

TUCSON UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT
GOVERNING BOARD
AGENDA FOR SPECIAL BOARD MEETING*

TIME: August 21, 2004
8:00 a.m.

PLACE: Tucson High Magnet School
Library Conference Room
400 N. Second Avenue

DISCUSSION ITEMS

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Joint Meeting with Independent Citizens' Committee

1. Welcome and Introductions
2. History of Independent Citizens' Committee
 - ?? History of the court stipulation – what variables came into play?
 - ?? Creation of the ICC – purpose and responsibilities
 - ?? Overview of amendments to the court stipulation
 - ?? Overview of actions/accomplishments of the ICC
3. Unitary Status
 - ?? Definition and overview
 - ?? Current environment of Unitary Status in school districts throughout the U.S.
 - Examples of districts that went from deseg to Unitary Status
 - Process and tools used to reach this decision
 - ?? TUSD
 - Where is the district with this?
 - What factors are used to determine Unitary Status for TUSD?
 - How is funding affected?
 - ?? ICC
 - What happens after Unitary Status is declared?

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ADJOURNMENT

- * One or more Governing Board members will/may participate by telephonic or video communications.
- ? Persons with a disability may request a reasonable accommodation, such as a sign language interpreter, by contacting Bridget Auvenshine at 225-6070. Requests should be made as early as possible to arrange the accommodation.
- ? If authorized by a majority vote of the members of the Governing Board, any matter on the open meeting agenda may be discussed in executive session for the purpose of obtaining legal advice thereon, pursuant to A.R.S. 38-431.03 (A)(3). The executive session will be held immediately after the vote and will not be open to the public.