

**Minutes of the Regular Meeting of the Board of Education
San Bernardino City Unified School District
Tuesday, October 7, 2025**

(Board Approved October 21, 2025)

Members present

Scott Wyatt, Danny Tillman, Abigail Rosales-Medina, Mayra Ceballos, Mary Ellen Grande, Felicia Alexander, Michael Santos.
Student Board Members Aremy Hernandez Soto, Valeria Cervantes.

*Student Board Members cast preferential votes.

1. 5:30 pm: Opening

1.1 Call to Order

President Ceballos called the meeting to order 5:32 pm.

1.2 Pledge of Allegiance

1.3 Approval of Agenda

Approve as presented

Motion by Abigail Rosales-Medina, second by Danny Tillman.

Final Resolution: Motion Carries

Yea: Scott Wyatt, Danny Tillman, Abigail Rosales-Medina, Mayra Ceballos, Felicia Alexander, Michael Santos

Not Present at Vote: Mary Ellen Grande

*Aremy Hernandez Soto, Valeria Cervantes

2. Special Presentations/Recognitions

2.1 Resolution to Participate in the 2025 Great California ShakeOut Earthquake Drill

Approve resolution

WHEREAS the San Bernardino City Unified School District recognizes that no community is immune from natural or man-made hazards and recognizes the importance of training staff and students to withstand these hazards; and

WHEREAS the District knows the importance of reducing human impact, property damage, interruption of educational services and economic loss caused by those hazards; and

WHEREAS the District has a responsibility to promote earthquake preparedness with the staff, students, and families it serves and plan appropriately for earthquake-related disasters; and

WHEREAS by participating in the Great California ShakeOut earthquake drill on Thursday, October 16, 2025, at 10:16 a.m., the District has the opportunity to join millions of Californians in testing emergency response procedures; and

WHEREAS the District encourages schools and families to participate in the Great California ShakeOut at their schools, worksites and homes and to use the information available at both www.ShakeOut.org/california and www.sbcusd.com/ReadySBCUSD to educate and prepare themselves to protect life and property during an emergency.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED the Board of Education of the San Bernardino City Unified School District directs Districtwide participation in the Great California ShakeOut drill on October 16, 2025.

Motion by Abigail Rosales-Medina, second by Scott Wyatt.

Final Resolution: Motion Carries

Yea: Scott Wyatt, Danny Tillman, Abigail Rosales-Medina, Mayra Ceballos, Mary Ellen Grande, Felicia Alexander, Michael Santos

*Aremy Hernandez Soto, Valeria Cervantes

2.2 Resolution in Recognition of California Week of the School Administrator

Approve resolution

WHEREAS leadership matters for California's public education system and the close to 6 million students it serves; and

WHEREAS the title of school administrator is used to define many educational leadership posts, such as superintendent, principal, assistant principal, special education and adult education leader, district business official, classified educational leader and other school district employees who are considered administrators; and

WHEREAS the future of California's public education system depends upon the quality of its leadership to guide and evaluate the

educators and support staff who work directly with students; and

WHEREAS school leaders depend on a network of support - from fellow administrators, teachers, parents, students, businesses, community members, board trustees, colleges and universities - to promote ongoing student achievement and school success; and

WHEREAS the state of California has declared in Education Code 44015.1, the second full week in October as the Week of the School Administrator.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED the Board of Education of the San Bernardino City Unified School District declares October 12 through October 18, 2025, as the Week of the School Administrator and commends all school leaders for the contributions they make to successful student achievement.

Motion by Felicia Alexander, second by Abigail Rosales-Medina.

Final Resolution: Motion Carries

Yea: Scott Wyatt, Danny Tillman, Abigail Rosales-Medina, Mayra Ceballos, Mary Ellen Grande, Felicia Alexander, Michael Santos
*Aremy Hernandez Soto, Valeria Cervantes

2.3 Resolution in Recognition of Red Ribbon Week

Approve resolution

WHEREAS according to data collected in 2020, half of Americans age 12 and older have used illicit drugs in their lifetime; and

WHEREAS teenagers and people with mental health issues are more at risk for drug use and addiction, with more than 46 percent of teenagers having tried an illicit drug by the time they are in 12th grade; and

WHEREAS government, parents, law enforcement, schools, service organizations and youth can provide positive peer influence by demonstrating a commitment to maintaining healthy, drug-free lifestyles by wearing and displaying red ribbons during Red Ribbon Week; and

WHEREAS the theme of Red Ribbon Week 2025 is Life is a Puzzle, Solve it Drug Free.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED the Board of Education of the San Bernardino City Unified School District hereby proclaims October 23 through October 31, 2025, as Red Ribbon Week and encourages all schools to participate in drug-prevention activities during the week and throughout the year, making a visible statement that SBCUSD is strongly committed to a drug-free community.

Motion by Abigail Rosales-Medina, second by Scott Wyatt.

Final Resolution: Motion Carries

Yea: Scott Wyatt, Danny Tillman, Abigail Rosales-Medina, Mayra Ceballos, Mary Ellen Grande, Felicia Alexander, Michael Santos
*Aremy Hernandez Soto, Valeria Cervantes

3. Public Comments

3.1 Receive Public Comments

Speaker: Barbara Pastuschek-Cox, President of the San Bernardino Teachers' Association, reaffirmed SBTA's commitment to advocating for fair wages, safe workplaces, and professional respect. She emphasized that teachers' working conditions are students' learning conditions and highlighted the value of the collaborative relationship with the District. Open communication and educator engagement, she said, are vital to making informed decisions that reflect classroom realities. Our teachers show the commitment to ensure every student has the opportunity to learn, grow, and succeed and teachers insight and experience must remain central to every conversation about what students need. As educators, they have advocated for students to have proper nutrition, quality equipment, well-maintained classrooms, updated books, and the best, well-prepared educators. SBTA members actively serve on committees, pilot new textbooks and programs, and lead with the goal of ensuring student success across the District. Mrs. Pastuschek-Cox stated SBTA is committed to continuing open dialogue with the School Board and District leadership, but stated that dialogue must lead to action. If we are to attract and retain exceptional educators and leaders, she said we must prioritize the support, resources, and professional growth our classrooms demand. She concluded by urging all to not only "say we shine" but to demonstrate it through bold action and shared accountability.

Speaker: Terry Boykins, Executive Director, Project Fighting Chance, shared that they are constantly being contacted by organizations around the country about what they are doing in San Bernardino. On October 8, 2025 they will be at Arroyo Valley High School and Terry Washington will do a boxing showcase and he will be going for the WBC championship on November 29 at Pechanga Resort. Mr. Boykins also stated that they do not take their relationship with EXL lightly and said that if it wasn't for this afterschool program Terry Washington would not have been a world champion. The event at AVHS will also be about fitness and why social emotional learning is important, and in addition they will talk about how to deal with conflict, aggression, and violence. Mr. Boykins said the boxing showcase demonstration with Terry and the Lopez brothers is phenomenal and said they are looking to excite some young people, with the message of the importance of education, family, and the importance of being responsible for doing their best to ensure their community is safe. Mr. Boykins also reported that the San Bernardino City Police and Project Fighting Chance have entered into a 40-week commitment for after school. He also commented on a video that has caught the attention around the United States, stating it is phenomenal, and he encouraged everyone to watch this video of District students after school at Project Fighting Chance. He shared an upcoming event on November 22, their annual Jab-a-

thon, which is a non-stop fitness workout, social emotional needs, mental health, from 7 am to 7 pm. They are hoping to have about 600 young people come and work out.

Mr. Tillman commended Mr. Boykins and Project Fighting Chance on their success, stating it hadn't always been easy. He thanked District staff for working with them to help benefit the District's kids.

Speaker: Edwin Delgado, Field Representative, representing Joe Baca Jr., vice chair of the Board of Supervisors, spoke on Item 10.6 Award of Bid No. F25-05 Arrowhead ES - Playground Improvements. He stated that as part of their continued investment in schools around the 5th District, Supervisor Baca, a former teacher, proudly championed \$1.3 Million to support playground improvements at Arrowhead Elementary School. He stated that this project represents a shared commitment between San Bernardino County and SBCUSD to creating safe, engaging spaces where students can learn, play, and grow. On behalf of Supervisor Baca he extended their sincere appreciation and thanks to this Board, Superintendent Arellano, Facilities Director Tom Pace, and the Facilities Planning and Development team, as well as the construction crews, for their commitment to bring this project to life and thanked everyone for their continued investment to our students, our children, our families, and your commitment to the city of San Bernardino. Together, we will continue to build brighter futures, and in this case, it is one playground at a time.

Speaker: JaNyla Moreno, community member, commented that she had a phenomenal experience with her education through the District, but said that many of the current students are not. She stated that the United States education system was built to create workers, not innovators and said that the current curriculum and methodology being used to teach is creating a gap between the power of technology and our human potential to evolve with it. SBCUSD operates on values including human potential, equity, safety, collaboration, professionalism, resilience, innovation, diversity, and pride. Ms. Moreno would like to work with the Board, students, staff, and the system as a whole to create an education system that our students deserve. She said she was in the business of analyzing policies, which sets the foundation for everything that districts do and would like to collaborate with the Board. President Ceballos said they have her contact information and she could reach out to any of the Board via their emails that are on the District website.

4. Closed Session

4.1 Closed Session Public Comments

There were no public comments.

President Ceballos adjourned the Board to Closed Session at 6:05 pm.

4.2 Closed Session Agenda

As provided by law, the Board will adjourn to Closed Session for consideration of the following:

Anticipated Litigation

Conference with legal counsel pursuant to paragraph (2) or (3) of Subdivision (d) of Government Code 54956.9

Significant exposure to litigation pursuant to §54956.9(e)

Number of Cases: One

Existing Litigation

Conference with legal counsel, pursuant to paragraph (1) of subdivision (d) of Government Code 54956.9

Number of Cases: One - OAH# 2024100626

Conference with Labor Negotiator

District Negotiator: Tasha Doizan, Interim Assistant Superintendent, Human Resources

Employee Organization:

California School Employees Association

Communications Workers of America

San Bernardino School Police Officers Association

San Bernardino Teachers Association

Student Matters/Discipline:

Expulsion Hearing: Student Expulsion (Ed. Code Section 48918)

Student ID: (S)460368; 541205; 546804; 540542; *(S)501901

Student Discipline Discussion: Student Discipline Matter (Ed. Code, Sections 35146, 48912)

Student ID: 469055; 495665; 551972

Open Session resumed at 7:30 pm

5. Action Reported from Closed Session

5.1 Expulsion of Student(s)

Accept and Adopt Student IDs (S)460368; 541205; 546804; 540542; *(S)501901

Motion by Danny Tillman, second by Scott Wyatt.

Final Resolution: Motion Carries

Yea: Scott Wyatt, Danny Tillman, Abigail Rosales-Medina, Mayra Ceballos, Mary Ellen Grande, Michael Santos

Not Present at Vote: Felicia Alexander

5.2 Student Recommended for Suspension or Expulsion (Excluding Mandatory Offenses), but Remanded to Youth Court for Other Means of Correction

Accept and Adopt Student ID 469055

Motion by Danny Tillman, second by Abigail Rosales-Medina.

Final Resolution: Motion Carries

Yea: Scott Wyatt, Danny Tillman, Abigail Rosales-Medina, Mayra Ceballos, Mary Ellen Grande, Felicia Alexander, Michael Santos

5.3 Lift/Readmit of Expulsion of Student

Approve Student ID 495665

Motion by Danny Tillman, second by Scott Wyatt.

Final Resolution: Motion Carries

Yea: Scott Wyatt, Danny Tillman, Abigail Rosales-Medina, Mayra Ceballos, Mary Ellen Grande, Felicia Alexander, Michael Santos

5.4 Petition to Expunge, Rescind, Sealing of Record or Modify Youth Court or Expulsion

Approve Student ID 551972

Motion by Danny Tillman, second by Scott Wyatt.

Final Resolution: Motion Carries

Yea: Scott Wyatt, Danny Tillman, Abigail Rosales-Medina, Mayra Ceballos, Mary Ellen Grande, Felicia Alexander, Michael Santos

5.5 Other Closed Session Action

There was no other action taken.

6. Student Board Members

6.1 Reports/Comments

Valeria Cervantes, a junior and representative of Arroyo Valley High School. October 2 was National Custodian Appreciation Day and she thanked District custodians for working hard every day to keep our campuses clean and safe and remarked that showing a clean and welcoming environment helps students to feel safe and focused for the start of the school year. She shared that during October Arroyo Valley High is proud to showcase its strong sense of community spirit and student involvement through a series of exciting and meaningful events: On October 15-16, seniors will receive dedicated support with their college applications; celebration and school spirit will be at their homecoming game on October 24 with their dance on the 25th; over 400 students will take the PST, reflecting their ongoing commitment to academic achievement; the VAPA festival and Trunk or Treat will highlight the creativity of their VAPA; and the juniors and seniors will participate in a distracted driving assembly focusing on safety and awareness. Ms. Cervantes reported that San Andreas High School recently celebrated their end of a quarter graduation, recognizing seniors who have completed all their credits and are ready to take the next step towards higher education. At San Bernardino High School, Western University Optometry will be visiting their campus on October 22 to provide free vision screenings and glasses and they also celebrated their successful homecoming dance; seniors can now submit their college applications; the boys and girls soccer seasons are approaching and tryouts were held last week; and the unified flag football team is nearly completed with only two more members to get started.

Army Martinez Soto, junior and representative of Indian Springs High School. She thanked Dr. Rodriguez for connecting her with the Secondary Education department to speak to them regarding a topic around school. She said they treated her with respect and hospitality while being efficient and said she is honored to be in a district with such distinguished staff that ensure our voices are heard but are helped in a timely manner. She reported Indian Springs High School held an innovative fundraiser where students and staff could buy from Chipotle on certain days and locations to help earn money for their ASB; they are also preparing for their homecoming parade; they did their PSAT which helped them prepare for the SATs in March. At Pacific High School she reported their football team remains undefeated; and HOSA participated at PHS in the Believe Walk, a 5K walk to support and empower those fighting breast cancer. At Middle College High School they held a cultural spirit week with students wearing jerseys to represent their countries and another day was for traditional dress, a day to show the diversity among students; their junior class had the opportunity to visit the USC campus to explore future options for higher education. Ms. Martinez Soto reported that their first SLAC (Student Leadership Advisory Council) meeting for the year was on September 15 and the Student Board Members (SBMs) were introduced and they had the opportunity to present their hopes for SLAC. The SBMs also created slides to introduce themselves and so SLAC members could reach out to them if they had any concerns.

7. Administrative Reports/Presentations

7.1 TIIP/ETSA Presentation

Mrs. Ana Applegate, Assistant Superintendent, Educational Services and staff, presented on TIIP (Targeted Instructional Improvement Plan) and ETSA (Equity & Targeted Student Achievement). Dr. Greer reported that preliminary data is showing improvements for African American students in key TIIP areas. ELA/Reading, Math, A-G, HS Graduation and Dual Enrollment is up; Suspensions, Chronic Absenteeism are down. Pacific Islander/Filipino student engagement was added as a department priority; shared statistics on AA program enrollment including Homeless/Foster, Preschool, SANKOFA, GATE, HS AVID, and Dual

Enrollment. Shared information and statistics on their priorities: Reading/ELA: Elementary; EGT Reading Intervention; Math: Grades 5-8; AA High School Equity; AA High School Math D-F Rates; AA Senior Postsecondary Plan Survey and Support; AA Family Engagement; District Professional Development; and SANKOFA Magnet Program.

8. Board Discussion

8.1 City of San Bernardino State of the City Event

The Board discussed possible sponsorship; they suggested that possibly District students could assist or perform at the event. No sponsorship was approved.

8.2 Making Hope Happen Foundation's 2nd Annual Scholarship Breakfast

Sponsor event in the amount of \$5,000

Motion by Felicia Alexander, second by Scott Wyatt.

Final Resolution: Motion Carries

Yea: Scott Wyatt, Abigail Rosales-Medina, Mayra Ceballos, Mary Ellen Grande, Felicia Alexander, Michael Santos

Nay: Danny Tillman

9. Action Items

9.1 Personnel Report #7 Dated October 7, 2025 which contains Actions such as Hiring, Retirements, Resignations, Promotions and Terminations

Approve as presented

Motion by Danny Tillman, second by Scott Wyatt.

Final Resolution: Motion Carries

Yea: Scott Wyatt, Danny Tillman, Abigail Rosales-Medina, Mayra Ceballos, Mary Ellen Grande, Felicia Alexander, Michael Santos

9.2 Resolution Declaring the Zoning Ordinances of the City of San Bernardino Inapplicable to the District's Public Safety Building Project (Business Services)

Approval of Resolution

Motion by Felicia Alexander, second by Scott Wyatt.

Final Resolution: Motion Carries

Yea: Scott Wyatt, Danny Tillman, Abigail Rosales-Medina, Mayra Ceballos, Mary Ellen Grande, Felicia Alexander, Michael Santos

10. Consent Items

10.1 Approval of Consent List

Resolution: Approve Consent List

Motion by Scott Wyatt, second by Felicia Alexander.

Final Resolution: Motion Carries

Yea: Scott Wyatt, Danny Tillman, Abigail Rosales-Medina, Mayra Ceballos, Mary Ellen Grande, Felicia Alexander, Michael Santos

10.2 Approval of the September 2, 2025 Minutes of the Regular Meeting of the Board of Education

Resolution: Approve as presented

Motion by Scott Wyatt, second by Felicia Alexander.

Final Resolution: Motion Carries

Yea: Scott Wyatt, Danny Tillman, Abigail Rosales-Medina, Mayra Ceballos, Mary Ellen Grande, Felicia Alexander, Michael Santos

10.3 Approval of the September 16, 2025 Minutes of the Regular Meeting of the Board of Education

Resolution: Approve as presented

Motion by Scott Wyatt, second by Felicia Alexander.

Final Resolution: Motion Carries

Yea: Scott Wyatt, Danny Tillman, Abigail Rosales-Medina, Mayra Ceballos, Mary Ellen Grande, Felicia Alexander, Michael Santos

10.4 Approval of the September 23, 2025 Minutes of the Special Meeting of the Board of Education: Board Governance Workshop

Resolution: Approve as presented

Motion by Scott Wyatt, second by Felicia Alexander.

Final Resolution: Motion Carries

Yea: Scott Wyatt, Danny Tillman, Abigail Rosales-Medina, Mayra Ceballos, Mary Ellen Grande, Felicia Alexander, Michael Santos

10.5 Ratification of the Agreement with Inland Empire 66ers Baseball Club of San Bernardino, Inc. - \$34,500.00 (Superintendent)

Resolution: Ratification of the Agreement

Motion by Scott Wyatt, second by Felicia Alexander.

Final Resolution: Motion Carries

Yea: Scott Wyatt, Danny Tillman, Abigail Rosales-Medina, Mayra Ceballos, Mary Ellen Grande, Felicia Alexander, Michael Santos

10.6 Award of Bid No. F25-05 Arrowhead ES - Playground Improvements - \$1,551,494.00 (Business Services)

Resolution: Approval of Award of Bid No. F25-05

Motion by Scott Wyatt, second by Felicia Alexander.

Final Resolution: Motion Carries

Yea: Scott Wyatt, Danny Tillman, Abigail Rosales-Medina, Mayra Ceballos, Mary Ellen Grande, Felicia Alexander, Michael Santos

10.7 Award of Bid No. F25-06 Board of Education Complex - New Parking Lot - \$1,269,600.00 (Business Services)

Resolution: Approval of Award of Bid No. F25-06

Motion by Scott Wyatt, second by Felicia Alexander.

Final Resolution: Motion Carries

Yea: Scott Wyatt, Danny Tillman, Abigail Rosales-Medina, Mayra Ceballos, Mary Ellen Grande, Felicia Alexander, Michael Santos

10.8 Commercial Warrant/EFT Register for the Period of August 1-31, 2025 (Business Services)

Resolution: Approval of Commercial Warrant/EFT Register

Motion by Scott Wyatt, second by Felicia Alexander.

Final Resolution: Motion Carries

Yea: Scott Wyatt, Danny Tillman, Abigail Rosales-Medina, Mayra Ceballos, Mary Ellen Grande, Felicia Alexander, Michael Santos

10.9 Federal/State/Local Budget Revisions (Business Services)

Resolution: Approval of Budget Revisions

Motion by Scott Wyatt, second by Felicia Alexander.

Final Resolution: Motion Carries

Yea: Scott Wyatt, Danny Tillman, Abigail Rosales-Medina, Mayra Ceballos, Mary Ellen Grande, Felicia Alexander, Michael Santos

10.10 Gifts, Grants, and Bequests (Business Services)

Resolution: Approval of Gifts, Grants, and Bequests

Motion by Scott Wyatt, second by Felicia Alexander.

Final Resolution: Motion Carries

Yea: Scott Wyatt, Danny Tillman, Abigail Rosales-Medina, Mayra Ceballos, Mary Ellen Grande, Felicia Alexander, Michael Santos

10.11 Purchase Order Board Report for the Period of August 2025 (Business Services)

Resolution: Approval of the Ratification of the Purchase Order Board Report

Motion by Scott Wyatt, second by Felicia Alexander.

Final Resolution: Motion Carries

Yea: Scott Wyatt, Danny Tillman, Abigail Rosales-Medina, Mayra Ceballos, Mary Ellen Grande, Felicia Alexander, Michael Santos

10.12 Ratification of the Renewal Agreement with CSM Consulting, Inc. - \$18,020.95 (Business Services)

Resolution: Approval of the Ratification to the Agreement

Motion by Scott Wyatt, second by Felicia Alexander.

Final Resolution: Motion Carries

Yea: Scott Wyatt, Danny Tillman, Abigail Rosales-Medina, Mayra Ceballos, Mary Ellen Grande, Felicia Alexander, Michael Santos

10.13 Extended Field Trip and Agreement, Pali Institute, Inc., Davidson ES - \$27,540.10 (Educational Services)

Resolution: Approval of Extended Field Trip and Agreement

Motion by Scott Wyatt, second by Felicia Alexander.

Final Resolution: Motion Carries

Yea: Scott Wyatt, Danny Tillman, Abigail Rosales-Medina, Mayra Ceballos, Mary Ellen Grande, Felicia Alexander, Michael Santos

10.14 Extended Field Trip and Agreement, Pali Institute, Inc., Gomez ES - \$34,907.50 (Educational Services)

Resolution: Approval of the Extended Field Trip and Agreement

Motion by Scott Wyatt, second by Felicia Alexander.

Final Resolution: Motion Carries

Yea: Scott Wyatt, Danny Tillman, Abigail Rosales-Medina, Mayra Ceballos, Mary Ellen Grande, Felicia Alexander, Michael Santos

10.15 Ratification of the Agreement with Behavior Autism Therapies - \$200,000.00 (Educational Services)

Resolution: Approval of the Ratified agreement

Motion by Scott Wyatt, second by Felicia Alexander.

Final Resolution: Motion Carries

Yea: Scott Wyatt, Danny Tillman, Abigail Rosales-Medina, Mayra Ceballos, Mary Ellen Grande, Felicia Alexander, Michael Santos

10.16 Ratification of the Agreement with Braille Abilities - \$215,000.00 (Educational Services)

Resolution: Approval of the Ratification to the Agreement,

Motion by Scott Wyatt, second by Felicia Alexander.

Final Resolution: Motion Carries

Yea: Scott Wyatt, Danny Tillman, Abigail Rosales-Medina, Mayra Ceballos, Mary Ellen Grande, Felicia Alexander, Michael Santos

10.17 Agreement with Capitol Advisors - \$198,500.00 (Human Resources)

Resolution: Approval of the Agreement

Motion by Scott Wyatt, second by Felicia Alexander.

Final Resolution: Motion Carries

Yea: Scott Wyatt, Danny Tillman, Abigail Rosales-Medina, Mayra Ceballos, Mary Ellen Grande, Felicia Alexander, Michael Santos

10.18 Extended Field Trip and Agreement, Pali Institute Inc., Hunt ES - \$43,542.42 (Human Resources)

Resolution: Approval of the Extended Field Trip Agreement

Motion by Scott Wyatt, second by Felicia Alexander.

Final Resolution: Motion Carries

Yea: Scott Wyatt, Danny Tillman, Abigail Rosales-Medina, Mayra Ceballos, Mary Ellen Grande, Felicia Alexander, Michael Santos

10.19 Extended Field Trip and Agreement, Pali Institute, Inc., Lankershim ES - \$31,259.94 (Human Resources)

Resolution: Approval of the Extended Field Trip and Agreement

Motion by Scott Wyatt, second by Felicia Alexander.

Final Resolution: Motion Carries

Yea: Scott Wyatt, Danny Tillman, Abigail Rosales-Medina, Mayra Ceballos, Mary Ellen Grande, Felicia Alexander, Michael Santos

10.20 Extended Field Trip and Agreement with Pali Institute, North Park ES - \$36,712.50 (Human Resources)

Resolution: Approval of the Extended Field Trip and Agreement

Motion by Scott Wyatt, second by Felicia Alexander.

Final Resolution: Motion Carries

Yea: Scott Wyatt, Danny Tillman, Abigail Rosales-Medina, Mayra Ceballos, Mary Ellen Grande, Felicia Alexander, Michael Santos

10.21 Extended Field Trip and Agreement, Pali Institute, Inc., Bob Holcomb ES - \$44,367.50 (Student Services)

Resolution: Approval of the Extended Field Trip and Agreement

Motion by Scott Wyatt, second by Felicia Alexander.

Final Resolution: Motion Carries

Yea: Scott Wyatt, Danny Tillman, Abigail Rosales-Medina, Mayra Ceballos, Mary Ellen Grande, Felicia Alexander, Michael Santos

10.22 Extended Field Trip and Agreement with Pali Institute, Inc., Fairfax ES - \$16,942.50 (Student Services)

Resolution: Approval of Extended Field Trip and Agreement

Motion by Scott Wyatt, second by Felicia Alexander.

Final Resolution: Motion Carries

Yea: Scott Wyatt, Danny Tillman, Abigail Rosales-Medina, Mayra Ceballos, Mary Ellen Grande, Felicia Alexander, Michael Santos

11. Reports/Comments by Union Organizations

11.1 San Bernardino Teachers Association

SBTA President Barbara Pastuschek-Cox gave her remarks during Public Comment.

11.2 California School Employees Association

No report.

11.3 Communications Workers of America

No report.

11.4 San Bernardino School Police Officers Association

No report.

12. Reports/Comments

12.1 Board Members

Mr. Tillman had no report.

Ms. Rosales-Medina had no report.

Mrs. Alexander congratulated Pacific High School's team for being undefeated, stating for them not to have had a team last year they are doing awesome. She congratulated Chief Paulino on his upcoming retirement.

Mrs. Grande also wished Chief Paulino congratulations.

Dr. Wyatt reported he enjoyed the first Pacific Islander Advisory meeting of the year at Cajon High School. He shared an event on October 9 put on by the San Bernardino Police, stating it is an incredible event. He also shared the upcoming Gangs and Drugs Taskforce Safety Summit.

Mr. Santos reported the recent college fairs were awesome events; the University of Redlands GIS pipeline was a wonderful event and he gave a shoutout to Arroyo Valley on how great a job they did presenting and the effort the staff did to make it look like a first class event.

Mrs. Ceballos commented that hopefully we could also partner with the University of Redlands on our student teacher program. She thanked the Board for coming together for their first Board workshop with Mr. Gary Rutherford. They had a good conversation. She also shared that she attended a reception prior to the LEAD Summit. Mrs. Ceballos commented that she is finishing up her Masters in Governance program, a series of 5 meetings revolving around Board governance; she will be finishing her last training later in the month and she highly recommends them to any of the Board members.

12.2 Superintendent and Staff

Mr. Arellano spoke on Chief Paulino's retirement; District College Night; the Miss & Mr. Cardinal City Pageant with Miss Patricia Aguilar crowned Miss Cardinal City and Mr. George McEwen crowned Mr. Cardinal City; CSUSB's Guaranteed Admissions ceremony; the Pacific Islander/Filipino Advisory meeting; the 2025 SBHS Homecoming; University of Redlands and Arroyo Valley HS' Dual Enrollment opportunity with Esri, the largest GIS mapping company in the world; the Army JROTC Cadet Raider, Kimbre Sargent's recognition by the California Association of Administrators of State and Federal Education Programs as a District State 7 Federal Leader; Board member Dr. Wyatt's 2025 County Office Administrator of the Year recognition and Board president Mrs. Ceballos on receiving the Honoring Leadership Impact Award from CALSA.

13. Summary of Board Members' Requests

13.1 Review of Requests

Mrs. Alexander asked about the success rate of African-American students in the pathways and if we have any information about them postgraduation,

14. Meeting Adjournment

14.1 In Memoriam

The Board recognized, and closed the Board meeting, in honor of former employees, Ruth Bicondova and Margaret Spencer, who recently passed away.

Ruth Bicondova worked for the District from 1987 through 2005, as a Spanish Language Tutor and Education Assistant III. Ruth was dedicated to serving the students of our District at several elementaries over the years. The many children she inspired and assisted is a testament to Ruth's dedication and commitment.

For two decades, Margaret Spencer was a valued member of our District staff, serving as an Instructional Aide, Attendance Verifier, and School Outreach Worker at multiple schools throughout the District. Her work directly touched the lives of countless students and families, and her commitment to our community will be remembered by those who knew her.

We are grateful for both Ruth's and Margaret's years of dedicated service, their commitment to our students, and the lasting impact they had on countless young learners. We extend our condolences to their families during this difficult time.

14.2 Adjournment

Approve Adjournment

Motion by Danny Tillman, second by Scott Wyatt.

Final Resolution: Motion Carries

Yea: Scott Wyatt, Danny Tillman, Abigail Rosales-Medina, Mayra Ceballos, Mary Ellen Grande, Felicia Alexander, Michael Santos

President Ceballos adjourned the meeting at 10:12 pm.