-agenda items

4.0 PUBLIC HEARING

Public hearing on the lapsation and dissolution of the Green Point Elementary School District, and annexation of its territory to the Blue Lake Union Elementary School District, or an alternative adjoining district

President Hinz opened the public hearing at 5:33 PM

Member Rebholtz joined at 5:33 PM.

Superintendent Davies-Hughes shared a presentation with the Committee.

Member Johnston joined at 5:45 PM

The Committee received public comment from Teresa Mondragon, Superintendent/Principal of the Green Point Elementary School District, who noted that the Green Point community supported the annexation into Blue Lake, and Nick Hinz,

President of the Green Point Elementary School District Board, who provided a brief history of the district.

President Hinz closed the public hearing at 6:02 PM.

5.0 ACTION ITEMS

(5.1) Consideration of a Resolution Regarding the Lapsation and Dissolution of the Green Point Elementary School District

Following County Committee discussion on this item, it was moved/seconded by Benzinger/Rebholtz to approve the resolution regarding the lapsation and dissolution of the Green Point Elementary School District. The motion carried with the following roll call vote:

Ayes: Martel, Johnston, Wohlers, Hanks, Benzinger, Rebholtz, Hinz, Barrick, Dieker

Noes: None

Absent: None

Abstain: None

(5.2) Review and Consideration of a Memorandum of Understanding Between the Green Point Elementary School District and the Blue Lake Union Elementary School District

No action was taken on this item.

6.0 ADJOURNMENT

President Hinz adjourned the meeting at 6:08 PM.