TAMALPAIS UNION HIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT

Special Board Meeting
07/14/2025 - 03:15 PM
Kreps Conference Room
395 Doherty Drive, Larkspur, California, 94939
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MEETING MINUTES

Call to Order
Special Board Meeting at 3:15 p.m.
Zoom link: https://tamdistrict-org.zoom.us/j/93837543949?pwd=21KINuhlCip8Ucbw4LuLNYa9898HDi.1
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Board of Trustees
Cynthia Roenisch, President
Kevin Saavedra, Clerk
Emily Uhlhorn
Ida Green
Jennifer Holden

Courtney Goode, Ed. D, Superintendent

Attendance

Voting Members
Cynthia Roenisch, Board President
Kevin Saavedra, Board Clerk
Emily Uhlhorn, Board Member
Ida Green, Board Member
Jennifer Holden, Board Member

1. Call Meeting to Order

Call to order by Cynthia Roenisch, Board President, at 3:17 p.m. A quorum was declared present.

2. Approve Agenda and Review Norms

Trustee Uhlhorn read the board norms.

Motion made by: Kevin Saavedra
Motion seconded by: Jennifer Holden
Voting:
Unanimously Approved

3. Trustee Considerations

A. Presentation of Superintendent, Dr. Courtney Goode's Recommendation for Student Support Services at Tamalpais High School 2025-26 (3:18 p.m.)

Superintendent, Dr. Courtney Goode recommended the addition of 1.0 FTE Intervention Coordinator for the Black Student Success Team (BSST) and HUB starting 2025-26 school year.

Public Comment

- 1 public comment was emailed expressing concern regarding reputational harm, contract cost and next steps related to the BSST.
- 1 public comment was emailed claiming the data used in the analysis of the BSST/HUB was inaccurate and misleading and requested a statement and apology be issued.
- 1 public comment was emailed to highlight the importance Dr. Mostafa's presentation where she discussed TUHSD's over-identification of Black students for Special Education services, urging the board to take transformative action.
- 5 public comments expressed that the Board missed an opportunity to be on the forefront of addressing racial equity. They further urged the Board to ensure the data presented and considered when making important decisions is accurate.
- 1 public comment expressed disappointment in the Board's behavior and further elaborated that targeted behavior erodes trust.
- 3 public comments argued that the discussion from the Board created a negative picture of Tenisha Tate and Paul Austin and stated they deserve to be respected.
- 1 public comment urged the Board to move quickly so students can return to similar support in place.
- 2 public comments stated it is important to support Black students at Tamalpais High School.
- 2 public comments thanked Dr. Goode for his thoughtfulness and hopes everyone can be respectful and listen to each other.
- 1 public comment expressed frustration over his experience at Tamalpais High School.

B. Take Action on Superintendent, Dr. Courtney Goode's Recommendation for Student Support Services Tamalpais High School 2025-26 (4:17 p.m.)

Motion made by: Ida Green
Motion seconded by: Kevin Saavedra
Voting:
Unanimously Approved

The Board approved Dr. Courtney Goode, Superintendent's recommendation for student support services at Tamalpais HS.

4. Conclusion

Trustee Uhlhorn read the board norms.

5. Adjournment

The meeting adjourned at 4:20 p.m.