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## **NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING**

**NOTICE** is hereby given that on **Thursday, September 21, 2023, at 4:00 p.m., or as soon thereafter as the matter can be heard, via videoconference ONLY at the following web address and in-person at the Santa Cruz County Office of Education (400 Encinal St, Santa Cruz),** the Santa Cruz County Board of Education will hold a public hearing to consider public input regarding the **Sufficiency of Instructional Materials to be used by the Santa Cruz County Office of Education Alternative Student Programs during the 2023-2024 school year.** In order to be eligible to receive instructional materials funding, the County Board is required to hold a public hearing and adopt a resolution stating whether or not each pupil in the Santa Cruz County Office of Education programs has sufficient standards-aligned textbooks and/or instructional materials in specified subjects pursuant to Education Code Section 60605 et. seq.

This meeting will be hosted in a webinar format. No registration will be required. Use the following link to join the meeting:

<https://santacruzcoe-org.zoom.us/j/81143401299>

**Alternatively,** join by phone using the following phone number at the time of the meeting:

Phone Number: + 1 (669) 900-6833

Meeting ID: 811 4340 1299

Any person wishing to make a public comment will have the opportunity to do so via videoconference during the virtual meeting for up to three minutes each for any item not listed on the agenda, or for up to two minutes for any item listed on the agenda. To submit a comment about to be read aloud on your behalf either listed or not listed on the meeting agenda, please send a comment no longer than 300 words to [vvalentin@santacruzcoe.org](mailto:vvalentin@santacruzcoe.org) no later than 2pm on September 21st. **Each individual may only make one comment per topic.** The agenda for the meeting will be made available no later than the Monday prior to the meeting at <https://santacruzcoe.org/board/board-agenda-and-minutes/>.

To request further information about these public hearings, please contact Verenise Valentin, Administrative Assistant to the County Superintendent of Schools, at the Santa Cruz County Office of Education at (831) 466-5900 or [vvalentin@santacruzcoe.org](mailto:vvalentin@santacruzcoe.org).