



Superintendent's Report to the Board of Trustees

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Thank You For Your Service



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✦ **HAPPY** ✦
CLASSIFIED
appreciation
✦ **WEEK** ✦

THANK YOU
FOR ALL THAT YOU DO!

== You are truly ==
appreciated!

Congratulations Mark Twain Elementary School!

Congratulations for 20 years of Dual Immersion!



Business- Excess Liability Coverage Insurance

Summary: Transition excess liability coverage from Schools Excess Liability Fund (SELF) to Alliance of Schools for Cooperative Insurance Programs (ASCIP) effective July 1, 2026

What is Excess Liability Coverage?

Provides an additional layer of insurance protection above the District's primary liability coverage for large or catastrophic claims exceeding standard coverage limits.

Background & Analysis:

- District currently participates in SELF for excess liability coverage
- Board approved withdrawal resolution from SELF in Dec. 2025 to allow evaluation of alternative options
- Staff preserved the option to remain with SELF while completing final review
- Comprehensive analysis included cost, coverage structure, and long-term risk considerations



Business- Governor's May Revise

Education funding proposals include:

- Full funding of the statutory 2.87% COLA for LCFF and categorical programs
- An enhanced effective 4.31% COLA, which includes funding for the new paid pregnancy disability leave requirement
- \$2.4 billion in additional special education funding
- Expanded discretionary block grant funding
- Continued investments in community schools
- One-time funding for literacy coach support
- Withholding of funds, \$5.6B lowered to \$3.9B

