

Hanford Elementary School District
Minutes of the Regular Board Meeting
January 28, 2026

Minutes of the Regular Board Meeting of the Hanford Elementary School District Board of Trustees held on January 28, 2026, in the District Office Board Room, 714 N. White Street, Hanford, CA.

Call to Order Vice-President Revious called the meeting to order at 5:30 p.m., Trustees Garcia and Strickland were present. President Garner and Clerk Hernandez were absent.

HESD Managers Present Joy C. Gabler, Superintendent, and the following administrators were present: Kristina Baldwin, Kelly Bekedam, Lindsey Calvillo, David Endo, Javier Espindola, Amy Fochetti, Matt Gamble, Robert Heugly, Jennifer Levinson, Chris Martinez, Jaime Martinez, Miranda Mendoza, Daniel Pierotte, Jill Rubalcava, and Jay Strickland.

PRESENTATION, REPORTS AND COMMUNICATIONS

Public Comments No comments were received.

Board and Staff Comments No comments were received.

Dates to Remember Vice-President Revious reviewed dates to remember: District Wide Professional Development Day – January 30th; Annual Basketball Championships – February 7th; No School for Students – February 9th; Regular Board Meeting – February 11th.

Student Highlight Delilah Guzman, 6th grade student, from Richmond Elementary was recognized as a Hanford Elementary School District student featured in the 2026 Healthy Air Living Kids Calendar.

Annual Audit Report Mark Dieu, Certified Public Accountant from Eide Bailly, gave a brief presentation on the 2024–2025 Audit Report. He reviewed the two stages of the audit and explained that the audit includes seven major reports. This year, Washington Elementary, Monroe Elementary, and Woodrow Wilson Junior High were audited. He stated that, in their opinion, the financial statements present fairly.

He also noted that the District adopted a new accounting standard, Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) Statement No. 101, regarding compensated absences. He reviewed the Statement of Net Position, the Schedule of Financial Trends and Analysis, and the Summary of Auditor’s Results. There were no findings in the financial statements and no findings related to federal awards. There was one finding in the Expanded Learning Program due to limited staffing, as the District provided 25 of the required 30 days.

Mr. Dieu thanked David Endo and staff for their attention to detail.

CONSENT ITEMS

Trustee Garcia made a motion to take consent items "a" through "c" together.
Trustee Strickland seconded; motion carried 3-0:

Garcia – Yes
Garner – Absent
Hernandez – Absent
Revious – Yes
Strickland – Yes

Trustee Garcia then made a motion to approve consent items "a" through "c".
Trustee Strickland seconded; motion carried 3-0:

Garcia – Yes
Garner – Absent
Hernandez – Absent
Revious – Yes
Strickland – Yes

The items approved are as follows:

- a) Warrant listings dated December 12, 2025; December 17, 2025; December 19, 2025; December 26, 2025; January 2, 2026; January 7, 2026; January 9, 2026 and January 16, 2026.
- b) Minutes of the Annual Organizational Board Meeting held on December 17, 2025.
- c) Interdistrict transfers as recommended.

INFORMATION ITEMS

Gran Jury Visits a) Joy Gabler, Superintendent, presented for information the Grand Jury Visits. She stated that included in the packet was a letter from the Grand Jury expressing appreciation for the visits to Martin Luther King Jr. Elementary and Monroe Elementary.

Quarterly Williams Uniform Complaint Report b) Joy Gabler, Superintendent, presented for information the quarterly Williams Uniform Complaint Report. She reported that there were no complaints. A clean report will be submitted to the Kings County Office of Education.

PAC c) Robert Heugly, Director of Program Development, Assessment & Accountability, presented for information a report from the District Parent Advisory Committee – December 9, 2025. The PAC made the following recommendations, which the Superintendent acknowledged: providing a teaching pathway club for junior high schools, offering after-school programs for junior high students, and hosting Career Day at all District school sites.

DELAC d) Robert Heugly, Director of Program Development, Assessment & Accountability, presented for information District English Learner Advisory Committee – December 12, 2025. The DELAC made the following recommendations, which

the Superintendent supports: offering after-school programs and clubs at the junior high schools that inspire students, such as robotics, coding, technology, and trade school preparation; expanding reading and literacy challenges throughout the school year; and recognizing students for academic improvement and improved attendance.

- Monthly Financial Report** e) David Endo, Chief Business Official, presented for information the Monthly Financial Reports for the Periods of 07/01/2025-12/31/2025. He stated everything is going according to plan.
- BP 0410** f) Joy Gabler, Superintendent, presented for information the revised Board Policy 0410 – Nondiscrimination in District Programs and Activities.
- BP/E 0420.41** g) Joy Gabler, Superintendent, presented for information the revised Board Policy and Exhibit 0420.41 – Charter School Oversight.
- BP/AR/E 5121.1** h) Joy Gabler, Superintendent, presented for information the revised Board Policy, Administrative Regulation and Exhibit 5121.1 – Release of Directory Information.
- BP/AR 6145.2** i) Joy Gabler, Superintendent, presented for information the revised Board Policy and Administrative Regulation 6145.2 – Athletic Competition.
- BB 9011** j) Joy Gabler, Superintendent, presented for information the revised Board Bylaw 9011 – Disclosure of Confidential Privileged Information.
- BP/AR 5144** k) Jay Strickland, Assistant Superintendent to Student Services, presented for information the revised Board Policy and Administrative Regulation 5144 – Discipline.

BOARD POLICIES AND ADMINISTRATION

- READY MLK Desk Station** a) Trustee Garcia made a motion to approve the multi-person desk work station for READY Site Leads at Martin Luther King Jr. Elementary. Trustee Strickland seconded; motion carried 3-0:
Garcia – Yes
Garner – Absent
Hernandez – Absent
Revious – Yes
Strickland – Yes
- Change Order No. 8** b) Trustee Garcia made a motion to approve Change Order No. 8 – New TK/K Classroom at Monroe Elementary. Trustee Strickland seconded; motion carried 3-0:
Garcia – Yes
Garner – Absent
Hernandez – Absent
Revious – Yes
Strickland – Yes

Land Surveying Services Agreement c) Trustee Garcia made a motion to ratify professional Land Surveying Services Agreement for the modernization at Monroe Elementary with Lane Engineers, Inc. Trustee Strickland seconded; motion carried 3-0:
Garcia – Yes
Garner – Absent
Hernandez – Absent
Revious – Yes
Strickland – Yes

Land Surveying Services Agreement d) Trustee Garcia made a motion to ratify professional Land Surveying Services Agreement for the modernization at Jefferson Academy with Lane Engineers, Inc. Trustee Strickland seconded; motion carried 3-0:
Garcia – Yes
Garner – Absent
Hernandez – Absent
Revious – Yes
Strickland – Yes

Stephen L. Hahn Inspection e) Trustee Garcia made a motion to approve the proposal from Stephen L. Hahn Inspection for services for Monroe Elementary modernization project. Trustee Strickland seconded; motion carried 3-0:
Garcia – Yes
Garner – Absent
Hernandez – Absent
Revious – Yes
Strickland – Yes

DC Inspections, Inc. f) Trustee Garcia made a motion to approve the proposal from DC Inspections, Inc. for construction and testing services for Monroe Elementary modernization project. Trustee Strickland seconded; motion carried 3-0:
Garcia – Yes
Garner – Absent
Hernandez – Absent
Revious – Yes
Strickland – Yes

Oral E. Micham Construction g) Trustee Garcia made a motion to award Oral E. Micham Construction the Monroe Elementary modernization project. Trustee Strickland seconded; motion carried 3-0:
Garcia – Yes
Garner – Absent
Hernandez – Absent
Revious – Yes
Strickland – Yes

Mangini & Associates, Inc. h) Trustee Garcia made a motion to approve the Amendment No. 1 – Services Agreement with Mangini & Associates, Inc. Trustee Strickland seconded; motion carried 3-0:
Garcia – Yes

Garner – Absent
Hernandez – Absent
Revious – Yes
Strickland – Yes

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- i) Trustee Garcia made a motion to approve the California School Accountability Report Cards. Trustee Strickland seconded; motion carried 3-0:
Garcia – Yes
Garner – Absent
Hernandez – Absent
Revious – Yes
Strickland – Yes

PERSONNEL

Trustee Garcia made a motion to take Personnel items "a" through "c" together. Trustee Strickland seconded; motion carried 3-0:

Garcia – Yes
Garner – Absent
Hernandez – Absent
Revious – Yes
Strickland – Yes

Trustee Garcia then made a motion to approve Personnel items "a" through "c". Trustee Strickland seconded; motion carried 3-0:

Garcia – Yes
Garner – Absent
Hernandez – Absent
Revious – Yes
Strickland – Yes

**Item "a" –
Employment**

The following items were approved:

Classified

- Margarita Barragan, Food Service Worker II – 3.0 hrs., Wilson, effective 12/08/25
- Edith Celis, Special Circumstance Aide – 5.75 hrs., Richmond, effective 12/09/25
- Amalia Gamboa, Special Circumstance Aide – 5.75 hrs., Simas, effective 12/11/25
- Trinity Garcia, Food Service Worker I – 3.5 hrs., Monroe, effective 12/15/25
- Ava Holmes, READY Program Tutor – 4.5 hrs., Jefferson, effective 01/12/26
- Maria Margosian, Food Service Worker II – 3.0 hrs., Wilson, effective 12/11/25
- Cathy Phovangsouvanh, Food Service Utility Worker, Food Services, effective 12/11/25
- Valerie Rojas, Food Service Worker I – 3.25 hrs., King, effective 12/11/25
- Brenda Salcedo, Special Education Aide – 5.0 hrs., Wilson, effective 12/16/25
- Michelle Saucedo, READY Program Tutor – 4.5 hrs., Simas, effective 01/12/26

Additional Hours/Days

- Alejandra Leon, from Food Service Worker II – 2.5 hrs., Kennedy, to Food Service Worker II – 3.0 hrs., Kennedy, effective 12/08/25

- Izumi Nakazawa, from Food Service Worker II – 2.5 hrs., Kennedy, to Food Service Worker II – 3.0 hrs., Kennedy, effective 12/08/25

Temporary Employees/Substitutes

- Delila Izquierdo, Substitute Yard Supervisor, effective 01/13/26
- Anessa Valdivia, Substitute Yard Supervisor, effective 12/10/25

**Item "b" –
Resignations**

Classified

- Ryan Allen, Substitute Licensed Vocational Nurse, effective 10/22/25
- Karen Bautista, READY Program Tutor – 4.5 hrs., Jefferson, effective 01/01/26
- Jadon Guillen, READY Program Tutor – 4.5 hrs., Simas, effective 01/30/26
- Savannah Juarez, READY Program Tutor – 4.5 hrs., Simas, effective 12/19/25
- Kyle Martinez, READY Program Tutor – 4.5 hrs., King, effective 01/30/26
- Raul Mata, Substitute Yard Supervisor, effective 01/14/26
- Anadalila Mendoza Martinez, READY Program Tutor – 4.5 hrs., Simas, effective 12/19/25
- AnaSofia Quezada, READY Program Tutor – 4.5 hrs., Roosevelt, effective 01/01/26
- Laurencine Rosa, Substitute Yard Supervisor, effective 12/11/25

Termination due to Failure to Complete Mandatory Training

- Shelby Green, Substitute Yard Supervisor, effective 09/25/25
- Yavilex Ledezma, Substitute Bilingual Clerk Typist I, Paraprofessional (TK/K), Translator: Oral Interpreter and Translator: Written Translator, effective 05/21/25
- Ileanna Molina, Substitute READY Program Tutor, effective 06/05/25
- Andrea Muñoz, Substitute Licensed Vocational Nurse, effective 09/08/25
- Khaila Chariel San Juan, Substitute Yard Supervisor, effective 04/07/25
- Mishaelynn Stephens, Substitute READY Program Tutor, effective 05/22/25
- Alexandria Stoll, Substitute Yard Supervisor, effective 02/05/25
- Bethany Temores, Substitute READY Program Tutor, effective 11/13/24
- Miguel Torres Rodriguez, Substitute READY Program Tutor, Translator: Oral Interpreter and Translator: Written Translator, effective 11/26/24
- Daisy Wallace, Substitute Licensed Vocational Nurse (Bilingual), effective 08/13/25
- Maria Yopez Rodriguez, Substitute Bilingual Clerk Typist I, effective 06/04/25
- Alyssa Zuniga Jimenez, Substitute Yard Supervisor, effective 06/06/25

**Item "c" –
Volunteers**

<u>Name</u>	<u>School</u>
Paige Coulstring	Hamilton
Maria T Flores	Jefferson
Lashay Gilmore	Jefferson
Manuel Hernandez	Jefferson
Michael Herrera	Jefferson
Yessenia Toscano	Jefferson
Tammy Gonzales	Monroe
Leah Patrick	Monroe
Susana Pedreiro	Monroe

FINANCIAL

- Audit Report** a) Trustee Garcia made a motion to approve the Audit Report. Trustee Strickland seconded; motion carried 3-0:
Garcia – Yes
Garner – Absent
Hernandez – Absent
Revious – Yes
Strickland – Yes
- Audit Corrective Action Plan** b) Trustee Garcia made a motion to approve the audit corrective action plan. Trustee Strickland seconded; motion carried 3-0:
Garcia – Yes
Garner – Absent
Hernandez – Absent
Revious – Yes
Strickland – Yes
- Kings County Investment Policy** c) Trustee Garcia made a motion to adopt Resolution No. 17-26: Kings County Investment Policy. Trustee Strickland seconded; motion carried 3-0:
Garcia – Yes
Garner – Absent
Hernandez – Absent
Revious – Yes
Strickland – Yes
- Purchase of School Buses** d) Trustee Garcia made a motion to adopt Resolution No. 18-26: Purchase of School Buses utilizing a piggyback bid issued by the Clovis Unified School District. Trustee Strickland seconded; motion carried 3-0:
Garcia – Yes
Garner – Absent
Hernandez – Absent
Revious – Yes
Strickland – Yes
- Board-Administered Programs** e) Trustee Garcia made a motion to adopt Resolution No. 19-26: Authorizing Filing of Application(s) for State Allocated Board-Administered Programs. Trustee Strickland seconded; motion carried 3-0:
Garcia – Yes
Garner – Absent
Hernandez – Absent
Revious – Yes
Strickland – Yes
- State Building Funds** f) Trustee Garcia made a motion to adopt Resolution No. 20-26: State Building Funds Application (Modernization funding at Monroe Elementary and Jefferson Academy). Trustee Strickland seconded; motion carried 3-0:
Garcia – Yes
Garner – Absent

Hernandez – Absent
Revious – Yes
Strickland – Yes

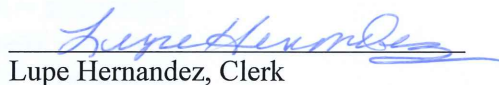
Adjournment There being no further business, Vice-President Revious adjourned the meeting at 6:07 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Joy C. Gabler,
Secretary to the Board of Trustees

Approved:


Jeff Garner, President


Lupe Hernandez, Clerk