



From the Board Room

January 19, 2016 Regular Meeting

Hesperia Unified School District Governing Board

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Preparing Today's Students for Tomorrow's World

RECOGNITIONS:



Sultana HS Black & Teal Brigade, Band Championship Division 2A winners (Above)



Stevie Gaskell, Sultana HS, Division and National Cross Country winner (Above)



Cathy Gomez, Executive Asst. to the Board, pictured with the Governing Board & Superintendent, being recognized for her 20 years of service to the District and retirement (Above)

RESOLUTION ADOPTED FOR USE OF PEOPLE-FIRST LANGUAGE FOR STUDENTS WITH DISABILITIES

The Governing Board adopted Resolution #2015/16-28, Use of People-First Language for Students with Disabilities.

Resolution #2015/16-28 is to improve communication verbally and in writing with or about students with disabilities, which places the person ahead of his or her disability.

There are more than 705,000 students with disabilities who receive special education services in California. Old, inaccurate, and inappropriate descriptors about students with disabilities perpetuate negative stereotypes and attitudinal barriers.

All students deserve to be treated with dignity and respect.

NEW DISTRICT TECHNOLOGY PLAN APPROVED

The Board approved the 2015-2018 District Technology Plan. The current technology plan was approved in 2011. This new plan will guide Hesperia Unified School District's use of technology for 2015-2018.

The plan was updated by stakeholders comprised of teachers and staff. In addition to the technology plan development committee, representatives from each school assisted in various information gathering tasks including the completion of online technology surveys and site hardware inventories. Information technology staff, site administrators, community and business leaders provided feedback on plan components and helped shape the vision of the plan. The technology plan is aligned with the HUSD Local Control and Accountability Plan and district staff development efforts.

The updated plan reflects our current technology goals according to ongoing school plans in our district.

APPOINTMENTS

- The Board approved the appointment of Larry Porras as second Director of Personnel, effective July 1, 2016



Board Actions:

- Approved the Classified & Certificated Personnel Reports
- Approved Off-Campus Activities
- Approved Volunteer Applicants & Volunteer Coaches
- Approved the 2015/16 Title 1 Schoolwide Program (SWP) Request and Single Plan
- Accepted the Williams Quarterly Report ending 12/31/15
- Accepted Gifts to the District
- Surplused District Property
- Approved Conference Report 2015/16-10
- Accepted the 2014/15 Annual Audit Report
- Adopted Resolution #2015/16-27 Resolution for the Board of Trustees Granting an Easement to So. California Edison
- Approved the Piggyback Bid for portable classroom furniture
- Approve contract with Herk Edwards for purchase and installation of bleachers at Hesperia HS
- Awarded Security Camera Bid #16-105 to VectorUSA
- Acting as the legislative body of CFD 2006-5, Approved the contract for auditing services between Nigro & Nigro and HUSD CFD 2006-5
- Acting as the legislative body of CFD 2013-1, Approved redesignating expenditures for proceeds of Series 2015 Special Tax Bonds of CFD 2013-1
- Approved a Variable Term Waivers for Celina Torres and Brad Asdel
- Approved the CSEA Chapter 684 Collective Bargaining Agreement
- Approved the AB104 Transitional Kindergarten recommendation as amended to deny enrollment to students who fall within the AB104 criteria, due to space availability, as district school sites are already at full capacity. Amendment was to bring this item back by the end of the school year for review.
- Approved the AB86/104 Adult Education Grant with Victor Valley Community College District
- PUPIL PERSONNEL ISSUES: Approved Stipulated Expulsions, Readmits, and Admissions to the District
- Adopted Resolution #2015/16-28 Resolution for Use of People First Language for Students with Disabilities
- Approved the HUSD District Technology Plan for 2015-2018

Next Meeting:

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 8, 2016 (REGULAR MEETING)

CLOSED SESSION: 4:00 P.M.; OPEN SESSION: 6:00 P.M.

Hesperia Administration & Educational Support Center (Annex), 15576 Main Street, Hesperia

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Hesperia Unified School District Governing Board

We understand that issues and concerns may arise in which you feel the need to contact us. However, we expect that employees and supervisors will make every effort to resolve issues and concerns informally.

If you would like to express your concerns to the Board, please contact us.

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