

SPECIAL MEETING

**Tulare Local Health Care District
Board of Directors Meeting
Friday, September 24, 12:00 PM
Evolutions Plaza Conference Room
1425 E. Prosperity Ave., Tulare, CA
(Use Prosperity Avenue entrance on north side of Plaza)**

Electronic participation will be available via Zoom Webinar link/phone number below.

Zoom Webinar link and call in information¹:

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Availability of Public Records.² All public records relating to an open session item on this agenda, which are not exempt from disclosure pursuant to the California Public Records Act, that are distributed to a majority of the board members will be available for public inspection at TLHCD Administrative Offices, Construction Trailer, 869 North Cherry Street, Tulare, California at the same time that the public records are distributed or made available to the board members.

¹ Pursuant to Executive Order N-29-20 dated March 17, 2020, in order to further combat the spread of the COVID-19 virus California Governor Gavin Newsom has temporarily suspended certain provisions of the Brown Act respecting notice, quorum and accessibility requirements applicable to meetings of local legislative bodies. In accordance with said Order—a copy of which will be made available upon request—and related recommendations by the CDC, a physical location for public participation will be provided on a limited occupancy basis for the September 24, 2021 special meeting of the Board. To avoid unintentional transmission of COVID-19, interested members of the public are encouraged to observe and participate in this meeting telephonically or electronically using the information provided above. Any member of the public requiring assistance in accessing these offsite technologies should email Kathy Melendez at kmelendez@tulareregional.org or call (559) 685-3879 at least three (3) hours prior to the scheduled commencement of this meeting.

² Due to present restrictions related to COVID-19, the District is operating under a modified schedule. Please call (559) 685-3879 or email kmelendez@tulareregional.org to arrange viewing access to documents.

AGENDA

Tulare Local Health Care District Board Members:

Kevin Northcraft	President	District 4
Mike Jamaica	Vice President	District 2
Xavier J. Avila	Secretary	District 5
Senovia Gutierrez	Director	District 3
Philip Smith	Treasurer	District 1

1. Call to Order

- a. Roll Call
- b. Welcome/Introductions
- c. Pledge of Allegiance

- 2. Public Comment:** The public may comment on any item of public interest within the jurisdiction of the Tulare Local Healthcare District Board of Directors. In the interest of time and equal opportunity, speakers are requested to observe a 3-minute maximum time limit (subject to change at the Chair's direction). In accordance with the Brown Act, if a member of the public addresses an item not on the posted agenda, no response or action on the item may occur during the meeting.

3. Announcements – Board

4. Discussion and Potential Action Related to Resignation of Director Gutierrez

5. Suspend Open Session – Recess to Closed Session

6. Closed Session

- a. Potential Litigation (*pursuant to Ca. Govt. Code § 54956.9*)
- b. Discussion and Action on public employee appointment of Chief Executive Officer (*pursuant to Govt. Code § 54957(b)(1)*)
- c. End closed session

7. Reconvene Open Session – Public Report of Action Taken in Closed Session (If Necessary) pursuant to Government Code 54957.1

8. Adjournment – Next regular meeting scheduled for 6:30 PM on Wednesday, October 27, 2021 at the Evolutions Plaza Conference Room.