

Board of Directors Meeting
School District 4J, Lane County
Virtual
Thursday, June 16, 2022

NOTICE: The School Board will meet in an Executive Session (non-public) and Special Board Meeting on Thursday, June 16, 2022
The Special Board Meeting will be open to the public via live broadcast on KRVM 1280-AM, 98.7 FM, via the internet www.4j.lane.edu/stream or via Zoom Webinar at <https://zoom.us/j/97396578668?pwd=LzBReEppZ0JxRzVpaVdlQ3h5UFVzd09>

7:30 PM
7:30 P.M. Executive Session (non-public) and 9:00 p.m. Special Board Meeting

- I. **7:30 p.m. Executive Session:** The board will convene in executive session to consider records that are exempt by law from public inspection pursuant to ORS 192.660 (2)(f)
- II. **9:00 p.m. Special Board Meeting:**
- III. Items for Action
 - 1. Approve a Motion to Make an Offer of Employment for the Position of Superintendent 2
Presenter: Judy Newman. Board Chair
- IV. Adjourn

THIS MEETING WILL BE BROADCAST OVER KRVM-AM (1280)

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ITEM ACTION

Date of Meeting

June 16, 2022

Title

Approve a Motion to Make an Offer of Employment for the Position of Superintendent

Presenter

Judy Newman, Board Chair

Background

Former superintendent Gustavo Balderas accepted the superintendency of a larger school district in spring 2020. The school board selected Cydney Vandercar, then Assistant Superintendent for Administrative Services, to serve as interim superintendent for the 2020–21 school year, and later extended her appointment for a second year, through June 2022. The board has now undertaken the process to select the permanent superintendent for the district starting in July 2022.

The school board selected Alma Advisory Group to provide executive search consultant services.

The Eugene School Board named four finalist candidates in the selection process for Eugene School District 4J's permanent superintendent. The candidates were selected from a nationwide recruitment and all have connections to Oregon. The four finalist candidates:

- Andy Dey, Director of Secondary Education, Eugene School District 4J
- Lin Johnson III, Doctoral Candidate, Harvard Graduate School of Education
- Iton Udosenata, Assistant Superintendent, Salem-Keizer Public Schools
- Cydney Vandercar, Interim Superintendent, Eugene School District 4J

The four finalists returned to Eugene School District 4J on May 11 and 12 to meet with community members, interview with committees and interview again with the whole board. On May 20, Dr. Iton Udosenata, withdrew his candidacy for this position.

The board has had the opportunity to consider the input received from community and staff members, the days interviewing in the district, and other information gathered through references. At this meeting, the board plans to consider a motion to make a formal offer of employment to a finalist candidate.