

**Santa Monica-Malibu Unified School District  
Board of Education Meeting  
SPECIAL MEETING**

**February 27, 2009**

A **special meeting** of the Santa Monica-Malibu Unified School District Board of Education will be held on **Friday, February 27, 2009**, in the Board Room of the District Offices: 1651 16<sup>th</sup> Street, Santa Monica, CA. This is a Communications Lab with SEIU and Senior Cabinet, which a quorum of Board Members will also be attending. The Lab will take place from **9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.**

**I CALL TO ORDER**

A. Roll Call – Board of Education

Ralph Mechur	Jose Escarcé
Barry Snell	Maria Leon-Vazquez
Ben Allen	Kelly Pye
Oscar de la Torre	

**II COMMUNICATIONS LAB WITH S.E.I.U.**

The Communication Lab is a process that allows for dialogue among SEIU, Senior Cabinet, and Board Members regarding the issues that impact classified employees in the workplace.

**III PUBLIC COMMENTS**

Public Comments is the time when members of the audience may address the Board of Education on items not scheduled on the meeting's agenda. All speakers are limited to three (3) minutes. When there is a large number of speakers, the Board may reduce the allotted time to two (2) minutes per speaker. The Brown Act (Government Code) states that Board members may not engage in discussion of issues raised during "III. Public Comments," except to ask clarifying questions, make a brief announcement, make a brief report on his or her own activities, or to refer the matter to staff. This Public Comment section is limited to twenty (20) minutes.

**IV ADJOURNMENT**

This special meeting will adjourn to another special meeting to be held on **Wednesday, March 4, 2009**, at **6:00 p.m.** at the District Administrative Offices: 1651 16<sup>th</sup> Street, Santa Monica, CA.