



SACRAMENTO CITY UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARD OF EDUCATION

Agenda Item# 8.1g

Meeting Date: February 5, 2026

Subject: Approve Resolution No. 3551: Resolution Regarding Board Stipends

- ☐ Information Item Only
- ☒ Approval on Consent Agenda
- ☐ Conference (for discussion only)
- ☐ Conference/First Reading (Action Anticipated: _____)
- ☐ Conference/Action
- ☐ Action
- ☐ Public Hearing

Division: Board of Education

Recommendation: Approve Resolution No. 3551: Resolution Regarding Board Stipends.

Background/Rationale: Education Code section 35120 fails to define hardship which has led to uncertainty regarding payment of stipends for Board members who may be deserving of payment due to absence resulting from hardship or other duties such as jury duty or performing duties or services for the District at the time of a Board meeting. All stipend payments will be based on an attendance sign-in sheet as well as any Board resolution(s) excusing absences in compliance with law. A Board member who is absent from a meeting may be eligible for payment by reporting the excused absence to the Board Office. A Board resolution will be periodically placed, as needed, on the Board agenda to state that the reason for the absence complies with Education Code section 35120 and shall be reflected in the minutes.

Financial Considerations: None

LCAP Goal(s): Family and Community Empowerment

Documents Attached:

1. Resolution No. 3551: Resolution Regarding Board Stipends

Estimated Time of Presentation: N/A

Submitted by: Board Office

Approved by: Lisa Allen, Superintendent

**SACRAMENTO CITY UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT
BOARD OF EDUCATION**

RESOLUTION NO. 3551

RESOLUTION REGARDING BOARD STIPENDS

WHEREAS, Education Code section 35120 and Board Bylaw 9250 of the Sacramento City Unified School District (“District”) authorize Board members to be paid stipends for meetings they were unable to attend due to illness, hardship or other duties such as jury duty or performing duties or services for the District at the time of a Board meeting; and

WHEREAS, the Board finds that the Board members may be paid, or retain, stipends for meetings they were unable to attend as stated in Attachment A.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Sacramento City Unified School District Board of Education which finds and determines as follows:

1. Adopts the foregoing recitals as true and correct;
2. Authorizes stipends for meetings the Board members were unable to attend pursuant to Attachment A; and
3. Incorporates herein by reference Attachment A.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Sacramento City Unified School District Board of Education on this 5th day of February, 2026, by the following vote:

AYES: _____
NOES: _____
ABSTAIN: _____
ABSENT: _____

ATTESTED TO:

Lisa Allen
Secretary of the Board of Education

Tara Jeane
President of the Board of Education

ATTACHMENT A

RESOLUTION NO. 3551

1. Absence Due to Other Duties: Stipends are authorized to the following Board member(s) due to hardship:
 - a. Board member Michael Benjamin for the Special Board meeting on January 22, 2026.