

STATE OF NEVADA COMMISSION ON ETHICS http://ethics.nv.gov

NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING

NAME OF ORGANIZATION: NEVADA COMMISSION ON ETHICS

DATE & TIME OF MEETING: March 15, 2023, at 9:30 a.m.

PLACE OF MEETING:

This meeting will be held at the following location:

State Bar of Nevada 9456 Double R Boulevard, Suite B Reno, NV 89521

*Commissioners may appear via Zoom (virtually or telephonically).

In addition to in-person attendance at the noticed location, the public may attend via Zoom or telephonically, as follows:

https://us06web.zoom.us/j/83443294890?pwd=MUhNYkp4UDIMOXZoRGINRU5wYjJwQT09

Zoom Meeting Telephone Number: 720-707-2699* Meeting ID: 834 4329 4890

Passcode: 644955

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MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC ARE ALSO INVITED TO SUBMIT WRITTEN PUBLIC COMMENT WHICH WILL BE SUBMITTED INTO THE RECORD OF THE PUBLIC MEETING.

AGENDA

NOTES:

- Two or more agenda items may be combined for consideration.
- At any time, an agenda item may be taken out of order, removed, or delayed.
- Public comment will be accepted at the beginning of the open session and again before the conclusion of the open session of the meeting. Comment and/or testimony by the public may be limited to three (3) minutes. No action may be taken on any matter referred to in remarks made as public comment. Members of the public may also submit written public comment to the Commission at <u>ncoe@ethics.nv.gov</u>.

	1. Call to Order, Roll Call, and Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.
	2. Public Comment. Comment and/or testimony by any member of the public will be limited to three (3) minutes. No action will be taken under this agenda item.
For Possible Action	3. Approval of Minutes of the February 15, 2023, Commission Meeting.

For Possible Action	4. Hearing on Dispositive Motions in Consolidated Case Nos. 20-081C & 20-085C regarding Leonardo Blundo, Member, Board of County Commissioners, Nye County, State of Nevada, including providing authority to the Chair of the Commission to prepare and issue the order reflecting the Commission's decision and other matters relating thereto, in consultation with Counsel for the Commission.
For Possible Action	5. Hearing on Dispositive Motions in Case No. 22-051C regarding Joseph Rodriguez, Trustee, Washoe County School District; Lieutenant, State Fire Marshall, State of Nevada, including providing authority to the Vice-Chair of the Commission to prepare and issue the order reflecting the Commission's decision and other matters relating thereto, in consultation with Counsel for the Commission.
For Possible Action	 6. Pursuant to NRS 281A.745, Adjudicatory Hearing to hear testimony, receive evidence, deliberate and render an opinion concerning Ethics Complaint Case No. 22-051C regarding the conduct of Joseph Rodiguez, Trustee, Washoe County School District; Lieutenant, State Fire Marshall Division, State of Nevada, including determination of whether there are violations of the Ethics Law and possible issuance of fines or penalties pursuant to NRS 281A.775 and NRS 281A.785. The Commission may receive information or evidence concerning this matter and deliberate in a <u>closed session</u> pursuant to NRS 281A.760. The Commission will take action on the item in an open session.
For Possible Action	 7. Report by Executive Director, on agency status and operations, and possible direction thereon. Items to be discussed include, without limitation: a. Education and Outreach b. Legislative Update c. Budget Update d. Commission Counsel Hiring Update
For Information	 Commissioner Comments on matters including, without limitation, identification of future agenda items, upcoming meeting dates and meeting procedures. No action will be taken under this agenda item.
	9. Public Comment. Comment and/or testimony by any member of the public will be limited to three (3) minutes. No action will be taken under this agenda item.
For Possible Action	10. Adjournment.

NOTES:

- The Commission is pleased to make reasonable accommodations for any member of the public who has a disability and wishes to attend the meeting. If special arrangements for the meeting are necessary, please notify the Nevada Commission on Ethics, in writing at 704 W. Nye Lane, Ste. 204, Carson City, Nevada 89703; via email at <u>ncoe@ethics.nv.gov</u> or call 775-687-5469 as far in advance as possible.
- To request an advance copy of the supporting materials for any open session of this meeting, contact Executive Director Ross E. Armstrong, Esq. at ncoe@ethics.nv.gov or call 775-687-5469.
- This Agenda and supporting materials are posted and are available not later than the 3rd working day before the meeting at the Commission's office, 704 W. Nye Lane, Ste. 204, Carson City, Nevada, or on the Commission's website at <u>www.ethics.nv.gov</u>.
- Any meeting or hearing held by the Commission pursuant to NRS 281A.760 to receive information or evidence regarding the conduct of a public officer or employee and deliberations of the Commission concerning an ethics complaint are exempt from the provisions of NRS Chapter 241, Nevada's Open Meeting Law. As a result, these agenda items, or any portion of them, may be heard in closed session.

This Notice of Public Meeting and Agenda was posted in compliance with NRS 241.020 not later than 9:00 a.m. on the third working day before the meeting at the following locations:

- Nevada Commission on Ethics, 704 W. Nye Lane, Suite 204, Carson City
- Nevada Commission on Ethics' website: <u>http://ethics.nv.gov</u>
- Nevada Public Notice Website: <u>http://notice.nv.gov</u>