

"Raising Expectations"



Joint Meeting Visalia Unified School District Board of Trustees/Visalia City Council

Tuesday, May 5, 2009 - 5000 West Cypress Avenue 5:00 p.m. Dinner - C4 (Elected officials and senior staff) 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. Meeting - Board Room

City of Visalia Visalia Unified School District Mayor: Jesus J. Gamboa President: Juan Guerrero Vice Mayor: **Bob Link** Clerk: Jim L. Qualls Council Member: **Greg Collins** Board Member: Rodney Elder Council Member: Donald K. Landers Board Member: William A. Fulmer Council Member: Amy Shuklian Board Member: Larry Jones Michael Lane Board Member: Board Member: Donna Martin

AGENDA

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

MOMENT OF SILENCE

INTRODUCTIONS/COMMENTS

CITIZENS REQUESTS - This is the time for members of the public to comment on any matter within the jurisdiction of the Visalia Unified School District Board/Visalia City Council. The Board Members and Council ask that you keep your comments brief and positive. The Board/Council members cannot legally discuss or take official action on citizen request items that are introduced tonight. In fairness to all who wish to speak tonight, each speaker from the public will be allowed three minutes or a total of 20 minutes per topic. Please begin your comments by stating your name and providing your address.

(Additional written materials, if any, will be made available at the meeting)

- 1. VUSD Akers/Riggin Annexation Status Update Fred Brusuelas, City of Visalia Assistant Community Development Director
- 2. City Budget Update Eric Frost, City of Visalia Administrative Services Director
- 3. VUSD Budget Update Christine Statton, CFO VUSD
- 4. VUSD Visalia Technical Educational Charter (VTEC) Petition Update John Ramirez, VUSD Alternative Education/CTE/ROP Director

- 5. Update on City of Visalia Multi-Agency Gang Intervention Task Force gang reduction strategies and efforts Police Chief Bob Carden
- 6. Street Project Updates: Houston Avenue (Santa Fe Street Ben Maddow Way); McAuliff Street Overcrossing; Mooney Boulevard at Goshen Avenue Traffic Signal; Tulare Avenue Extension (Lovers Lane McAuliff Street) Chris Young, City of Visalia Assistant Community Development Director
- 7. Safe Routes to Schools Grant Applications Update Chris Young, City of Visalia Assistant Community Development Director
- 8. Update on Phase II of the Visalia Riverway Sports Park Vince Elizondo, City of Visalia Parks and Recreation Director
- 9. Pilot program to encourage recycling in VUSD Schools Andrew Benelli, City of Visalia Public Works Director
- 10. Census 2010 Complete Count Committee Nancy Loliva, City of Visalia Community Relations Manager

ADJOURNMENT

Upcoming Council Meetings

- Monday, May 18, 2009, 4:00 p.m. Joint Meeting City Council and Planning Commission, Convention Center, 303
 W. Acequia
- Monday, May 18, 2009, 7:00 p.m. Regular Meeting, Convention Center, 303 W. Acequia
- Monday, June 1, 2009, 4:00 p.m. Work Session; Regular Meeting 7:00 p.m., Council Chambers 707 W. Acequia

Note: Meeting dates/times are subject to change, check posted agenda for correct details.