



HIGLEY UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT
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October 14, 2025 - Board Meeting Agenda Questions & Responses

Can you provide here the breakdown of how many of the 80+ positions we eliminated were vacant, how many were switched to a different funding source, how many were cut because we didn't actually need them due to declining enrollment along with titles/roles?

District - 14 FTE (1 administration, 13 classified) - Vacant - \$515,000 approximate

District - 18.4 FTE - Not Vacant \$1,300,000 approximate

Schools - 2 FTE (1 administration, 1 classified) - Vacant - \$150,000 approximate

Schools - 48 FTE - Not Vacant - \$3,135,000 approximate

The transfer column indicates those switched to a different funding source.

Elementary and Secondary teaching position reductions were due to anticipated loss of enrollment. The other positions listed below were reduced to the decline in the override.

Level	Department Positions	Reduction	Transfer	Notes
District Office	District Administration	1.00		1 FTE Vacant
District Office	Maintenance & Grounds	1.00	1.00	1 FTE Vacant
District Office	Special Education	4.00	1.00	No Vacancies
District Office	Educational Services	6.00	1.50	No Vacancies
District Office	Finance	2.00		No Vacancies
District Office	Higley Center for the Performing Arts	1.40		No Vacancies
District Office	Human Resources & Student Services	2.50		1 FTE Vacant
District Office	Transportation	11.00		11 FTE Vacant
	Total:	28.90	3.50	
	Total FTEs at District Office	32.40		

Level	Position	Reduction	Transfer	Notes
Schools	Elementary Teachers	18.00		No Vacancies
Schools	Secondary Teachers	10.20		No Vacancies
Schools	Special Education	2.80		No Vacancies
Schools	Custodian	8.00		No Vacancies
Schools	Site Administration	1.00		No Vacancies
Schools	Elementary Classified	8.00		No Vacancies
Schools	Site Information Technology	2.00		1 FTE Vacant
	Total FTEs at Schools:	50.00	0.00	

6.2 Correct name on Minutes-Highlighted on pg 8

This has been corrected.

Can you please explain why the property was reclassified?

1028 | 9/23/2025 | 25/26 313-13-893 | 202600104 | \$3,760.00 | PARCEL 314-04-983-New property Reclassified 304-29-003D-NEW PARCEL NUMBER 313-13-893

The reclassification happened between the 17/18 FY and the 18/19 FY. The purchase order has been rolling from year to year with this verbiage included. It will be removed for FY27.

Maricopa County may reclassify a parcel number to accurately reflect a property's current use, ownership, or physical characteristics. These updates are necessary for determining the correct property tax liability and ensuring the accuracy of public records.

Could you please explain the educational purpose or value of these items found in the vouchers?

1024	9/16/2025	1CNR-664M-41YL	202601872	\$34.65	Koalswm Fake Butt Big Booty Old Lady Grandma Cosplay Costume Halloween
1028	9/22/2025	1RQC-JMLC-6WDY	202601980	\$17.31	Medou Halloween Blood Props Fake Scary Severed Hand Broken Body Parts f Motionchic 4 Pcs Halloween Bloody Dolls Creepy Haunted Doll Scary Hanging
1030	9/30/2025	1XX4-NLL6-731P	202602223	\$67.13	Haunted Props Pranks Parties Short Bob Wigs with Bangs, 6 Pack Bob Wigs - Fruit Beach Series Set with Hear
1024	9/16/2025	13QT-GPLW-4RCW	202601788	\$194.88	(Hot Pink)

Old Lady Prosthetic - Ordered using CTE funds for HHS Technical Theater class. Part of costume for upcoming Junie B Jones Jr. theater production

Halloween Props - Ordered using Student Drama Club funds for the haunted house during the fall carnival at SMS.

Halloween Props - Ordered using Student Council Club funds for decorations for the Halloween Dance at CMS.

Hairpieces and Costume Wear - Ordered using HHS Girls Up Club funds for club members to wear during Breast Cancer Walk on October 25, 2025.

Can you please provide the final/total cost for the Criminal Justice Classrooms?

Vendor	Voucher	Inv. Date	Invoice	PO No.	Total	Detail Line Description
JS WALTZ CONSTRUCTION LLC	1028	9/24/2025	PA S 20-25-016	202600861	\$12,473.29	Cost to build Criminal Justice Classrooms/Labs at WFHS per approved contract

General Contractor JS Waltz Construction \$559,213.05; Architect DLR Groups \$58,405.40