



**Rosemead  
School District**  
Established in 1859

# Press Release

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## Rosemead School District Introduces its 2019 Board of Trustees and Adopts its Meeting Schedule for the 2019 Calendar Year

**Rosemead, California:** The Rosemead School District introduces its Board of Trustees for the 2019 calendar year following Board organization meeting on December 13, 2018, held at the District Office Board Room.

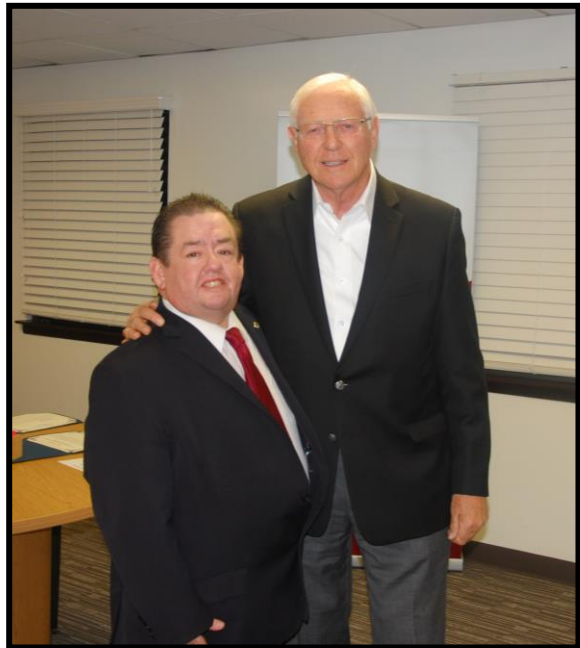
**Mr. Ronald Esquivel** assumed the office of Board President and **Mr. John Quintanilla** assumed the office of Board Clerk, with Mrs. Veronica Peña, Ms. Nancy Armenta, and Mrs. Diane Benitez who filled Mrs. Harmon's expired seat, as Trustees.

The Board of Trustees incumbents and new trustee were administered the ceremonial Oath of Office as follows:



*Incumbent Ms. Nancy Armenta accompanied by her father Mr. Jesus Armenta and Godson Mr. Frankie Aragon had her Ceremonial Oath of Office administered by Councilmember and sister Ms. Sandra Armenta.*

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*Incumbent Mr. John Quintanilla had his Ceremonial Oath of Office administered by former Los Angeles County Board of Supervisor Mr. Michael Antonovich.*



*Newly elected Trustee Mrs. Diane Benitez had her Ceremonial Oath of Office administered by her husband Mr. John Benitez.*

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Presentation of  
Certificates  
City of Rosemead

*Pictured left to right:  
Trustees  
Mr. John Quintanilla,  
Ms. Nancy Armenta,  
Councilmember  
Ms. Sandra Armenta,  
and Mrs. Diane Benitez*

Presentation of  
Certificates  
El Monte Union  
High School  
District

*Pictured left to right:  
Trustees  
Mr. John Quintanilla,  
El Monte Trustee  
Mr. Ricardo Padilla,  
Ms. Nancy Armenta,  
And Mrs. Diane Benitez*





*Pictured left to right: Trustee Mr. John Quintanilla, Trustee Ms. Nancy Armenta, 2019 CSEA President Mrs. Kathryn Monte, 2019 CSEA Secretary Mrs. Sylvia Petrovich, 2018 Outgoing CSEA President Mr. Octavio Serrato, Trustee Mrs. Diane Benitez, and 2019 CSEA Vice President Ms. Christina Price.*

**2019 BOARD OF TRUSTEES LEADERSHIP:**

**President Mr. Ronald Esquivel**, a longtime resident of Rosemead and alumni of the Rosemead School District, has served on the Rosemead School District Board of Trustees since 1999 and has served in the roles of President, Clerk and Member.

**Clerk Mr. John Quintanilla**, a longtime resident of Rosemead and alumni of the Rosemead School District, has served on the Rosemead School District Board of Trustees since 2013 and has served in the roles of President, Clerk, and Member.

The Superintendent, administration, and staff look forward to working with the entire Board of Trustees to continue the great work of educating and supporting the students and staff of the Rosemead School District.

**2019 BOARD OF TRUSTEES MEETING SCHEDULE:**

During its December 13<sup>th</sup>, 2018 meeting, the Board of Trustees also adopted its 2019 Calendar Year Meeting Schedule, as follows:

<b>Rosemead School District</b> <b>2019 Board of Trustees Meeting Schedule</b>	
1 <sup>st</sup> Thursday – Regular (Closed Session: 6:30 p.m. / Public/Open Session: 7:30 p.m.) 3 <sup>rd</sup> Thursday – Regular Study Session (Public/Open Session: 6:30 p.m.) <i>The Board will Reconvene Closed Session after the completion of open session agenda items, if it is necessary to complete the closed session agenda.</i>	
Thurs., January 17, 2019 Regular *	Thurs., June 6, 2019 Study Session Thurs., June 20, 2019 Regular *
Thurs., February 7, 2019 Regular Thurs., February 21, 2019 Study Session	Thurs., September 5, 2019 Regular Thurs., September 19, 2019 Study Session
Thurs., March 7, 2019 Regular Thurs., March 21, 2019 Study Session	Thurs., October 3, 2019 Regular Thurs., October 17, 2019 Study Session
Thurs., April 4, 2019 Regular Thurs., April 18, 2019 Study Session	Thurs., November 7, 2019 Regular Thurs., November 14, 2019 Study Session *
Thurs., May 2, 2019 Regular Thurs., May 16, 2019 Study Session	Thurs., December 5, 2019 Study Session Thurs., December 12, 2019 Regular *
2019 Board of Trustees meeting calendar is subject to change. Special Meetings may be scheduled at any time following The Brown Act posting requirements. Visit <a href="http://www.rosemead.k12.ca.us">www.rosemead.k12.ca.us</a> to view the agenda, for date and location updates, or contact the Superintendent’s Office at 626-312-2900 x212 or email <a href="mailto:cbracamonte@rosemead.k12.ca.us">cbracamonte@rosemead.k12.ca.us</a> .	
*Exceptions include, not limited to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● January 2019 – scheduled the 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday only to avoid Winter Break.</li> <li>● June 2019 – due to LCFF Public Hearing and Budget Adoption.</li> <li>● July &amp; August 2019 – no meetings scheduled; special meetings will be scheduled as needed.</li> <li>● November 2019 – to avoid Thanksgiving Week.</li> <li>● December 2019 – Organizational meeting as per Education Code.</li> </ul>	

**About Rosemead School District**

The Rosemead School District (RSD) was established in 1859 and is a Local Education Agency (LEA) led by Superintendent Mr. Alejandro Ruvalcaba. The District’s education program includes students in preschool, transitional kindergarten, kindergarten, and grades 1<sup>st</sup> through 8<sup>th</sup>. The Rosemead School District offers programs as follows and are not limited to: Full Day Kindergarten, English Language Development (ELD); Instrumental Music program (4<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> grades); Student in Need program; State Preschool; Transitional Kindergarten; Before and Afterschool programs: K.S.A.R.T. (Kinder After School Recreational and Tutorial), A.S.A.R.T. (After School Recreational and Tutorial), A.S.E.S. (After School Education and Safety) program; Migrant Education Program; Gifted and Talented Program (GATE); Science Olympiad;

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Franklin Covey's Leader in Me® Program and 7-Habits®; Positive Behavior Intervention and Supports (PBIS); Migrant Education; and Special Education programs. For more information about the Rosemead School District, please visit [www.rosemead.k12.ca.us](http://www.rosemead.k12.ca.us). For more information about school educational programs, please contact the Educational Services Department at (626) 312-2900 x213.

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