

## Sierra Sands Regular Board Meeting Protocol In Response to Coronavirus (COVID-19)

**Until further notice, all Sierra Sands regular school board meetings will continue to be held in the City Council Chambers to allow for social distancing and are closed to public attendance. Only school board members and essential staff are allowed to be physically present, and will be seated the recommended distance from each other. Public participation is solely via call-in or via written correspondence. TO PARTICIPATE, please call, email, or send mail to the contact info provided below.**

**In accordance with the Governor's Executive Order N-25-20, Board Members may use teleconferencing to participate in meetings.**

On March 12, 2020, Governor Newsom issued Executive Order N-25-20, relating to the convening of public meetings in light of the COVID-19 pandemic. At this time, Sierra Sands is continuing to hold School Board meetings in order to conduct essential business. However, as suggested by the Center for Disease Control, we are temporarily requiring the public to use one of the following alternatives for participating:

- **Watch meetings on-line:**

All of our meetings are streamed live on YouTube at <https://www.youtube.com/cityofridgecrest/live> and are also available for playback after the meeting.

- **Submit written comments:**

We encourage submittal of written comments supporting, opposing, or otherwise commenting on an agenda item, for distribution to the School Board prior to the meeting. Send emails to [superintendent@ssusd.org](mailto:superintendent@ssusd.org); written correspondence may be sent to SSUSD Superintendent, Attn: Diane Naslund, 113 W. Felspar Avenue, Ridgecrest, CA 93555. Please specify to which agenda item your comment relates. All communication, whether it is a formal letter or an online informal email, is read by the School Board.

Please click on the link below to access the School Boards Meeting Agenda, Minutes and Video web page. [http://www.ssusd.org/board/board\\_packets/2019-2020\\_board\\_packets\\_and\\_information](http://www.ssusd.org/board/board_packets/2019-2020_board_packets_and_information)

Please note this process is temporary and subject to change due to various circumstances. If you have any questions please contact us.

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