

APPROVED MINUTES Regular Board Meeting (Thursday, March 12, 2026)

Members present

Kris Erickson, Stephen Glass, Ana Martinez Goodlander, Sara Pelly, Matthew Thomas, Sierra Vane, Andrea Yamasaki

1. OPENING ITEMS

Procedural: A. Call Meeting to Order

The meeting was called to order at 5:00 pm.

Procedural: B. Establish Quorum

There were 7 members present for a quorum: Kris Erickson, Stephen Glass, Ana Martinez Goodlander, Sara Pelly, Matthew Thomas, Sierra Vane, Andrea Yamasaki

Procedural: C. Public Comments on Closed Session Agenda Items

There were no public comments on closed session items.

Procedural: D. Adjourn to Closed Session

The meeting was adjourned to closed session at 5:00 pm.

2. CLOSED SESSION

A. Public Employee Discipline/Dismissal/Release - Government Code 54957

B. Conference With Labor Negotiators - Government Code Section 54957.6

C. Conference with Legal Counsel - Anticipated Litigation - Significant Exposure to Litigation - Government Code Section 54956.9(d)(2): 1 potential case.

3. REGULAR SESSION

Procedural: A. Call Regular Session to Order

The regular session was called to order at 7:02 pm.

Information, Procedural: B. Pledge of Allegiance - Fletcher Mandarin Language and GATE Academy

Students from Fletcher Mandarin Language and GATE Academy led the Pledge of Allegiance in both English and Mandarin. Students also performed a dance and a song in Mandarin.

Procedural: C. Report of Closed Session Decisions

There were no reports on closed session decisions.

Action: D. Adoption of Agenda

Approval

Motion by Matthew Thomas, second by Sierra Vane.

Final Resolution: Motion carries

Yea: Kris Erickson, Stephen Glass, Ana Martinez Goodlander, Sara Pelly, Matthew Thomas, Sierra Vane, Andrea Yamasaki

4. ANNOUNCEMENTS AND ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

Information: A. Orange High School State CIF Wrestling Champion: Estefany Caballero

Trustee Thomas presented a certificate to Orange High School student Estefany Caballero for her accomplishments in wrestling. He wished her good luck at the 2026 NHSCA High School Nationals in Virginia Beach at the end of March.

Information: B. School Spotlight: Judith Rincon - Richland High School

In her School Spotlight, Student Representative Judith Rincon from Richland High School highlighted the many new opportunities available to students, including expanded course offerings such as journalism, yearbook, and criminal justice, as well as new student clubs and field trips to explore college and career pathways. She also showcased the school's nationally recognized counseling program and the impact of its sports intervention program, which promotes student engagement, teamwork, and academic success. The presentation included a video featuring student testimonials about how these programs have created a sense of purpose, belonging, and personal growth at Richland High School.

Information: C. Proclamation: California Arts Education Month - March 2026

Trustee Vane presented a proclamation to VAPA (Visual and Performing Arts) TOSA (Teacher on Special Assignment) Mr. Hamilton, recognizing March as California Arts Education Month, highlighting the importance of visual and performing arts in helping students explore creativity, build confidence, and develop collaboration and critical life skills. Mr. Hamilton also acknowledged the district's dedicated VAPA teachers, noting that arts education nurtures self-expression, imagination, and prepares students for both artistic and lifelong success.

Reports: D. CSEA Report

CSEA President Mr. Villa shared an update on ongoing contract negotiations, including discussions about instructional aide job descriptions, and thanked the district for working collaboratively. He recognized McPherson's custodian, Mr. Gutierrez, as Orange County Classified Employee of the Year, highlighting the vital role classified staff play in supporting students and keeping schools running. President Villa emphasized that listening to and valuing classified employees strengthens the district and benefits both staff and students.

Reports: E. OUEA Report

OUEA President Ms. Barone acknowledged Women's History Month and highlighted the leadership of women in the district, including the board and superintendent, as examples for students. She congratulated the 2026 Teachers of the Year and celebrated the district's decision to move VAPA teachers from indefinite temporary to probationary status, providing stability and recognition for arts educators. President Barone also shared results from the OUEA climate and conditions survey, noting workload, safety, and facility concerns, and invited board members to hold a listening session to hear directly from teachers while emphasizing the importance of investing in resources for students and educators.

Information, Reports: F. Superintendent's Report

Superintendent Monarrez highlighted the district's recognition with the 2026 Model SARB award for its prevention-focused attendance program, noting a rise in overall attendance to 94.65% and a reduction in chronic absenteeism to 12.2%, well below the state average. She congratulated Student and Community Services Coordinator Mr. McLaughlin, who leads the attendance program, for his role in achieving this award. She also recognized Mr. Guillermo "Memo" Gutierrez, McPherson's custodian, for being named Orange County Classified Employee of the Year and advancing to the state competition. Finally, she shared that Orange Unified received a three-year \$525,000 innovation grant from the Orange County Department of Education to implement the Teaching Teacher Specialist model, a new professional learning approach that combines classroom teaching with coaching and peer-led development.

Information, Reports: G. Board President's Report

Board President Mr. Glass recognized Women's History Month, emphasizing that supporting female students and staff strengthens the district, families, and community. He celebrated Estefany Caballero of Orange High School for her accomplishments as a CIF Masters and California State wrestling champion while maintaining a 4.4 GPA, highlighting the role of educators, coaches, and family in her success. President Glass also thanked Superintendent Monarrez for her leadership and reaffirmed the board's commitment to ensuring every student has the opportunity to learn, grow, and thrive.

Information, Reports: H. Student Representatives' Reports

Canyon High School representative Gavin Shea reported that Canyon students participated in the annual Clash of Classes rally, a campus cleanup, and athletic events, including wins in girls lacrosse and boys varsity volleyball. He also highlighted upcoming activities, including a beach cleanup and the spring musical "9 to 5".

Orange High School representative Jacob Gonzalez noted that Orange High is running a penny drive and hosting the first-ever *Light the Night* event to support cancer research and local families. He also recognized the girls' basketball team's historic achievement of reaching the state tournament and mentioned the principal-for-a-day visit from the city's police chief.

Richland High School representative Judith Rincon shared that Richland students are wrapping up the third quarter with a final soccer game, the launch of co-ed flag football, and St. Patrick's Day spirit activities. She also mentioned introducing a new criminal justice CTE course to expand career pathway opportunities.

Villa Park High School representative Kaitlyn Cortines described Villa Park's incoming freshmen roadshow, author's festival, and recent dance competitions with top placements. She also outlined upcoming events, including USA Nationals, spring concerts, sports assemblies, and ASB elections.

5. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Action: A. Approval of Minutes - February 19, 2026

It is recommended that the Board of Education approve the minutes as presented and reviewed.

Motion by Matthew Thomas, second by Sierra Vane.

Final Resolution: Motion carries

Yea: Kris Erickson, Stephen Glass, Ana Martinez Goodlander, Sara Pelly, Matthew Thomas, Sierra Vane, Andrea Yamasaki

6. PUBLIC COMMENT, AGENDA ITEMS

Procedural: A. Public Comment

There is one public comment on item 8A.

7. ACTION ITEMS

Action: A. California School Boards Association - 2026 Delegate Assembly Election

It is recommended that the Board of Education vote for up to seven candidates for the 2026 CSBA Region 15 Delegate Assembly. The Board voted for Carrie Buck, Hendry Charoen, Carol Crane, Katie McEwen, Barbara Schulman, Annemarie Randle-Trejo, and Jonathan Stone.

Motion by Andrea Yamasaki, second by Kris Erickson.

Final Resolution: Motion carries

Yea: Kris Erickson, Stephen Glass, Ana Martinez Goodlander, Sara Pelly, Matthew Thomas, Sierra Vane, Andrea Yamasaki

Action: B. Second Interim Financial Report

Interim Assistant Superintendent, Mr. Calderon, presented the Second Interim Financial Report. Some questions were answered.

It is recommended that the Board of Education approve a positive certification of the Second Interim Financial Report for 2025-26, indicating that the Orange Unified School District will be able to meet its financial obligations for the remainder of the 2025-26 fiscal year and the following two fiscal years, and accept the 2025-26 budget update as presented by staff.

Motion by Ana Martinez Goodlander, second by Sara Pelly.

Final Resolution: Motion carries

Yea: Kris Erickson, Stephen Glass, Ana Martinez Goodlander, Sara Pelly, Matthew Thomas, Sierra Vane, Andrea Yamasaki

Action: C. Proposed Revisions to Board Policies and Bylaws - Second Reading and Approval

Superintendent Monarrez introduced the item. The policies reflect the minor changes the board proposed at the last board meeting.

It is recommended that the Board of Education approve the proposed revisions to the Board Policies listed below.

Motion by Kris Erickson, second by Sara Pelly.

Final Resolution: Motion carries

Yea: Kris Erickson, Stephen Glass, Ana Martinez Goodlander, Sara Pelly, Matthew Thomas, Sierra Vane, Andrea Yamasaki

Action: D. Declaration of Possible Need for Fully Qualified Educators - Required Annual Report

Assistant Superintendent for Human Resources, Ms. McCullough, introduced the item.

It is recommended that the Board of Education approve the attached Declaration of Need for Fully Qualified Educators for the 2026-2027 school year.

Motion by Matthew Thomas, second by Kris Erickson.

Final Resolution: Motion carries

Yea: Kris Erickson, Stephen Glass, Ana Martinez Goodlander, Sara Pelly, Matthew Thomas, Sierra Vane, Andrea Yamasaki

8. INFORMATION/DISCUSSION ITEMS

Information: A. El Modena High School Proposed New Classroom and Administration Building Project

Interim Assistant Superintendent, Mr. Calderon, introduced the item. Ms. Coffeen from Perkins Eastman presented. Some questions were answered.

Public comment: Sharon McAleer, OUSD parent: expressed her support for the project. Also requested more lighting in outdoor spaces.

Discussion, Information: B. Superintendent Learning Hubs

Superintendent Monarrez presented an overview of the proposed Superintendent Learning Hubs. She explained that the hubs are designed to provide board members with opportunities to deepen their knowledge in key areas to better inform decision-making and support the district's goal of becoming a model learning organization.

Board member assignments:

Achievement Learning Hub: Trustee Thomas, Trustee Glass

Finance and Facilities Learning Hub: Trustee Vane, Trustee Pelly

Engagement and Wellness Learning Hub: Trustee Martinez Goodlander, Trustee Yamasaki, Trustee Erickson

Information: **C. Proposed Revisions to Board Policies and Bylaws - First Reading**

Superintendent Monarrez introduced the item. No major concerns were raised during the first reading of the proposed board policy and bylaw revisions. A brief discussion occurred regarding the freedom of speech policy, clarifying that the revisions are being made to align with recent changes in state law, not in response to a specific incident.

9. CONSENT ITEMS

Action (Consent): **A. Consent Items - Consent items are acted upon by one motion.** Any such item can be considered separately at a Board member's request.

13A: Trustee Vane pulled 13A: OUSD Summer Programs 2026 for further discussion under 17B.

11H: Trustee Thomas complimented Ms. Celeste-Russo, the Director of Transportation, on a phenomenal plan.

Resolution: It is recommended that the Board of Education approve the items as presented.

Motion by Sara Pelly, second by Matthew Thomas.

Final Resolution: Motion carries

Yea: Kris Erickson, Stephen Glass, Ana Martinez Goodlander, Sara Pelly, Matthew Thomas, Sierra Vane, Andrea Yamasaki

10. CONSENT ITEMS - MEASURE S

Action (Consent): **A. Perkins Eastman Architects - Measure S Phase III - New Administration Building and Parking Lot at El Modena High School**

Resolution: It is recommended that the Board of Education approve the board agenda item as presented.

Motion by Sara Pelly, second by Matthew Thomas.

Final Resolution: Motion carries

Yea: Kris Erickson, Stephen Glass, Ana Martinez Goodlander, Sara Pelly, Matthew Thomas, Sierra Vane, Andrea Yamasaki

11. CONSENT ITEMS - BUSINESS SERVICES

Action (Consent): **A. Gifts**

Resolution: It is recommended that the Board of Education accept these donations and that a letter of appreciation be forwarded to the benefactors.

Motion by Sara Pelly, second by Matthew Thomas.

Final Resolution: Motion carries

Yea: Kris Erickson, Stephen Glass, Ana Martinez Goodlander, Sara Pelly, Matthew Thomas, Sierra Vane, Andrea Yamasaki

Action (Consent): **B. Purchase Orders List**

Resolution: It is recommended that the Board of Education approve the Purchase Order List dated February 9, 2026, through March 1, 2026.

Motion by Sara Pelly, second by Matthew Thomas.

Final Resolution: Motion carries

Yea: Kris Erickson, Stephen Glass, Ana Martinez Goodlander, Sara Pelly, Matthew Thomas, Sierra Vane, Andrea Yamasaki

Action (Consent): **C. Warrants List**

Resolution: It is recommended that the Board of Education approve the Warrants List dated February 9, 2026, through March 1, 2026.

Motion by Sara Pelly, second by Matthew Thomas.

Final Resolution: Motion carries

Yea: Kris Erickson, Stephen Glass, Ana Martinez Goodlander, Sara Pelly, Matthew Thomas, Sierra Vane, Andrea Yamasaki

Action (Consent): **D. Atkinson, Andelson, Loya, Ruud & Romo, Amendment No. 1**

Resolution: It is recommended that the Board of Education approve the Board agenda item as presented.

Motion by Sara Pelly, second by Matthew Thomas.

Final Resolution: Motion carries

Yea: Kris Erickson, Stephen Glass, Ana Martinez Goodlander, Sara Pelly, Matthew Thomas, Sierra Vane, Andrea Yamasaki

Action (Consent): **E. Bid No. 2526-959 Install Fire Alarm Upgrades at La Veta Elementary School**

Resolution: It is recommended that the Board of Education approve the award of 2526-959 Install Fire Alarm Upgrades at La Veta Elementary School to Wallace Electrical Services, Inc. in the amount of \$516,726.

Motion by Sara Pelly, second by Matthew Thomas.

Final Resolution: Motion carries

Yea: Kris Erickson, Stephen Glass, Ana Martinez Goodlander, Sara Pelly, Matthew Thomas, Sierra Vane, Andrea Yamasaki

Action (Consent): **F. Bid No. 2526-961 Remove & Install OFCI Basketball Hoops and Wrestling Lamp at El Modena High School Gymnasium Re-Bid**

Resolution: It is recommended that the Board of Education approve the award of 2526-961 Remove & Install OFCI Basketball Hoops and Wrestling Lamp at El Modena High School Gymnasium Re-Bid to NM Building Group in the amount of \$271,788.00

Motion by Sara Pelly, second by Matthew Thomas.

Final Resolution: Motion carries

Yea: Kris Erickson, Stephen Glass, Ana Martinez Goodlander, Sara Pelly, Matthew Thomas, Sierra Vane, Andrea Yamasaki

Action (Consent): **G. E-Rate RFQ No. ER2526-002 UPS Equipment**

Resolution: It is recommended the Board of Education approve the board agenda item as presented.

Motion by Sara Pelly, second by Matthew Thomas.

Final Resolution: Motion carries

Yea: Kris Erickson, Stephen Glass, Ana Martinez Goodlander, Sara Pelly, Matthew Thomas, Sierra Vane, Andrea Yamasaki

Action (Consent): **H. Home-to-School Transportation Plan**

Resolution: It is recommended the Board of Education approve the board agenda item as presented.

Motion by Sara Pelly, second by Matthew Thomas.

Final Resolution: Motion carries

Yea: Kris Erickson, Stephen Glass, Ana Martinez Goodlander, Sara Pelly, Matthew Thomas, Sierra Vane, Andrea Yamasaki

Action (Consent): **I. Resolution 15-25-26: Shade Structure Installation at Taft Elementary School Project Exempt From The California Environmental Quality Act**

Resolution: It is recommended that the Board of Education adopt Resolution 15-25-26: (1) Shade Structure Installation Project at Taft Elementary School Project from CEQA; (2) Approving the Filing of Recordation of NOE, (3) Approving the Project, and (4) Authorizing Staff to file the NOE for the Project.

Motion by Sara Pelly, second by Matthew Thomas.

Final Resolution: Motion carries

Yea: Kris Erickson, Stephen Glass, Ana Martinez Goodlander, Sara Pelly, Matthew Thomas, Sierra Vane, Andrea Yamasaki

Action (Consent): **J. Olive Inspection Services, Inc. - Inspection Services Agreement - A/V Upgrades Multiple Sites**

Resolution: It is recommended that the Board of Education approve the agenda item as presented.

Motion by Sara Pelly, second by Matthew Thomas.

Final Resolution: Motion carries

Yea: Kris Erickson, Stephen Glass, Ana Martinez Goodlander, Sara Pelly, Matthew Thomas, Sierra Vane, Andrea Yamasaki

Action (Consent): **K. Perkins Eastman Architects - Renovation of Kitchen Facilities at Villa Park, El Modena, and Orange High Schools**

Resolution: It is recommended that the Board of Education approve the board agenda item as presented.

Motion by Sara Pelly, second by Matthew Thomas.

Final Resolution: Motion carries

Yea: Kris Erickson, Stephen Glass, Ana Martinez Goodlander, Sara Pelly, Matthew Thomas, Sierra Vane, Andrea Yamasaki

Action (Consent): **L. VIP Leadership Services LLP, Amendment No. 1**

Resolution: It is recommended that the Board of Education approve the board agenda item as presented.

Motion by Sara Pelly, second by Matthew Thomas.

Final Resolution: Motion carries

Yea: Kris Erickson, Stephen Glass, Ana Martinez Goodlander, Sara Pelly, Matthew Thomas, Sierra Vane, Andrea Yamasaki

Action (Consent): **M. Acceptance of Completed Contracts and Filing of Notices of Completion**

Resolution: It is recommended the Board of Education accept the notices of completion for the below-listed contracts.

Motion by Sara Pelly, second by Matthew Thomas.

Final Resolution: Motion carries

Yea: Kris Erickson, Stephen Glass, Ana Martinez Goodlander, Sara Pelly, Matthew Thomas, Sierra Vane, Andrea Yamasaki

12. CONSENT ITEMS - HUMAN RESOURCES

Action (Consent): **A. Personnel Report**

Resolution: It is recommended that the Board of Education approve the Personnel Report as presented.

Motion by Sara Pelly, second by Matthew Thomas.

Final Resolution: Motion carries

Yea: Kris Erickson, Stephen Glass, Ana Martinez Goodlander, Sara Pelly, Matthew Thomas, Sierra Vane, Andrea Yamasaki

Action (Consent): **B. Memorandum of Understanding 25-26-12 - Concordia University Irvine**

Resolution: It is recommended that the Board of Education approve the Memorandum of Understanding.

Motion by Sara Pelly, second by Matthew Thomas.

Final Resolution: Motion carries

Yea: Kris Erickson, Stephen Glass, Ana Martinez Goodlander, Sara Pelly, Matthew Thomas, Sierra Vane, Andrea Yamasaki

Action (Consent): **C. Memorandum of Understanding 25-26-13 - University of Southern California**

Resolution: It is recommended that the Board of Education approve the Memorandum of Understanding.

Motion by Sara Pelly, second by Matthew Thomas.

Final Resolution: Motion carries

Yea: Kris Erickson, Stephen Glass, Ana Martinez Goodlander, Sara Pelly, Matthew Thomas, Sierra Vane, Andrea Yamasaki

Action (Consent): **D. Memorandum of Understanding 25-26-14 - Grand Canyon University**

Resolution: It is recommended that the Board of Education approve the Memorandum of Understanding.

Motion by Sara Pelly, second by Matthew Thomas.

Final Resolution: Motion carries

Yea: Kris Erickson, Stephen Glass, Ana Martinez Goodlander, Sara Pelly, Matthew Thomas, Sierra Vane, Andrea Yamasaki

13. CONSENT ITEMS - EDUCATIONAL SERVICES

Action: **A. OUSD Summer Programs 2026**

This item was pulled for further discussion under 17B.

Action (Consent): **B. Global Culture Education Foundation**

Resolution: It is recommended that the Board of Education approve the agreement with Global Culture Education Foundation.

Motion by Sara Pelly, second by Matthew Thomas.

Final Resolution: Motion carries

Yea: Kris Erickson, Stephen Glass, Ana Martinez Goodlander, Sara Pelly, Matthew Thomas, Sierra Vane, Andrea Yamasaki

Action (Consent): **C. Educational Leadership Alliance**

Resolution: It is recommended that the Board of Education approve the consulting agreement with Educational Leadership Alliance.

Motion by Sara Pelly, second by Matthew Thomas.

Final Resolution: Motion carries

Yea: Kris Erickson, Stephen Glass, Ana Martinez Goodlander, Sara Pelly, Matthew Thomas, Sierra Vane, Andrea Yamasaki

Action (Consent): **D. Cruz and Associates Consulting LLC**

Resolution: It is recommended that the Board of Education approve the Service Agreement with Cruz and Associates Consulting LLC.

Motion by Sara Pelly, second by Matthew Thomas.

Final Resolution: Motion carries

Yea: Kris Erickson, Stephen Glass, Ana Martinez Goodlander, Sara Pelly, Matthew Thomas, Sierra Vane, Andrea Yamasaki

Action (Consent): **E. Amendment of Orange County Department of Education Inside the Outdoors: Agreement #18016, Field and School Programs 2025-2026**

Resolution: It is recommended the Board of Education approve to amend the agreement as requested.

Motion by Sara Pelly, second by Matthew Thomas.

Final Resolution: Motion carries

Yea: Kris Erickson, Stephen Glass, Ana Martinez Goodlander, Sara Pelly, Matthew Thomas, Sierra Vane, Andrea Yamasaki

Action (Consent): **F. Memorandum of Understanding between Orange Unified School District and California Association for Bilingual Education**

Resolution: It is recommended that the Board of Education approve the Memorandum of Understanding as presented.

Motion by Sara Pelly, second by Matthew Thomas.

Final Resolution: Motion carries

Yea: Kris Erickson, Stephen Glass, Ana Martinez Goodlander, Sara Pelly, Matthew Thomas, Sierra Vane, Andrea Yamasaki

Action (Consent): **G. Approval of District Representative to Serve as the Official Voting Member on the Rancho Santiago Adult Education Consortium**

Resolution: It is recommended that the Board of Education approve Lisa Green, Executive Director of TK-12 Curriculum, Instruction, and School Support, to serve as the official representative to the Rancho Santiago Adult Education Consortium for the 2026-2027 fiscal year.

Motion by Sara Pelly, second by Matthew Thomas.

Final Resolution: Motion carries

Yea: Kris Erickson, Stephen Glass, Ana Martinez Goodlander, Sara Pelly, Matthew Thomas, Sierra Vane, Andrea Yamasaki

Action (Consent): **H. Memorandum of Understanding between Orange Unified School District and California Community Colleges Chancellor's Office - K-12 Strong Workforce Program**

Resolution: It is recommended that the Board of Education approve the Memorandum of Understanding as presented.

Motion by Sara Pelly, second by Matthew Thomas.

Final Resolution: Motion carries

Yea: Kris Erickson, Stephen Glass, Ana Martinez Goodlander, Sara Pelly, Matthew Thomas, Sierra Vane, Andrea Yamasaki

Action (Consent): **I. Textbook and Supplementary Instructional Text Adoptions – 30-day review by public**
Resolution: It is recommended that the Board of Education place the attached list of textbooks on display for the 30-day review period and be considered for adoption at the April 16, 2026 Board Meeting.

Motion by Sara Pelly, second by Matthew Thomas.

Final Resolution: Motion carries

Yea: Kris Erickson, Stephen Glass, Ana Martinez Goodlander, Sara Pelly, Matthew Thomas, Sierra Vane, Andrea Yamasaki

Action (Consent): **J. Ratification - Agreement with FilmEd Academy of the Arts**

Resolution: It is recommended that the Board of Education approve the ratified agreement with FilmEd Academy of the Arts as presented.

Motion by Sara Pelly, second by Matthew Thomas.

Final Resolution: Motion carries

Yea: Kris Erickson, Stephen Glass, Ana Martinez Goodlander, Sara Pelly, Matthew Thomas, Sierra Vane, Andrea Yamasaki

14. CONSENT ITEMS - EDUCATIONAL SERVICES/STUDY TRIPS

Action (Consent): **A. Canyon High School - Boy's and Girl's Basketball Teams - Sacramento, CA - March 13-14, 2026**

Resolution: It is recommended that the Board of Education approve this study trip as presented.

Motion by Sara Pelly, second by Matthew Thomas.

Final Resolution: Motion carries

Yea: Kris Erickson, Stephen Glass, Ana Martinez Goodlander, Sara Pelly, Matthew Thomas, Sierra Vane, Andrea Yamasaki

Action (Consent): **B. Orange High School – Girls Varsity Basketball Team – Sacramento, CA – March 13–14, 2026**

Resolution: It is recommended that the Board of Education approve the item as presented.

Motion by Sara Pelly, second by Matthew Thomas.

Final Resolution: Motion carries

Yea: Kris Erickson, Stephen Glass, Ana Martinez Goodlander, Sara Pelly, Matthew Thomas, Sierra Vane, Andrea Yamasaki

Action (Consent): **C. Orange High School - CA State Leadership Conference - Ontario, CA - March 21-24, 2026**

Resolution: It is recommended that the Board of Education approve this study trip as presented.

Motion by Sara Pelly, second by Matthew Thomas.

Final Resolution: Motion carries

Yea: Kris Erickson, Stephen Glass, Ana Martinez Goodlander, Sara Pelly, Matthew Thomas, Sierra Vane, Andrea Yamasaki

Action (Consent): **D. Canyon High School – Health Occupation Student Association (HOSA) – Ontario, CA – March 26-28, 2026**

Resolution: It is recommended that the Board of Education approve this study trip as presented.

Motion by Sara Pelly, second by Matthew Thomas.

Final Resolution: Motion carries

Yea: Kris Erickson, Stephen Glass, Ana Martinez Goodlander, Sara Pelly, Matthew Thomas, Sierra Vane, Andrea Yamasaki

Action (Consent): **E. Orange High School – Instrumental Music - San Francisco, CA – March 29-April 1, 2026**

Resolution: It is recommended that the board of education approve this item as presented.

Motion by Sara Pelly, second by Matthew Thomas.

Final Resolution: Motion carries

Yea: Kris Erickson, Stephen Glass, Ana Martinez Goodlander, Sara Pelly, Matthew Thomas, Sierra Vane, Andrea Yamasaki

Action (Consent): **F. Canyon High School - Robotics Team - St. Louis, MO - April 20-27, 2026**

Resolution: It is recommended that the Board of Education approve this study trip as presented.

Motion by Sara Pelly, second by Matthew Thomas.

Final Resolution: Motion carries

Yea: Kris Erickson, Stephen Glass, Ana Martinez Goodlander, Sara Pelly, Matthew Thomas, Sierra Vane, Andrea Yamasaki

Action (Consent): **G. Canyon High School - ASB - Irvine, CA - May 22-23, 2026**

Resolution: It is recommended that the Board of Education approve this study trip as presented.

Motion by Sara Pelly, second by Matthew Thomas.

Final Resolution: Motion carries

Yea: Kris Erickson, Stephen Glass, Ana Martinez Goodlander, Sara Pelly, Matthew Thomas, Sierra Vane, Andrea Yamasaki

Action (Consent): **H. Villa Park High School – Varsity Dance Team – Buena Park, CA – July 21-24, 2026**

Resolution: It is recommended that the Board of Education approve this study trip as presented.

Motion by Sara Pelly, second by Matthew Thomas.

Final Resolution: Motion carries

Yea: Kris Erickson, Stephen Glass, Ana Martinez Goodlander, Sara Pelly, Matthew Thomas, Sierra Vane, Andrea Yamasaki

Action (Consent): **I. Canyon High School - ASB - Orange County Leadership Camp, Santa Barbara, CA - August 4-7, 2026**

Resolution: It is recommended that the Board of Education approve this study trip as presented.

Motion by Sara Pelly, second by Matthew Thomas.

Final Resolution: Motion carries

Yea: Kris Erickson, Stephen Glass, Ana Martinez Goodlander, Sara Pelly, Matthew Thomas, Sierra Vane, Andrea Yamasaki

Action (Consent): **J. Orange High School – Wrestling Program – Virginia Beach, VA – March 25–30, 2026**

Resolution: It is recommended that the Board of Education approve this item as presented.

Motion by Sara Pelly, second by Matthew Thomas.

Final Resolution: Motion carries

Yea: Kris Erickson, Stephen Glass, Ana Martinez Goodlander, Sara Pelly, Matthew Thomas, Sierra Vane, Andrea Yamasaki

15. CONSENT ITEMS - STUDENT SUPPORT/COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

Action (Consent): **A. Private Agency Service Agreement**

Resolution: It is recommended the Board of Education approve the contract as presented.

Motion by Sara Pelly, second by Matthew Thomas.

Final Resolution: Motion carries

Yea: Kris Erickson, Stephen Glass, Ana Martinez Goodlander, Sara Pelly, Matthew Thomas, Sierra Vane, Andrea Yamasaki

Action (Consent): **B. Private Agency Service Agreement**

Resolution: It is recommended the Board of Education approve the contract as presented.

Motion by Sara Pelly, second by Matthew Thomas.

Final Resolution: Motion carries

Yea: Kris Erickson, Stephen Glass, Ana Martinez Goodlander, Sara Pelly, Matthew Thomas, Sierra Vane, Andrea Yamasaki

Action (Consent): **C. Expanded Learning Opportunities Program (ELOP), Amendment No.1**

Resolution: It is recommended that the Board of Education approve the amendment as presented.

Motion by Sara Pelly, second by Matthew Thomas.

Final Resolution: Motion carries

Yea: Kris Erickson, Stephen Glass, Ana Martinez Goodlander, Sara Pelly, Matthew Thomas, Sierra Vane, Andrea Yamasaki

Action (Consent): **D. Orange County Gang Reduction Intervention Partnership (OC GRIP)**

Resolution: It is recommended that the Board of Education approve the agreement as presented.

Motion by Sara Pelly, second by Matthew Thomas.

Final Resolution: Motion carries

Yea: Kris Erickson, Stephen Glass, Ana Martinez Goodlander, Sara Pelly, Matthew Thomas, Sierra Vane, Andrea Yamasaki

Action (Consent): **E. Expanded Learning Opportunities Program - Work Ed**

Resolution: It is recommended that the Board of Education approve this item as presented.

Motion by Sara Pelly, second by Matthew Thomas.

Final Resolution: Motion carries

Yea: Kris Erickson, Stephen Glass, Ana Martinez Goodlander, Sara Pelly, Matthew Thomas, Sierra Vane, Andrea Yamasaki

16. CONSENT ITEMS - BOARD OF EDUCATION/SUPERINTENDENT

17. PULLED ITEMS FOR ACTION/CONSIDERATION

Action: **A. Pulled Agenda Items**

Action: **B. OUSD Summer Programs 2026**

Trustee Vane pulled item 13A: OUSD Summer Programs 2026 for further discussion.

Trustee Vane noted that it would be helpful for the public to know program locations and how to sign up.

Superintendent Monarrez stated that a study session in two weeks will provide a comprehensive overview and address all related questions.

It is recommended that the Board of Education approve the Summer Programs 2026.

Motion by Matthew Thomas, second by Sierra Vane.

Final Resolution: Motion carries

Yea: Kris Erickson, Stephen Glass, Ana Martinez Goodlander, Sara Pelly, Matthew Thomas, Sierra Vane, Andrea Yamasaki

18. PUBLIC COMMENT, NON-AGENDA ITEMS

Procedural: **A. Public Comment**

Public comment on Non Agenda item:

Jeremy Rose, OUSD parent: Talked about his business N Zone Sports, and introduced himself.

19. OTHER BUSINESS

Information: **A. Board/Staff Conference, Recognition, and Comments**

Trustee Vane shared her experience serving as Principal for a Day at Villa Park Elementary, noting classroom visits and robotics projects. She also mentioned a Lunar New Year celebration at Fletcher Elementary. She attended Read Across America at Jordan Elementary and encouraged engagement with Women's History Month, emphasizing self-care and community involvement.

Trustee Yamasaki reported attending PTA recognition events, including OUPA's Outstanding Council Award and the Fourth District PTA Sacramento Safari, where discussions with legislators addressed school funding, safety, and health issues. She also attended the Canyon Foundation Hall of Fame Gala and local Lunar New Year celebrations, celebrating student participation and community partnerships.

Trustee Martinez Goodlander shared her academic updates while recognizing school psychologists visiting Chapman to connect with students. She attended Lunar New Year events, Read Across America, and served as Principal for a Day at Fletcher, observing student performances and celebrating student achievements in art.

Trustee Pelly highlighted her experience as Principal for a Day, visiting classrooms including Dual Immersion programs, and participating in Read Across America. She emphasized the value of Legislative Coalition (LegCo) meetings for legislative advocacy and noted upcoming VAPA performances hosted by the Orange Unified Public Schools Foundation.

Trustee Thomas described his Principal for a Day visit at California Inspire Academy, observing Dual Immersion classrooms and student engagement. He also toured Orange High School, attended Portola's Robotics, and participated in Read Across America at Handy, highlighting district programs and student achievements.

Trustee Erickson attended school and community events, including Lunar New Year celebrations, Read Across America, and student performances. She recognized student accomplishments in arts competitions and highlighted the importance of district programs and community engagement.

Trustee Glass recognized outstanding student achievements in the arts, including Penelope Coulston, Brendan Bui, and Connor Shim. He also noted school visits, AVID showcases, and Read Across America, emphasizing student success and community involvement across the district.

20. ADJOURNMENT

Procedural: **A. Meeting Adjourned**

The meeting was adjourned at 10:04 pm.