

ETIWANDA SCHOOL DISTRICT

Etiwanda Education Center Board Room 6061 East Avenue, Etiwanda, CA 91739

BOARD OF TRUSTEES: Robert Garcia, Matthew Gordon, Dr. Fermín Jaramillo, Dayna Karsch, and April McAllaster

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Minutes

Tuesday, February 6, 2024, 6:30 p.m.

Members Present at Roll Call: Others Present:

Mr. Garcia, Mr. Gordon, Dr. Jaramillo, Ms. Karsch, and Ms. McAllaster

Ms. Sprague, Ms. Rowland, Mr. Ortiz, and Ms. Tavolazzi

1. Call to Order

President McAllaster called the meeting to order at 6:30 p.m. All members were present. President McAllaster announced that all open sessions of the board meeting are audio-recorded and may capture the sounds of those participating in the meeting. President McAllaster asked those participating in the meeting to join in the Pledge of Allegiance.

2. Public Comment on Agenda Items

Pursuant to Board Policy 9324, Board Minutes and Recordings: "The minutes shall reflect the names of those individuals who comment during the meeting's public comment period as well as the topics they address."

Comments on agenda items: None offered.

3. Review / Adopt Agenda and Minutes

- A. The Board of Trustees adopted the agenda as presented on a motion by Member Garcia, seconded by Member Karsch, and carried by a unanimous vote with all members present voting yes.
- B. The Board of Trustees adopted the minutes of the regular meeting held January 16, 2024, as presented on a motion by Member Jaramillo, seconded by Member Karsch, and carried by a unanimous vote with all members present voting yes.
- C. The Board of Trustees adopted the minutes of the regular meeting held January 29, 2024, as presented on a motion by Member Gordon, seconded by Member Garcia, and carried by a unanimous vote with all members present voting yes.

4. Recognition

A. Principal Jeff Sipos, along with the Board of Trustees, recognized students who were champions of the 2023-2024 Etiwanda School District Spelling Bee.

5. Educational Presentation

A. Kim Porter, Principal of Etiwanda Intermediate School, Kala Buck, Assistant Principal, and Ryan Lewis, Assistant Principal, presented "Energizing Education: A Blueprint for Amplifying Student Engagement." They shared data analysis and student engagement strategies. Additionally, students Kayleigh Aragon, Associated Student Body (ASB) President, and Emma Sanner, ASB Vice President, shared firsthand accounts of their interactions with both students and staff.

6. <u>Instruction</u>

A. Justin Kooyman, Director of Instruction, presented a Midyear Progress Report on the Local Control and Accountability Plan (LCAP). He shared an update on midyear progress towards LCAP goals and spending.

7. Business and Legal

A. Michael Higgins, Director of Operations and Facilities, presented Job#/Bid #23/24-063 Etiwanda Intermediate Interim Housing with the recommendations to award the bid as follows:

| Category | Name of Contractor | Low Bid \$ |
|-----------------|--------------------------------------|----------------|
| 01 – General | Rancho Pacific Electric Construction | \$1,532,200.00 |
| 18 – Plumbing | Duke Plumbing | \$ 491,000.00 |
| 19 – Electrical | Construction Electric | \$1,560,000.00 |
| | Project Total: | \$3,583,200,00 |

Board members sought clarification regarding past work history with contractors, change orders, and bid processes.

7. Business and Legal (continued)

After discussion, the Board of Trustees took action to award Job/Bid #23/24-063 Etiwanda Intermediate Interim Housing to the following contractors in the total amount of \$3,583,200.00 as presented on motion by Member Gordon, seconded by Member Garcia, and carried by a unanimous vote with all members present voting yes.

8. Superintendent

- A. After discussion, the Board of Trustees took action to approve the 2024-25 board meeting dates as presented on a motion by Member Jaramillo, seconded by Member Gordon, and carried by a unanimous vote with all members present voting yes.
- B. After discussion, the Board of Trustees took action and adopted Etiwanda School District Resolution No. 2324-26, Recognizing the second Wednesday of March as Crossing Guard Appreciation Day on a motion by Member Gordon, seconded by Member Jaramillo, and carried by a unanimous vote with all members present voting yes.
- C. Superintendent Sprague highlighted the inaugural English Learner Family Night, site visits honoring Black History Month, and the West End Special Education Local Plan Area Parent Project, along with comments on social media updates and upcoming events.

9. Consent Calendar

The Board of Trustees approved the Consent Calendar as presented on a motion by Member Jaramillo, seconded by Member Garcia, and carried by a unanimous vote with all members present voting yes.

- A. Approval of the personnel report, which includes appointment, employment, contract renewal, assignment, committee on assignment, transfer, promotion, demotion, resignation, retirement, leave, out-of-class pay, termination, non-reelect, suspension, release of service, release of administrative assignment, and any other action affecting employment status.
- B. Approval of Resolution No. 2324-25 Transfers of Appropriations for 2024-25 fiscal year.
- C. Acknowledgement by the Governing Board of the Etiwanda School District of the receipt of letters of fingerprint certification from outside contractors verifying clearance of their employees.

D. Approval of the following donations:

| Donated by: | Donation of: | Donated to: |
|---------------------------------------|--------------|-------------------|
| See's Candy Shops, Inc. | Cash | Caryn ES |
| Chipotle Mexican Grill | Cash | Caryn ES |
| The Kroger Co. | Cash | Caryn ES |
| The Blackbaud Giving Fund-Edison Int. | Cash | C.P. Lightfoot ES |
| The Blackbaud Giving Fund-Edison Int. | Cash | Day Creek IS |
| Box Top for Education | Cash | East Heritage ES |
| John and Nancy Golden | Cash | John L. Golden ES |
| Pacific Funding and Investment Corp. | Cash | Perdew ES |
| The Kroger Co. | Cash | Summit IS |
| The Blackbaud Giving Fund-Wells Fargo | Cash | Summit IS |
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E. Approval/Ratification for Contracted Services between Etiwanda School District and the following outside Contractors:

| | Consultant/ Contractor/Presenter | Contract Number | Type of Service | Location of Service |
|---|-------------------------------------|--------------------|-----------------|------------------------|
| 1 | Kids Reptile Parties | CC020624R-01 | Assembly | Child Care |
| 2 | J.D. Lombardi | CC020624R-02 | Assembly | Child Care |
| 3 | Mobile Ed Productions | CC020624R-03 | Assembly | Child Care |
| 4 | El Tio Alex | CC020624R-04 | Summer camp | Child Care |

9. Consent Calendar (continued)

| 5 | John R. Byerly, Inc. | R. Byerly, Inc. ML020624A-01 Geotechnical engineering, special inspection, and material testing services for interim housing project | | Etiwanda IS | |
|----|--|--|---|-----------------------------|--|
| 6 | Everest Environmental, Inc. | ML020624A-08 | Quality stormwater pollution prevention plan for interim housing project | Etiwanda IS | |
| 7 | San Bernardino County Superintendent of Schools | SOL020624R- 01 | Professional development | Solorio ES | |
| 8 | The Imagination Machine | PER020624R- 01 | Assembly | Perdew ES | |
| 9 | All City Management Services, Inc. | SA020624A-04 | Crossing guard services | Etiwanda School District | |
| 10 | Lawnscape Systems, Inc. | RC020624A-01 | Moisture manager | District-wide | |
| 11 | Lawnscape Systems, Inc. | RC020624R-02 | Slope herbicide | District-wide | |
| 12 | Lawnscape Systems, Inc. | RC020624A-03 | Turfgrass | District-wide | |

F. Approval/Ratification of Proposal and Field Contract services under \$60,000 between Etiwanda School District and the following Contractors:

| | Consultant/ Contractor | Contract Number | Type of Service | Location of Service | |
|---|--|--------------------|--|-------------------------------|--|
| 1 | Baugh Painting | ML020624R-02 | Install boards on exterior wall of portables | Terra Vista ES | |
| 2 | Acclaimed Electrical Services – AES | ML020624R-03 | Provide power/outlet for forklift | Etiwanda Operations Center | |
| 3 | Time and Alarm Systems | ML020624R-04 | Replace notifications devices and connect new E3 series fire alarm panel | Etiwanda IS | |
| 4 | Owen Electric | SA020624A-01 | Repair and replace parking lot lighting fixtures | Etiwanda Colony ES | |
| 5 | Owen Electric | SA020624A-02 | Repair and replace outdoor flush lighting fixtures | Perdew ES | |
| 6 | Owen Electric | SA020624A-03 | Repair and replace outdoor flush lighting fixtures | Etiwanda Colony ES | |

G. Approval of Amendments/Change Orders/Extensions:

| | Vendor / Project | Amendment / Change Order Number / Extension | Original Contract Date or Dollar Amount | New Contract Date or Dollar Amount |
|---|--|--|--|--|
| 1 | Spec Construction, Inc./C.P. Lightfoot ES, Terra Vista ES Growth Portables & Summit IS Interim Housing Bid #22/23-044 | ML020624A-05 CCO #1.1b | Terra Vista Growth Portables: \$419,000.00 | \$428,506.48 |

9. Consent Calendar (continued)

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| 2 | Spec Construction, Inc./C.P. Lightfoot ES, Terra Vista ES Growth Portables & Summit IS Interim Housing Bid #22/23-044 | ML020624A-05 CCO #1.1a | C.P. Lightfoot Growth Portables: \$580,000.00 | \$589,831.44 |
| 3 | Spec Construction, Inc./C.P. Lightfoot ES, Terra Vista ES Growth Portables & Summit IS Interim Housing Bid #22/23-044 | ML020624A-05 CCO#1.1c | Summit IS Interim Housing: \$966,000.00 | \$940,508.95 |
| 4 | Fischer Plumbing/C.P. Lightfoot ES, Terra Vista ES Growth Portables & Summit IS Interim Housing Bid #22/23-044 | ML020624A-06 CCO #1.18a | C.P. Lightfoot Growth Portables: \$169,800.00 | \$159,800.00 |
| 5 | Fischer Plumbing/C.P. Lightfoot ES, Terra Vista ES Growth Portables & Summit IS Interim Housing Bid #22/23-044 | ML020624A-06 CCO #1.18b | Terra Vista Pod & Growth Portables: \$242,700.00 | \$257,744.05 |
| 6 | Fischer Plumbing/C.P. Lightfoot ES, Terra Vista ES Growth Portables & Summit IS Interim Housing Bid #22/23-044 | ML020624A-06 CCO #1.18c | Summit IS Interim Housing: \$75,700.00 | \$82,543.86 |
| 7 | Rancho Pacific Electric Construction, Inc./ C.P. Lightfoot ES, Terra Vista ES Growth Portables & Summit IS Interim Housing Bid #22/23-044 | ML020624A-07 CCO #1.19b | Terra Vista Pod & Growth Portables: \$287,600.00 | \$286,639.04 |
| 8 | Rancho Pacific Electric Construction, Inc./C.P. Lightfoot ES, Terra Vista ES Growth Portables & Summit IS Interim Housing Bid #22/23-044 | ML020624A-07 CCO #19.1a | C.P. Lightfoot Growth Portables: \$393,200.00 | \$339,450.25 |
| 9 | Rancho Pacific Electric Construction, Inc./C.P. Lightfoot ES, Terra Vista ES Growth Portables & Summit IS Interim Housing Bid #22/23-044 | ML020624A-07 CCO #19.1c | Summit IS Interim Housing: \$292,400.00 | \$288,208.21 |
| 10 | Everest Environmental, Inc. | ML020624A-09 | \$27,610.00 | \$36,680.00 |

H. Approval of revisions and/or deletions to the following Board Policies (BP), Administrative Regulations (AR), and/or Exhibits (EX):

BP 9321 | Closed Session

I. Approval of the Student Dress Standards with no change for the 2024-2025 school year.

J. Approval of the 2023-2024 Comprehensive School Safety Plan (CSSP) for Caryn, D.W. Long, East Heritage, Etiwanda Colony, Falcon Ridge, Grapeland, Carleton P. Lightfoot, Perdew, Cecilia L. Solorio, West Heritage, Windrows elementary schools, and Day Creek, Etiwanda, Heritage, and Summit Intermediate schools.

10. Public Comment on Non-Agenda Items

Pursuant to Board Policy 9324, Board Minutes and Recordings: "The minutes shall reflect the names of those individuals who comment during the meeting's public comment period as well as the topics they address."

- A. Comments on non-agenda items:
 - Leslie Cadet commented regarding locker rooms at Etiwanda Intermediate School.
 - Member Gordon thanked Ms. Cadet for her comments.

11. Board / Staff Comments or Suggested Items for Discussion at Upcoming Meetings

Member Gordon inquired about a community presentation date for Little League in regard to the Etiwanda Intermediate School baseball fields.

12. Closed Session

The Board of Trustees adjourned to Closed Session at 8:01 p.m.

- A. Public Employee Discipline/Dismissal/Release/Nonreelect. (Government Code 54957) (Release Temporary EC 44954)
- B. Conference with labor negotiator (Government Code 54957.6) for the 2023-2024 school year.
 District Negotiator: Laura Rowland, Assistant Superintendent of Personnel Services
 Bargaining Unit: Etiwanda Teachers Association

13. Reconvene to Open Session

The Board of Trustees reconvened to Open Session at 9:22 p.m.

A. In Closed Session, the Board took action to adopt Resolution No. 2324-24 to release and non-reelect 58 temporary certificated employees pursuant to Education Code section 44954, effective at the end of the 2023-2024 school year and directed the Superintendent or designee to send out appropriate legal notices on a motion by Member Gordon, seconded by Member Jaramillo, and carried by a unanimous vote with all members present voting yes.

14. Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned at 9:23 p.m. on a motion by Member Gordon, seconded by Member Garcia, and carried by a unanimous vote with all members present voting yes.

Respectfully Submitted

Adopted