



BOARD OF EDUCATION  
REGULAR MEETING  
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## **MINUTES – BOARD OF EDUCATION REGULAR MEETING**

**Fresno, California**  
**August 27, 2025**

Fresno Unified School District, Education Center, 2309 Tulare Street, Fresno, CA 93721.

At the regular meeting of the Fresno Unified School District Board of Education held June 18, 2025, there were present Board Members Cazares, Jonasson Rosas, Levine, Thomas, Wittrup, Clerk Islas, and Board President Davis. Superintendent Her was also present.

For the record, Board Member Jonasson Rosas arrived at 4:33 p.m.

For the record, Board Clerk Islas participated from the teleconference location as follows: The Hacienda San Antonio, S/N San Antonio, Comala, Colima, Mexico.

Pursuant to Governments Code Section 54953 (B) (2), all action taken during this teleconference meeting was by roll call vote.

Board President Davis CONVENED the Regular Board Meeting at 4:30 p.m.

### **PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

Carlos Castillo, Ed.D., led the Pledge of Allegiance.

### **OPPORTUNITY for Public Comment on Closed Session Items**

For the record, the Board received zero (0) requests to address the Board on Closed Session items.

### **A. RECEIVE INFORMATION & REPORTS**

For the record, there were no items for this section of the agenda.

Board President Davis ADJOURNED the Regular Board Meeting to Closed Session at 4:33 p.m.

Board President Davis RECONVENED the meeting to Open Session at 6:03 p.m.

For the record, Board President Davis asked to observe a moment of silence for Dr. Joseph Castro, former president of Fresno State and chancellor of the CSU system. Board President Davis commented that we will continue to keep Dr. Castro's family in our thoughts in the coming days.

### **Reporting Out of Closed Session**

- On a motion by Board Member Thomas, seconded by Board Member Levine the Board acted in closed session to approve dismissal charges for a classified employee, identification number 1083994, by a roll call vote of 7-0-0-0 as follows: AYES: Board Members Cazares, Jonasson Rosas, Levine, Thomas, Wittrup, Clerk Islas, and President Davis.
- On a motion by Board Member Thomas, seconded by Board Member Jonasson Rosas, the Board acted in closed session to approve dismissal of a classified employee, identification number 1076430, by a roll call vote of 7-0-0-0 as follows: AYES: Board Members Cazares, Jonasson Rosas, Levine, Thomas, Wittrup, Clerk Islas, and President Davis.
- On a motion by Board Member Jonasson Rosas, seconded by Board Member Wittrup the Board acted in closed session to approve dismissal charges for a certificated employee, identification number 1071199, by a roll call vote of 7-0-0-0 as follows: AYES: Board Members Cazares, Jonasson Rosas, Levine, Thomas, Wittrup, Clerk Islas, and President Davis.
- On a motion by Board Member Thomas, seconded by Board Member Jonasson Rosas the Board acted in closed session to approve dismissal charges for a classified employee, identification number 1084355, by a roll call vote of 7-0-0-0 as follows: AYES: Board Members Cazares, Jonasson Rosas, Levine, Thomas, Wittrup, Clerk Islas, and President Davis.
- On a motion by Board Member Thomas, seconded by Board Member Cazares, the Board acted in closed session to hire Dr. Ben Amuku Drati as Deputy Superintendent, by a roll call vote of 7-0-0-0 as follows: AYES: Board Members Cazares, Jonasson Rosas, Levine, Thomas, Wittrup, Clerk Islas, and President Davis.
- On a motion by Board Member Cazares, seconded by Board Member Jonasson Rosas, the Board acted in closed session to hire Adela Garcia Duncan as Chief Information Officer, by a roll call vote of 7-0-0-0 as follows: AYES: Board Members Cazares, Jonasson Rosas, Levine, Thomas, Wittrup, Clerk Islas, and President Davis.

At this time Superintendent Misty Her briefly shared how the first ever Fresno Unified music video came to be.

For the record, Member Levine read the approved Board Shared Agreements which are as follows:

- **Respect and Civility** – Honor our shared agreements.
- **Be Honest and Honorable** – Honor my word and do not lie, deflect, or disparage others.
- **Honor the Process and any Time Limits**
- **Honor Confidentiality**
- **Be Prepared and On Time** – Be on time. Read materials or share questions ahead of time. Share as early as possible if I will be late or miss a commitment.
- **Represent All Students** - Do not represent solely my region/area.

## **B. CONFERENCE/DISCUSSION AGENDA**

### **B-1, PRESENT and DISCUSS Revisions to the Interim Goals and Interim Guardrails**

For the record, the Board received no public requests to speak on agenda item B-1, Present and Discuss Revisions to the Interim Goals and Interim Guardrails.

For the record, Board Members provided comments and raised questions regarding agenda item B-1. A summary of Board Member feedback is outlined below:

**Member Cazares** commented that there is a small conflict--when Fresno City College begins Dual Enrollment courses Fresno Unified students are receiving their schedules and by the time students realize a dual enrollment course is needed, classes have already begun. Member Cazares requested schedules be available to students sooner.

**Member Levine** asked Dr. Castillo to describe what utilizing the current adopted curriculum looks like.

For the record, Carlos Castillo, Ed.D., and David Chavez were available to provide clarity.

### **B-2, DISCUSS and APPROVE Revisions to the Literacy Intervention Goal**

For the record, Board Members provided comments and raised questions regarding agenda item B-2. A summary of their feedback is outlined below:

**Member Cazares** requested clarity as to what 30% represented as well as D1.

For the record, the Board received one (1) public request to speak on agenda item B-2, Discuss and Approve Revisions to the Literacy Intervention Goal. The individual's name and a summary of topic are as follows:

1. Christy Bassett spoke as a second-grade teacher at Pyle Elementary School and addressed the pros of smaller class size for student learning.

**Member Levine** requested clarity as to historical trends related to the baseline pre-pandemic, commented information could be provided in a Board Communication.

For the record, Carlos Castillo, Ed.D., was available to provide clarity.

On a motion by Board Member Cazares, seconded by Board Member Jonasson Rosas, the Board approved the revisions to the Literacy Intervention Goal, by a roll call vote of 6-0-0-1 as follows: AYES: Board Members Cazares, Jonasson Rosas, Levine, Wittrup, Clerk Islas, and President Davis. ABSENT: Board Member Thomas.

### **B-3, PRESENT and DISCUSS Student Outcomes Focused Governance Monitoring Report**

For the record, the Board received no public requests to speak on agenda item B-3, Present and Discuss Student Outcomes Focused Governance Monitoring Report.

For the record, Board Members provided comments and raised questions regarding agenda item B-3. A summary of Board Member feedback is outlined below:

**Member Wittrup** commented on not seeing Baird in the material and recommended that Addicott and Rata be included in the information.

**Member Levine** thanked staff for their time with this work and reiterated the importance of a transparent process, not for shaming but to provide additional supports where needed. Asked what the plan looks like specifically related to resources to sites for the family literacy events mentioned on slide no. 5. Member Levine requested to be kept up to date on the planning and to be invited to the events. Member Levine commented it is critical to offer books to families as parents have shared that they would like to be active supporters in the home and may need resources.

**Member Cazares** commented that our teachers should be acknowledged for their work as the percentage of Fresno Unified students entering kindergarten at the mastery-level for goal L2 is around one to two percent and the data shows great gains taking place between kindergarten and first grade. Commented stretch goals are uncomfortable but what we want is for students to succeed.

**Member Jonasson Rosas** thanked the team for the opportunity to discuss this item and commented that as the person who volunteered to be the question monitor, Member Jonasson Rosas has found that personally having conversations is more productive and feels prescriptive questions can at times miss the expectations and expertise of the Board. Member Jonasson Rosas commented there is a fine line between having a conversation and utilizing what the Board has experience in and has heard from the community and directing work. Member Jonasson Rosas commented that with an understanding of where lines and boundaries lie as the process is undertaken the conversations can take place without being in question form.

For the record, coach Sue Diegaard responded to Member Jonasson Rosas's comment.

**Member Jonasson Rosas** commented that 10 out of 17 of the off-track schools are Dual Immersion schools but only one of the on-track schools is a Dual Immersion school and it appears that the Root Cause-Response-Action Steps are classroom centric and asked what other areas were looked at that these schools could have in common that may help explain why 10 out of 17 are off-track. Member Jonasson Rosas challenged the team to think broader.

**President Davis** requested to see hard dates for reassessment. President Davis requested clarity related to Farber online.

**Member Cazares** commented there are schools that went from on-track to approaching and Member Cazares is interested in seeing any analysis or data that can explain the movement.

**Member Wittrup** shared an observation that the tiered system used in the presentation is similar to what is used with MTSS and conceptually it aligns with strong ideas around MTSS. Member Wittrup commended staff on the work and commented it is a bold move and applauds staff for doing it this way. Member Wittrup asked when staff comment on a lack of rigor, what does that mean and what does that look like when walking into a classroom.

**Member Islas** wanted to celebrate and applaud all the excellent work done to move the district to this place and commented that it is a true milestone as now attention is where it needs to be while the Board focuses on Student Outcomes Focused Governance (SOFG). Member Islas thanked fellow colleagues for sticking with SOFG as the district is now reaping the benefits of being strategic. Thanked staff and the Superintendent for their time assessing and presenting the data, thanked the principals and teachers for their investments, thanked students for showing up and families for supporting their children's education. Member Islas reiterated that this work aligns with the district's budget and staffing decisions, and this data helps the Board make informed decisions.

**Member Jonasson Rosas** commented that it is absolutely unacceptable that evaluations were not completed as directed by the Superintendent. Member Jonasson Rosas asked about accountability and stated the district should not be in this same space later as this guardrail cannot be monitored if evaluations are not completed.

**Member Cazares** echoed Member Jonasson Rosas's statements and commented it was eye opening that there were any did not meet standards evaluations that did not have actionable feedback; as even those that do meet standards should have actionable feedback because that is how to help employees become better. Member Cazares commented it is overwhelming that this could happen at a K-12 institution as large as Fresno Unified and is in support of a tighter schedule as every evaluation that does not meet standards should have actionable feedback this year rather than next. Member Cazares commented that when a person takes on a supervisory role, they should take it upon themselves to be the best evaluator they can be to better develop employees otherwise they are not a good supervisor.

**Member Wittrup** concurred on this issue with both Members Jonasson Rosas and Cazares and commented the district has a culture of evaluations being a low priority. Member Wittrup remarked this is a big problem and the Board has been faced many times with not being able to act when action was needed because evaluations were not completed. Member Wittrup agreed that evaluations are an especially important piece and should be completed as soon as possible.

**President Davis** commented student outcomes do not change until adult behaviors change.

For the record, Superintendent Her, Carlos Castillo, Ed.D., and David Chavez were available to provide clarity.

**B-4, DISCUSS and APPROVE the Initial Proposal from the Fresno Teachers Association Trades to Fresno Unified School District for the 2025/26 Reopener Agreement**

For the record, the Board received no public requests to speak on agenda item B-4, Discuss and Approve the Initial Proposal from the Fresno Teachers Association Trades to Fresno Unified School District for the 2025/26 Reopener Agreement.

For the record, Annarita Howell was available to provide clarity.

On a motion by Board Member Jonasson Rosas, seconded by Board Member Cazares, the Board approved the initial proposal from the Fresno Teachers Association Trades to Fresno Unified School District for the 2025/26 Reopener Agreement, by a roll call vote of 6-0-0-1 as follows: AYES: Board Members Cazares, Jonasson Rosas, Levine, Wittrup, Clerk Islas, and President Davis. ABSENT: Board Member Thomas.

**B-5, DISCUSS and APPROVE the Initial Proposal from Fresno Unified School District to the Fresno Teachers Association Trades for the 2025/26 Reopener Agreement**

For the record, the Board received no public requests to speak on agenda item B-5, Discuss and Approve the Initial Proposal from Fresno Unified School District to the Fresno Teachers Association Trades for the 2025/26 Reopener Agreement.

For the record, Annarita Howell was available to provide clarity.

On a motion by Board Member Jonasson Rosas, seconded by Board Member Levine, the Board approved the Initial Proposal from Fresno Unified School District to the Fresno Teachers Association Trades for the 2025/26 Reopener Agreement, by a roll call vote of 7-0-0-0 as follows: AYES: Board Members Cazares, Jonasson Rosas, Levine, Wittrup, Clerk Islas, and President Davis. ABSENT: Board Member Thomas.

**B-6, DISCUSS and APPROVE Proposition 28 Annual Report**

For the record, the Board received no public requests to speak on agenda item B-6, Discuss and Approve Proposition 28 Annual Report.

For the record, Board Members provided comments and raised questions regarding agenda item B-6. A summary of their feedback is outlined below:

**Member Levine** thanked staff for the presentation and commented it is important for the district to maximize this work.

Member Levine asked if conversations are taking place with higher education to build a pipeline to recruit teachers for this work, and does the proposition allow for waivers to bring in teachers with expertise but that may not yet have their full credentials. Member Levine asked staff to let Board members know how they could help with the colleges and universities.

**Member Jonasson Rosas** asked several questions as follows: if music and theater teachers have been hired, instrumental music in elementary schools, if this money could be used to help people fund their credentials in music and theater, and how broad is the definition of art and would cheer be considered art.

**Member Cazares** requested clarity as to when the \$9.9 million in materials and supplies had to be spent. Member Cazares commented that the Board may need to ask for the Superintendent's assistance on the procurement side to be sure the district spends the money and does not have to return any of the money. Member Cazares asked staff how the Board can help with elected representatives to help prompt an amendment to Proposition 28 to allow for building facilities for arts programs. Member Cazares asked how much the district receives annually from Proposition 28 and if any of the money is used for contract work rather than hiring staff. Member Cazares asked Superintendent to make sure there is fidelity in the implementation of programs in schools.

**Member Islas** remarked that art enhanced her education and brought joy to her as a student, and she would like to make sure every student has the opportunity to pursue some form of art. Member Islas shared thanks for the comment related to the positive correlation of arts and student outcomes. Member Islas would like the district to be intentional of connections and of what data is showing the Board and where investments are made. and would like to see how investments are related to places identified as needing improvement, specifically within the elementary schools. Member Islas asked what is being done at Rata and Addicott.

**President Davis** asked if there is a possibility of Fresno Unified putting in a bid to host a statewide marching band competition. President Davis asked if materials and supplies money could be used to purchase new risers at sites.

For the record, Heather Kuyper-McKeithen was available to provide clarity.

On a motion by Board Member Cazares, seconded by Board Member Jonasson Rosas, the Board approved the Proposition 28 Annual Report, by a roll call vote of 6-0-0-1 as follows: AYES: Board Members Cazares, Jonasson Rosas, Levine, Thomas, Wittrup, Clerk Islas, and President Davis. ABSENT: Board Member Thomas.

## **OPPORTUNITY for Public Comment on Consent Agenda Items**

For the record, the Board received no public requests to speak on the Consent Agenda.

On a motion by Board Member Jonasson Rosas, seconded by Board Member Cazares, the Board approved the Consent Agenda with the exception of agenda item C-8, C16, and C18 by a roll call vote of 6-0-0-1, as follows: AYES: Board Members Cazares, Jonasson Rosas, Levine, Wittrup, Clerk Islas, and Board President Davis. ABSENT: Board Member Thomas.

**ALL CONSENT Agenda items** are considered routine by the Board of Education and will be enacted by one motion. There will be no separate discussion of items unless a Board member requests, in which event, the item(s) will be considered following approval of the Consent Agenda. Pulled Consent Agenda items will be considered for approval after the Conference/Discussion Agenda.

## **C. CONSENT AGENDA**

### **C-1, ADOPT Findings of Fact and Recommendations of District Administrative Board**

**ADOPTED as recommended**, the Findings of Fact and Recommendations of District Administrative Panels resulting from Hearings on expulsion and readmittance cases conducted during the period since the regular meeting of the Board held August 13, 2025.

### **C-2, ADOPT Resolution 26-02, Vehicle Procurement Delegation**

**ADOPTED as recommended**, Resolution No. 26-02, Vehicle Procurement Delegation which approves the procurement of specialty vehicles required for various operational and student transportation uses.

### **C-3, ADOPT Provisional Internship Permits**

**ADOPTED as recommended**, Provisional Internship Permit (PIP) recommendations to rehire or hire upon Board adoption. Site principals recommended to Human Resources that the teachers referenced in the support material be rehired or hired in their positions in 2025/26 due to hard-to-fill credential positions. These individuals are all working towards completing the required classes/exams by the end of 2026/27 school year.

### **C-4, ADOPT Variable Term Waiver for Bilingual Cross-Cultural Language and Development**

**ADOPTED as recommended**, a Variable Term Waiver recommendation for Bilingual Cross-Cultural, Language and Development (BCLAD) Authorization for the 2025/26 school year. The Education Code 44225(m) allows the commission to grant waivers to fill in an area that is deemed hard-to-fill.

The candidate referenced in the support material is working towards completing the required coursework for the Multiple Subject Credential and BCLAD Authorization.

**C-5, ADOPT Variable Term Waiver for Career Technical Education Credential Holders**

**ADOPTED as recommended**, Variable Term Waiver recommendations for Career Technical Education Credential Holders. The Commission on Teacher Credentialing (CTC) has stated that Preliminary Career Technical Education (CTE) credential holders should be issued a Variable Term Waiver for the English Learner Authorization until the CTE program is completed. The English Learner classes are embedded in the CTE program. Individuals will not have the English Learner Authorization on their credential document until the CTE program is completed and the clear credential is issued.

**C-6, APPROVE Personnel List**

**APPROVED as recommended**, the Personnel List, Appendix A, as submitted.

**C-7, APPROVE Meeting Minutes**

**APPROVED as recommended**, the draft minutes for the regular meeting of the Fresno Unified School District Board of Education held August 13, 2025.

**C-8, APPROVE Employment Agreement for Ben Amuku Drati, Deputy Superintendent**

**APPROVED as recommended**, an Oral Report of the Deputy Superintendent's Employment Agreement as required by Government Code section 54953(c)(3). The term of the Deputy Superintendent's Employment Agreement begins on September 02, 2025, and continues through June 30, 2028, unless otherwise modified pursuant to law and/or the terms of the Employment Agreement.

For the record, Superintendent Her read the statement as follows:

**THE FOLLOWING ORAL REPORT MUST BE PRESENTED IN OPEN SESSION AND BEFORE ACTION ON THE DEPUTY SUPERINTENDENT'S EMPLOYMENT AGREEMENT**

Government Code section 54953(c)(3) of the Brown Act requires that this Board make an oral report in open session before taking final action on an employment agreement for a local agency executive. The oral report must summarize any recommended compensation including salary and/or fringe benefits.

Consistent with this requirement, the district provides the following oral summary of the salary and fringe benefits as set forth in the proposed Employment Agreement between the Fresno Unified School District and Ben Amuku Drati.

1. Contract term effective September 2, 2025, through June 30, 2028.
2. An annual base salary of \$310,000.00.
3. The annual salary will be adjusted by the percentage increase or decrease applied to the salary schedules for management employees, inclusive of any one-time, off-schedule payments to management employees generally.
4. Retirement contribution payments equal to the maximum annual employee elective deferral allowed under the Internal Revenue Code for a 457(b) Tax Sheltered Account, currently \$23,500.00 for 2025.
5. Paid medical, dental and vision insurance coverage on same terms as other management employees.
6. Paid vacation of 20 days per year with the accrual of vacation days not to exceed 40 days.
7. Auto/Travel allowance of \$500.00 per month.
8. Professional dues to the Association of California School Administrators.
9. A one-time moving stipend of \$10,000.00.

Once the Board's report was concluded pursuant to Government Code section 54953(c)(3), the item was opened for discussion and action.

On a motion by Board Member Levine, seconded by Board Member Jonasson Rosas, the Board approved the employment agreement for Dr. Ben Amuku Drati, Deputy Superintendent by a vote of 6-0-0-1 as follows: AYES: Board Members: Cazares, Jonasson Rosas, Levine, Wittrup, Clerk Islas, and Board President Davis. ABSENT: Board Member Thomas.

**C-9, APPROVE Use of Individual Piggyback Contracts**

**APPROVED as recommended**, a list of seven piggyback contracts for use during 2025/26 for efficient and cost-effective procurement. This is in addition to the piggyback contracts approved by the Board previously, to allow for expedited purchases related to janitorial supplies, software, tires, disposable nutrition products, and refrigeration parts. Use of piggyback contracts is allowed under Public Contract Codes 10299 and 20118 and is a procurement best practice that takes advantage of competitive pricing from a contract formally bid by another school district or public agency.

**C-10, APPROVE Award of Request for Proposals 26-02, Cybersecurity Augmentation for Internal Equipment**

**APPROVED as recommended**, information on Request for Proposals (RFP) 26-02, to purchase enhanced cybersecurity tools and monitoring services. These tools and services allow improved network and data security for students, staff, and district resources. Staff recommend award to Development Group, Inc., (Redding, CA) for the amount of \$3,278,707 as \$2,692,053 has been approved for reimbursement by the Federal Communications Commission under the Cybersecurity Pilot Program.

**C-11, APPROVE Rejection of Bid 26-05, Early Learning Department Conversion and Site Improvements**

**RATIFIED as recommended**, information on Bid 26-05, Early Learning Department Conversion and Site Improvements. The project consists of the installation of new playground equipment, the relocation and addition of perimeter fencing, and associated site work. Staff recommend rejecting all bids.

**C-12, RATIFY Early Math Initiative - Count Play Explore Grant Agreement**

**RATIFIED as recommended**, an agreement with Fresno County Superintendent of Schools. Early Learning will receive funding from the Early Math Initiative/Count Play Explore grant. The funds will be used to increase awareness among educators and families about the critical role of early math and science, while also strengthening their ability to support young children's development in these areas. The grant award was received May 13, 2025.

**C-13, RATIFY Change Orders**

**RATIFIED as recommended**, information on Change Orders for the following projects: Bid 24-18, Farber Educational Campus South Building A Modernization ; Bid 24-35, Roosevelt High School Administration Building, Library, West Hall, and Theater Modernization; Bid 24-56, Fresno High School Auxiliary Gym and Site Improvements; Bid 24-84, Scandinavian Middle School Sitework and Portable Improvement; Bid 24-92, Cambridge High School Sitework and Portable Improvement; Bid 24-93, Computech Middle School Sitework and Portable Improvement; and Bid 24-97, Tehipite Middle School FUSD Technology Hub.

**C-14, RATIFY Filing of Notices of Completion**

**RATIFIED as recommended**, Notices of Completion for projects which have been completed according to plans and specifications as follows: Bid 24-66, Edison High School Athletic Field Improvements, and Bid 24-97, Tehipite Middle School Fresno Unified School District Technology Hub.

**C-15, RATIFY Purchase Orders from April 01, 2025, through April 30, 2025 – Primary Report**

**RATIFIED as recommended**, information on purchase orders issued from April 01, 2025, through April 30, 2025 - Primary Report.

Two agenda items are presented to ratify purchase orders. The first item includes the Primary Report with all purchase orders issued during the reported dates with the exception of those that may present a potential conflict of interest for an individual Board member. All remaining purchase orders are in the Supplemental Report and presented as a second agenda item.

**C-16, RATIFY Purchase Orders from April 01, 2025, through April 30, 2025 – Supplemental Report**

**RATIFIED as recommended**, information on purchase orders issued from April 01, 2025, through April 30, 2025 - Supplemental Report.

For the record, Board Member Levine read the statement as follows:

“Agenda item C-16 on tonight’s Consent Agenda contains purchase orders between Fresno Unified School District and the CSU Fresno Foundation.

I did not participate in the making of the purchase orders related to this agenda item; however, because of my employment with Fresno State, I have a remote financial interest in the purchase orders.

Therefore, in the interest of full transparency, I am abstaining from this vote pursuant to Board Bylaw 9270”.

On a motion by Board Member Cazares, seconded by Board Member Jonasson Rosas, the Board ratified agenda item C16 by a roll call vote of 5-0-1-1, as follows: AYES: Board Members Cazares, Jonasson Rosas, Wittrup, Clerk Islas, and Board President Davis. ABSTENTIONS: Board Member Levine. ABSENT: Board Member Thomas

**C-17, RATIFY Purchase Orders from May 01, 2025, through May 31, 2025 – Primary Report**

**RATIFIED as recommended**, information on purchase orders issued from May 01, 2025, through May 31, 2025 - Primary Report. Two agenda items are presented to ratify purchase orders. The first item includes the Primary Report with all purchase orders issued during the reported dates with the exception of those that may present a potential conflict of interest for an individual Board member. All remaining purchase orders are in the Supplemental Report and presented as a second agenda item.

**C-18, RATIFY Purchase Orders from May 01, 2025, through May 31, 2025 – Supplemental Report**

**RATIFIED as recommended**, information on purchase orders issued from May 01, 2025, through May 31, 2025 - Supplemental Report.

For the record, Board Member Levine read the statement as follows:

“Agenda item C-18 on tonight’s Consent Agenda contains purchase orders between Fresno Unified School District and the California Teaching Fellows Foundation, the CSUF Association of Food Services, the CSUF Downing Planetarium, and Fresno State University.

I did not participate in the making of the purchase orders related to this agenda item; however, because of my employment with Fresno State, I have a remote financial interest in the purchase orders.

Therefore, in the interest of full transparency, I am abstaining from this vote pursuant to Board Bylaw 9270”.

On a motion by Board Member Cazares, seconded by Board Member Wittrup, the Board ratified agenda item C18 by a roll call vote of 5-0-1-1, as follows: AYES: Board Members Cazares, Jonasson Rosas, Wittrup, Clerk Islas, and Board President Davis. ABSTENTIONS: Board Member Levine. ABSENT: Board Member Thomas

#### **OPPORTUNITY FOR UNSCHEDULED ORAL COMMUNICATIONS**

For the record, the Board received one (1) request to address the Board during Unscheduled Oral Communications. The individual’s name and a summary of topic are as follows:

1. Jim Barr supports the naming of Edison High School Gymnasium for Cecile “Chief” Smith.

#### **OPPORTUNITY for Board Member Reflections on the Board Shared Agreements**

For the record, there were no Board reflections shared.

Member Jonasson Rosas welcomed Dr. Ben Amuku Drati and Adela Garcia Duncan to the Fresno Unified team.

#### **D. ADJOURNMENT**

Board President Davis ADJOURNED the meeting at 8:08 p.m.