

Hanford Elementary School District
Minutes of the Regular Board Meeting
February 24, 2021

Minutes of the Regular Board Meeting of the Hanford Elementary School District Board of Trustees on February 24, 2021 at the District Office Board Room, 714 N. White Street, Hanford, CA.

Call to Order President Garcia called the meeting to order at 5:30 p.m. Trustee Strickland, Garner, Hernandez and Revious were present.

HESD Managers Present Joy C. Gabler, Superintendent, and the following administrators were present: Doug Carlton, David Endo, Lucy Gomez, Jaime Martinez, Karen McConnell, William Potter, Jill Rubalcava and Jay Strickland.

Closed Session Trustees adjourned to closed session for the purpose of:

- Public Employee Discipline/Dismissal/Release (GC 54957)

Open Session Trustees returned to open session at 6:07 p.m.

Public Employee No action was taken by the Board.

Public Comments George Cleary, grandfather of HESD student at Jefferson, stated his grandson has been tested 3 different times for COVID-19. He understands the concern but how many times is enough. He added the district should just go back to distance learning. His daughter is a teacher at Avenal and they have been in virtual leaning the entire school year. They aren't going back and forth. He thinks the District can come up with a better plan.

Board and Staff Comments None

Requests to Address the Board None

Dates to Remember President Garcia reviewed dates to remember: Regular Board Meeting – March 10th; Regular Board Meeting – March 24th; Spring Break March 29th – April 5th.

CONSENT ITEMS

Trustee Garner made a motion to take consent items "a" through "d" together.

Trustee Revious seconded; motion carried 5-0:

Garcia – Yes

Garner – Yes

Hernandez – Yes

Revious – Yes

Strickland – Yes

Trustee Garner then made a motion to approve consent items “a” through “d”.
Trustee Revious seconded; motion carried 5-0:

Garcia – Yes
Garner – Yes
Hernandez – Yes
Revious – Yes
Strickland – Yes

The items approved are as follows:

- a) Warrant listings dated February 5, 2021 and February 12, 2021.
- b) Minutes of the Regular Board Meeting held on February 10, 2021.
- c) Interdistrict transfers as recommended.
- d) Donation of \$250.00 from The Wonderful Company Foundation Inc.

INFORMATION ITEMS

None

BOARD POLICIES AND ADMINISTRATION

- a) Trustee Strickland made a motion to approve the contract extension with Mobile Modular Management Corporation. Trustee Hernandez seconded; motion carried 5-0:

Garcia – Yes
Garner – Yes
Hernandez – Yes
Revious – Yes
Strickland – Yes

- b) Trustee Revious made a motion adoption the Comprehensive Safety Plan. Trustee Hernandez seconded; motion carried 5-0:

Garcia – Yes
Garner – Yes
Hernandez – Yes
Revious – Yes
Strickland – Yes

- c) Trustee Strickland made a motion to approve the SARB agreement with Kings County Office of Education for 2021-2022 school year. Trustee Garner seconded; motion carried 5-0:

Garcia – Yes
Garner – Yes
Hernandez – Yes
Revious – Yes
Strickland – Yes

d) Trustee Strickland made a motion to approve the Resolution #23-21 In Support of Expedited COVID-19 Vaccination for Certificated and Classified Personnel. Trustee Hernandez seconded; motion carried 5-0:

- Garcia – Yes
- Garner – Yes
- Hernandez – Yes
- Revious – Yes
- Strickland – Yes

PERSONNEL

Trustee Garner made a motion to take Personnel items "a" through "d" together. Trustee Strickland seconded; the motion carried 5-0:

- Garcia – Yes
- Garner – Yes
- Hernandez – Yes
- Revious – Yes
- Strickland – Yes

Trustee Garner then made a motion to approve Personnel items "a" through "d". Trustee Strickland seconded; the motion carried 5-0:

- Garcia – Yes
- Garner – Yes
- Hernandez – Yes
- Revious – Yes
- Strickland – Yes

The following items were approved:

Item "a" – Employment

Temporary Employees/Substitutes

- Maira Apodaca, Short-term Yard Supervisor, 3.5 hrs., Richmond, effective 2/9/21-3/26/21
- Silvia Foreman, Short-term Special Education Aide, 5.75 hrs. (M,T,Th,F), 5.0 hrs. (W), effective 2/16/21-3/26/21
- Mary Grubb, Short-term Yard Supervisor, 2.5 hrs., Hamilton, effective 2/9/21-3/26/21
- Alondra Iniguez Perez, Short-term Yard Supervisor, 2.0 hrs., Roosevelt, 2/9/21-3/26/21
- Audrey Navarro, Short-term Yard Supervisor, 3.5 hrs., Monroe, 2/9/21-3/26/21
- Yasmin Torres, Short-term Yard Supervisor, 2.75 hrs., Simas, 2/9/21-3/26/21
- Sandra Virden, Short-term Yard Supervisor, 3.5 hrs., Lincoln, 2/9/21-3/26/21

Item "b" – Resignations

- Steven Cabral, Yard Supervisor, 3.5 hrs., Richmond effective 2/5/21
- Brooke King, Yard Supervisor, 3.5 hrs., Monroe, effective 1/13/21
- Cecily Olson, Teacher, MLK, effective 3/2/21

Item "c" – Retirement

- Francis Mwangi, Teacher, John F. Kennedy, effective 6/4/21

**Item "d" –
Temporary Out
of Class
Assignment**

- Javantae Farmah, from READY Program Tutor – 4.5 hrs., to READY Site Lead – 5.0 hrs., Washington, effective 1/11/21-2/22/21

FINANCIAL

**Kings County
Treasurer's
Quarterly
Compliance
Report**

- a) Trustee Revious made a motion to approve the Kings County Treasurer's Quarterly Compliance Report. Trustee Hernandez seconded; motion carried 5-0:
- Garcia – Yes
 - Garner – Yes
 - Hernandez – Yes
 - Revious – Yes
 - Strickland – Yes

**2nd Interim
Report**

- e) David Endo, Chief Business Official, presented a PowerPoint presentation with expression of the current fiscal year. He stated Local Control Funding Formula (LCFF) is still our primary source of funding. It is determined per Average Daily Attendance (ADA). This year due to COVID-19 it isn't being tracked, we are using prior year's ADA. Funding for 2021-22 will be based on 2019-20 but supplemental funding is still subject to change. He showed a chart, Districtwide Census Enrollment, showing a drop in enrollment for 2020-21. Although we are safe for this current year, we will have to track ADA next year. David then shared a graph, Districtwide LCFF funding over the years, also showing a decrease. A decrease in enrollment means a decrease in funding. He then shared the enrollment trends over the years. We are hoping to rebound next year if we can go back to normal. David went over the General Fund Budget Comparison showing a reduction in Title I funding, reduction in Special Education funding, added teachers, overtime pay due to MOU, decrease in Title I activities, travel and conference went. David added other HESD Funds are healthy, with a decrease in cafeteria funds. He reviewed the Multi-Year projection assumptions: increase in COLA, learning loss funding going away, increase in Title I funding due to high balance carryover, Prop 98 COVID funding going away and electric bus funding going away. If we can go back to normal next year: pension increases, decrease in Learning Loss Mitigation, decrease in teacher FTE, decrease in COVID materials, decrease in software licenses and WIFI expansion. David reviewed the multi-year projections and fund ending balances stating 2022-23 year can be dramatically different depending on what we see next year. He finalized by reviewing 'what to look forward to' next year.
- b) Trustee Strickland made a motion to approve the 2nd Interim Report. Trustee Hernandez seconded; motion carried 5-0:
- Garcia – Yes
 - Garner – Yes
 - Hernandez – Yes
 - Revious – Yes
 - Strickland – Yes

Resolution #21-c) 21 Trustee Revious made a motion to adopt the Resolution #21-21: 2020-2021 Budget Revisions – 2nd Interim. Trustee Strickland seconded; motion carried 5-0:
Garcia – Yes
Garner – Yes
Hernandez – Yes
Revious – Yes
Strickland – Yes

Adjournment There being no further business, President Garcia adjourned the meeting at 6:35 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Joy C. Gabler,
Secretary to the Board of Trustees

Approved:


Robert Garcia, President


Lupe Hernandez, Clerk

