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Lavinia Grace Phillips, President (Trustee Area 7)  
Jasvir Singh Vice President (Trustee Area 2)

5:00 p.m. Closed Session

Chinua Rhodes, Second Vice President (Trustee Area 5)  
Tara Jeane (Trustee Area 1)  
Christina Pritchett (Trustee Area 3)  
Jamee Villa (Trustee Area 4)  
Taylor Kayatta (Trustee Area 6)  
Justine Chueh-Griffith, Student Member

6:00 p.m. Open Session

**Serna Center**  
Community Conference Rooms  
5735 47<sup>th</sup> Avenue  
Sacramento, CA 95824

2024/25-4

Allotted Time

**1.0 OPEN SESSION / CALL TO ORDER / ROLL CALL**

The meeting was called to order at 5:01 p.m

**Members Present:**

- Member Kayatta
- Member Rhodes
- Member Phillips
- Member Jeane
- Member Pritchett
- Student Board Member Segura

**Members Absent**

- Member Singh
- Member Villa

**2.0 ANNOUNCEMENT AND PUBLIC COMMENT REGARDING ITEMS TO BE DISCUSSED IN CLOSED SESSION**

No public comment

- a) *Significant exposure to litigation pursuant to subdivision (d)(2) of Government Code section 54956.9 (Two Potential Cases)*
- b) *Existing litigation pursuant to subdivision (d)(1) of Government Code section 54956.9 (OAH Case No. 2024071050)*
  
- 3.2 *Government Code 54957.6 (a) and (b) Negotiations/Collective Bargaining SCTA SEIU, TCS, Teamsters, UPE, Non-Represented/Confidential Management (Cancy McArn)*
  
- 3.3 *Government Code 54957 – Public Employee Discipline/Dismissal/Release/Complaint*
  
- 3.4 *Education Code 35146- The Board will hear staff recommendation on the following student expulsions from 24-25: Expulsion #1, #2, and #3 2024-2025 (David Van Natten)*

**4.0**

**CALL BACK TO ORDER/PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

4.1 *The Pledge of Allegiance*

4.2 *Broadcast Statement*

4.3 *Stellar Student introduced by Board Member Christina Pritchett*

**5.0 ANNOUNCEMENT OF ACTION TAKEN IN CLOSED SESSION**

*Rita Baljiah  
Ruben Trejo  
Valentina Martinez  
Millie Hernandez  
Terrence Gladney  
Deborah Wilson  
Tasha Dillard  
Erinn Leone*

## **8.0 COMMUNICATIONS**

### *8.1 Employee Organization Reports:*

- *SCTA – Nikki Milevsky shared that over the last several*

*check in with educators with how things are going in the district, and preparing for upcoming negotiations. While they still have some school sites to visit to complete their rounds, there have been several themes that have consistently come up during the visits. Educators feel a new positive energy about the district. These feelings of hope must be followed by significant operational*

▪ *Black/African American Advisory Board-Terrence Gladney highlighted what Ms. Leone and her alliance brought forth. It*

*reaffirms the urgency from 2010 when the Board announced 13*

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*13 recommendations of then, The African American Taskforce. Mr. Gladney shared that here we are over 5 years later, and the same incidents that birthed that taskforce are reoccurring in our school district. On behalf of B/AAAB, and what Ms. Leone brought up, what is enough for the Board to act with enough urgency to end these outcomes for our students and staff? Mr. Gladney referenced a post that Dr. Luke Wood from Sac State posted on social media*

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9.2 *Approve Resolution No. 3449: Recognition of National*

*September 14, 2024*

*(Diana Flores)*

*Diana Flores and Kelsey Nederveld presented the resolution. This is an action item.*

*Public Comment:*

*No public comment*

*Member Pritchett thanked all the employees across the district that are making sure our kids are getting a healthy meal.*

*Member Chueh-Griffith gave a big thanks to the nutritional staff.*

*Member Rhodes thanked the staff for their work.*

*Member Pritchett made a motion with a second from Member Phillips. The Board voted 5-0 with Members Singh and Villa absent, and with a student preferential yes vote.*

9.3 *Latinx and Hispanic Heritage Recognition*

*(September 15-October 15) (Dr. Olga Simms)*

9.5 *ELSB Grant (Early Literacy Support Block Grant) Final Report (Ashley Alexander and Kari LaSalle)*

*Erin Finley presented the grant overview, goals, implementation, and results. This is an information item.*

*Public Comment:*

*No public comment*

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*Member Jones shared that she really appreciated the [redacted]*

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*and focused approach to really think through how we're able to get a*

Member Jeane made a motion with a second from Member Rhodes. The Board voted 5-0 with Members Singh and Villa absent, and with a student preferential yes vote.

**10.0 PUBLIC HEARING**

- 10.1 Approve Public Hearing Resolution No. 3446:  
Resolution to Convey Public Utilities Easement to  
Sacramento Municipal Utility District at Edward

*Kemble and Cesar Chavez Elementary Schools  
(Ben Wangberg)*

*Ben Wangberg presented the public hearing resolution to approve the resolution to convey public utilities easement to Sacramento Municipal Utility District at Edward Kemble and Cesar Chavez Elementary Schools. This is an information item.*

*Public Comment:  
No public comment*

*Board Comment:  
No Board comment*

- 10.2 Authorization for energy service project under  
Government Code sections 4217.10 et seq.  
(Chris Ralston)

*Chris Ralston presented this project that is part of their equity focus for the*

*facilities department in order to create safe and lit spaces. This is an action item.*

*Public Comment: WORKSHOP/S  
No public comment*

*Board Comment:  
Board Agenda, October 3, 2024*

11.1 Proposed Changes to Civic Permit Board Policy 1330,  
Facility Use Handbook, and Permit Pricing  
(Chris Ralston)

*Chris Ralston Nathaniel Brownino and Ben Wanghero presented the*

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*proposed changes to the Civic Permit Board Policy 1330 Facility Use  
Handbook This is an information item*

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*No public comment*

*Board Comment:*

*Member Pritchett wanted to know how many people attended the*

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to celebrate the importance of attendance from 10am-1pm at Leonardo da Vinci K-8 School. Superintendent Allen shared that on Saturday, October 10<sup>th</sup> Hiram Johnson will have a free event.

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meetings, because she worries about the extra effort that they may have to put in to performances and planning. Member Phillips shared that these children don't belong to them in that manner. They belong to their

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*Kayatta shared that yesterday, he had the opportunity to attend a field trip with his daughter's class. and they went out to the Harris Center at*

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*Folsom Lake College. Schools from all over the area attended, and one of the teachers was able to find a grant for this to get all the kids to get out there and watch Rumpelstiltskin. Member Kayatta shared that this is the kind of joy that he wants to bring to our kids, and to make sure that this is available for all the kids in our district, and that they are doing everything that they can to support it. Lastly, Member Kayatta shared that ballots are coming soon, and if you see Measure D and have any questions, to please reach out to a board member or anyone in the district who can have the answers for you. Member Kayatta wants people to make sure that they know how important it is.*

**13.0 CONSENT AGENDA**

*Generally routine items are approved by one motion without discussion. The Superintendent or a Board member may request an item be pulled from the consent agenda and voted upon separately.*

**13.1**

*13.1a Approve Grants, Entitlements and Other Income Agreements, Ratification of Other Agreements, Approval of Bid Awards, Approval of Declared Surplus Materials and Equipment, Change Notices and Notices of Completion (Janea Marking)*

*13.1b Approve Contracts Report >\$15,000 (Janea Marking)*

*13.1c Approve Personnel Transactions (Cancy McArn)*

*13.1d Approval of Unauthorized Vendor Payments (Janea Marking)*

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13.11 Approve Resolution No. 3445: Resolution Regarding Board Stipends (Lisa Allen)  
This is an action item.

Public Comment:  
No public comment

Board Comment:  
No public comment

Member Pritchett made a motion with a second from Member Jeane. The Board voted 5-0

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