



Board Briefs

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A brief synopsis of the Fontana Unified School District Board of Education Meeting

Jane D. Smith, Superintendent

April 4, 2007

ADOPTION OF AGENDA

Adopted the agenda with no changes.

MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING

Approved the minutes of the regular meeting of March 21, 2007.

RECOGNITIONS / STUDENT PRESENTATIONS

- Dr. Gail Grant introduced Bernadette Gallagher, an Attendance Liaison in CWA, who was recently honored as a "Hometown Hero" by Loma Linda University Children's Hospital for her work with the community.
- Cali Olsen-Binks recognized the FUSD students who were winners at the San Bernardino County History Day events. Fontana had the most number of winners in the county: 30 out of the 64; 16 of which will advance to State History Day.
- Cali Olsen-Binks and School Police Services recognized outgoing School Police Chief, Alan Hostetter, for his service to the district. Chief Hostetter will be leaving FUSD to assume his new position as Captain with the Fontana Police Department.

DISCUSSION/ACTION SESSION

Ratified the contract with Total School Solutions to provide assistance and facilitate districtwide reform.

Approved the revised School wide Single Plans for Student Achievement and budgets for Program Improvement Schools: Citrus, Cypress, Date, Live Oak, Maple, Oleander, Primrose, Porter and West Randall ES, and Jurupa Hills MS.

Approved an increase in the General Agreement for Nonpublic, Nonsectarian School/Agency with Cinnamon Hills for children with exceptional needs.

Approved the agreement between Arrowhead Regional Medical Center and FUSD to provide onsite asthma treatments to district students, effective 4/1/07, for 1 year.

Approved the first reading of new Board Policy 6164.2, Guidance/Counseling.

Approved increasing the full paid student meal prices as follows: Breakfast – ES \$1, MS \$1.10, HS \$1.25; Lunch – ES \$1.25, MS \$1.50, HS \$1.50, effective 7/1/07.

Utilizing CMAS contracts, approved the purchase and installation of a network video surveillance system from Network Infrastructure Corporation dba Pacific Network Integration Corp (NIC) for the following schools: A.B. Miller, Fontana, Kaiser, Summit, Birch and Citrus HS; Alder, Almeria, Fontana, Jurupa Hills, Ruble, Sequoia, Southridge, and Truman MS.

Adopted Resolution No. 07-20 to establish a uniform, complete and compatible fire alarm system to be utilized districtwide.

Waived the facility use fees and custodial charges for the Kiwanis Club's Special Olympics to be held at Fontana HS on 4/14/07.

Accepted the trade of four 84-passenger buses from Colton Unified School District with four 78-passenger buses from FUSD.

Approved Change Order No. 1 with JPI Development Group, Inc. to delete 62 linear feet of curb at Cypress Avenue for Binks ES for a decrease of \$1,077.56.

Accepted Notices of Completion for:

- Bid No. 06/07-1203, Concrete Removal/Replacement at various sites, completed by Above All Names Concrete Construction.
- Bid No. 06/07-1205, Asphaltic Concrete Removal/Replacement at various sites, completed by D & L Enterprises.

Approved a contract for Clinical and Instructional Programs between the Fontana SELPA and Loma Linda University.

Approved submission of a Variable Waiver renewal request to the Commission on Teacher Credentialing.

Approved the Directed Teaching Agreement between the FUSD and Pacific Union College (7/1/07-6/30/08).

Approved Personnel Recommendations, including:

- Created position of Director, Alternative Program and assigned Patrick Meagher (4/5/07).
- Promoted Denese Vandervoort from Senior Secretary II, M & O to Administrative Secretary, Facilities.

Deleted the following positions:

- Principal – Adult Education
- Director – Student Services

Created the following positions:

- Director, Adult Education Programs
- Director, Categorical Programs

Approved the following Job Descriptions:

- Coordinator, Elementary Instruction (Emphasis: Mathematics)
- Coordinator, Secondary Instruction (Emphasis: Language Arts)
- Coordinator, Secondary Instruction (Emphasis: Mathematics)

Revised the following Job Descriptions:

- Director, Assessment & Accountability
- Director, Elementary Education Programs
- Director, Elementary Instruction

UPCOMING REGULAR BOARD MEETINGS

Wednesday, April 18, 2007 / 6:00 p.m.
John D. Piazza Center

Wednesday, May 2, 2007 / 6:00 p.m.
John D. Piazza Center



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