

Santa Ana Unified School District
1601 E. Chestnut Avenue
Santa Ana, California 92701

MINUTES

SPECIAL STUDY SESSION
SANTA ANA BOARD OF EDUCATION

June 25, 2015

CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order at 6:01 p.m. by Board President Palacio. Other members in attendance were Ms. Iglesias and Ms. Amezcua.

Cabinet members present were Dr. Miller, Dr. Phillips, Dr. Haglund, Mr. McKinney, Ms. Lohnes, Ms. Miller, Dr. Rodriguez, and Ms. Pueblos.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

The meeting was opened with the Pledge of Allegiance led by Board Clerk Amezcua.

PUBLIC PRESENTATIONS

There were no individuals wishing to address the Board.

Superintendent Miller began with an introduction to the discussion items. He provided further definition to the District's educational vision and stated there was Board desire to have a conversation related to operational issues.

Mr. Richardson and Mr. Hernández arrived during the Special Study Session.

DISCUSSION ITEM:

1.0 K-12 Educational Program/Vision

Dr. Haglund, Deputy Superintendent, Educational Services lead the discussion on the K-12 Educational Program/Vision. He along with cabinet members Dr. Rodriguez, Ms. Miller, Ms. Pueblos, and Ms. Lohnes outlined the vision, strategies, and areas of focus for the creation of a successful educational program. Following discussion, Mr. Hernández asked Mr. Jesus Nuñez, math teacher at Villa Fundamental Intermediate School to address the board related to the parent engagement program *Villa Parent University* he has established as a community outreach at his school site. Throughout the year, Mr. Nuñez hosts a number of workshops getting parents involved and informing them about how to get an early start on student university preparation.

DISCUSSION ITEM:

2.0 Board Operations


Dr. Miller provided the opportunity for Board members to express their expectations of administrative staff related to the preparation of agenda/meeting materials. Following discussion and after hearing Board comments, Dr. Miller stated he and Board President Palacio would make every effort to comply with the Board Members' requests to modify and improve the agenda preparation.

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business to come before the Board, the Board meeting was adjourned by Mr. Palacio at 8:53 p.m.

The next Regular Meeting will be held on Tuesday, July 28, 2015, at 6:00 p.m.

ATTEST:



Rick Miller, Ph.D.
Secretary
Santa Ana Board of Education