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RIALTO UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

Special Board Meeting of the Board of Education

March 15, 2021
Dr. John R. Kazalunas Education Center
Meeting was held virtually and available to the public
Via YouTube stream

Members Present:	Joseph Martinez, President			
	Edgar Montes, Vice President			
	Stephanie E. Lewis, Clerk			
	Nancy G. O'Kelley, Member			
	Dina Walker, Member			
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Staff Present	Cusultémor Avils Ed D. Superintendent			
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Call to order - 4:00 p.m.

The Special Board Meeting of the Board of Education, which was held virtually and available to the public via YouTube stream, was called to order at 4:02 p.m.

B. <u>PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE</u>

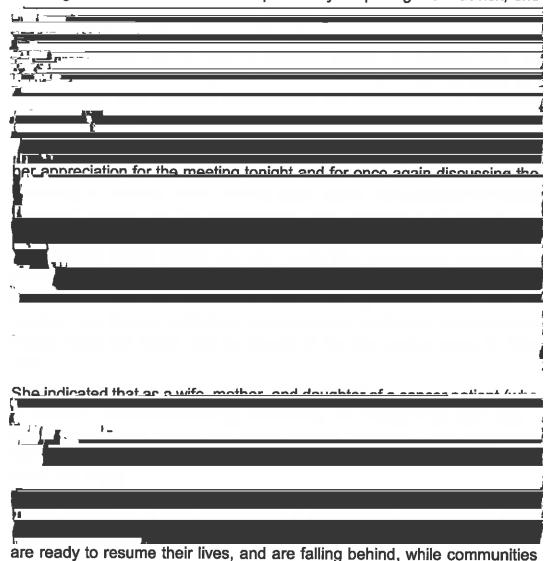
Board President, Mr. Joseph W. Martinez, led the pledge of allegiance.

C. PUBLIC COMMENTS

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Any person wishing to speak on any item on the Agenda will be granted three minutes.

Cassandra Rodriguez, Rialto High School Teacher, indicated that as a teacher and mother of two children in the District, she believes it is imperative that outdoor physical activity is resumed for students who play sports. After being at home for a year, she indicated that she has seen her son become less and less active and more dependent on video games and social media. Sports have always been a positive distraction for her son and so many other students. She understands that while those who believe allowing their children to resume sports may be putting them at risk, she



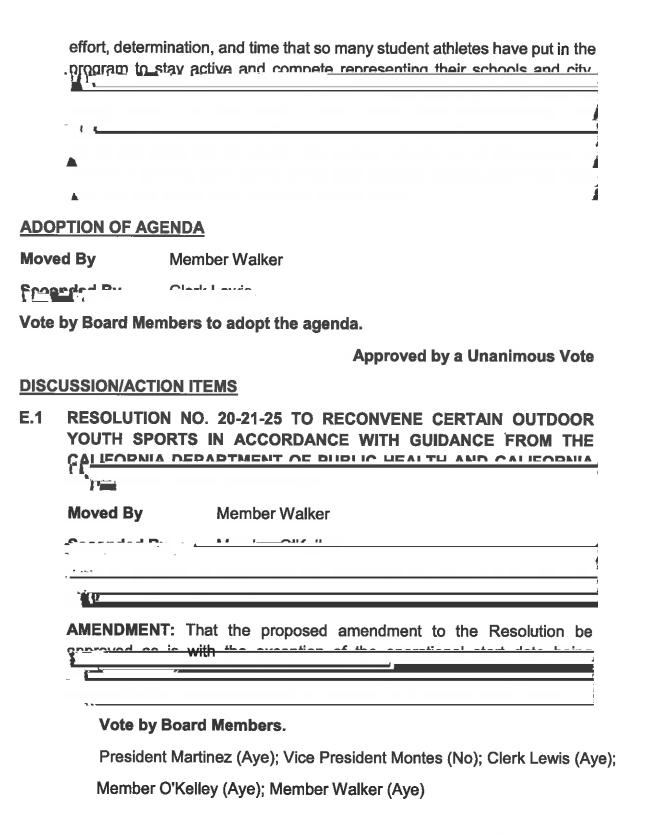
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She indicated that all other neighboring districts are reopening, and Rialto USD is left in the dark with the same quote on the website from Dr. Avila. She feels it is starting to leave the impression that Rialto USD simply does not want to put in the effort to reopen as the other districts are.

Jonathan Otero, Varsity Soccer Captain for Carter High School, High E STATE 200p The current numbers for

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Approved by a Majority Vote

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Seconded By

Clerk Lewis