

MINUTES OF THE STUDY SESSION – JANUARY 13, 2026

The Board of Education of the Alpine School District met in a study session on Tuesday, January 13, 2026, at 4:00 PM. The study session took place in the boardroom at the Alpine School District office.

Board members present: Board President Julie E. King, Vice Presidents Stacy M. Bateman and Emily B. Peterson, Sarah L. Beeson, Dr. Mark J. Clement, and Joylin Lincoln. Arrived Late: Ada S. Wilson.

Also present: Interim Superintendent Robert W. Smith, Business Administrator Jason Sundberg, and members of the administrative staff. There were approximately 14 others in attendance.

Career and Technical Education (CTE)

Ryan Nield, Director of Career and Technical Education (CTE), delivered a presentation outlining the CTE program, including its purpose, its role in enhancing student education, and the career pathways available to support student success. Mr. Nield also shared programmatic recommendations and guidance, from a CTE perspective, intended to assist the newly formed Boards in establishing CTE programs within their respective districts. The information provided included organizational structures, financial considerations, required meetings, and applicable grant opportunities.

Mr. Nield fielded questions from the Board of Education.

**The meeting adjourned at 4:41 PM.**