



FONTANA UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT  
9680 Citrus Avenue  
Fontana, California  
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## BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETING

### AGENDA

DATE: October 1, 2003  
TIME: 4:00 P.M. (Closed Session)  
6:00 P.M. (Regular Meeting)  
PLACE: John D. Piazza Education Center  
9680 Citrus Avenue, Fontana, California

#### I CLOSED SESSION

##### A. STUDENT MATTERS

1. Student Expulsion Hearing

##### B. LITIGATION

##### C. PERSONNEL MATTERS

2. Personnel Agenda Inquiries
3. Update on Pending Investigations Concerning Public Employees
4. Certificated Employee(s) Grievance

5. Certificated Employee(s) Discipline/Release/Termination

6. Classified Employee(s) Discipline/Release/Termination

D. LABOR RELATIONS

E. ELECTED OFFICIAL COMMUNICATION

F. REAL ESTATE

#### PUBLIC HEARING

II CALL TO ORDER

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

III HEARING ITEM

7. 2003-2004 Fontana Teachers Association Collective Bargaining Initial Proposal to Fontana Unified School District (Reference A)

ADJOURNMENT

REGULAR MEETING

IV CALL TO ORDER

V REPORT OUT FROM CLOSED SESSION

MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING  
(Corrections, Deletions, Additions, Approval)

8. Motion: On motion made by \_\_\_\_\_, seconded by \_\_\_\_\_, and carried, the Board approved the minutes of the Board of Education Regular Meeting of September 17, 2003 (Ref. B) DISCUSSION and/or ACTION  
Motion passed \_\_\_\_\_ Ayes \_\_\_\_\_ Nays \_\_\_\_\_

VI ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF ACHIEVEMENTS

9. Recognition of Top Readers at Date Elementary School - Dave Ackley, Director, Administrative Support & Student Services

VII HEARING SESSION – SUGGESTIONS AND COMMENTS FROM VISITORS

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NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC: Persons wishing to speak to the Board of Education regarding any item are requested to fill out the WHITE cards available on the tables in the Foyer and give them to the Clerk of the Board.

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At this time the President will review the agenda items and ask for comments from visitors. Comments on items other than those on the agenda are also welcomed. This is a time for the Board of Education to hear comments from the public. They are restricted from responding directly to the comments, but speakers are assured that their comments are very important and will be addressed in a different forum. This is not meant to be a debating period. Complaints and problems relating to policy matters will be referred to the Superintendent. Further comments may be recognized by the Chairman during the meeting.

Persons who have complaints against board members or staff are encouraged to seek resolution of those complaints by utilization of the Fontana Unified School District Written complaint procedure rather than orally addressing them at a meeting. Speakers are cautioned that under California law no person is immune from liability for making intentionally false or defamatory comments regarding any person simply because those comments are made at a public meeting.

The Board of Education receives its agenda and other pertinent information on the Thursday prior to the meeting. The Board, therefore, has had an opportunity to review all this material over the weekend prior to taking action.

It would be helpful if the speaker would provide their name, city of residence and whether or not they have any children in the Fontana Unified School District.

## COMMENTS BY BARGAINING UNIT REPRESENTATIVES

### VIII REPORTS

### IX DISCUSSION/ACTION SESSION

#### A. CURRICULUM

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| 10. Approved Use of Grant (Ref. C)<br>Motion: On motion made by _____, seconded by _____, and carried, the Board approved use of High Priority Grants Program funding for West Randall Elementary School for the school years 2003-2004, 2004-2005 and 2005-2006 in the amount of \$1,419,520.00 as submitted in Reference C of the agenda. | DISCUSSION<br>and/or<br>ACTION |
| 11. Approval of Contract (Ref. D)<br>Motion: On motion made by _____, seconded by _____, and carried, the Board approved a contract with Inland Area Writing Project in the amount of \$25,000.00 as submitted in Reference D of the agenda.<br>Motion passed _____ Ayes _____ Nays _____   | DISCUSSION<br>and/or<br>ACTION |
| 12. Approval of Field Trip (Ref. E)<br>Motion: On motion made by _____, seconded by _____, and carried, the Board approved a cruise trip for the Henry J. Kaiser High School Marching Band and Pageantry on   | DISCUSSION<br>and/or<br>ACTION |

March 22 through March 27, 2004 as submitted in Reference E of the agenda.

Motion passed \_\_\_\_\_ Ayes \_\_\_\_\_ Nays \_\_\_\_\_

13. Approval of Program (Ref. F) DISCUSSION  
and/or  
ACTION  
Motion: On motion made by \_\_\_\_\_, seconded by \_\_\_\_\_, and carried, the Board approved ROP growth programs for the 2003-2004 school year in the amount of \$42,547.00 as submitted in Reference F of the agenda.  
Motion passed \_\_\_\_\_ Ayes \_\_\_\_\_ Nays \_\_\_\_\_

B. BUSINESS

14. Adoption of Resolution (Ref. G) DISCUSSION  
and/or  
ACTION  
Motion: On motion made by \_\_\_\_\_, seconded by \_\_\_\_\_, and carried, the Board adopted Resolution 03-38, authorizing and Directing Certain Actions in Furtherance of a Lease-Purchase Financing, not to exceed \$12M in COPs as submitted in Reference G of the agenda.  
Motion passed \_\_\_\_\_ Ayes \_\_\_\_\_ Nays \_\_\_\_\_

15. Approval of Contracts (Ref. H) DISCUSSION  
and/or  
ACTION  
Motion: On motion made by \_\_\_\_\_, seconded by \_\_\_\_\_, and carried, the Board approved contract with Ruhnau, Ruhnau, Clarke Architects for future elementary schools as submitted in Reference H of the agenda.  
Motion passed \_\_\_\_\_ Ayes \_\_\_\_\_ Nays \_\_\_\_\_

16. Approval of Contract (Ref. I) DISCUSSION  
and/or  
ACTION  
Motion: On motion made by \_\_\_\_\_, seconded by \_\_\_\_\_, and carried, the Board approved contracts for testing and inspection services for Wing Additions at five (5) sites for a total amount of \$76,000.00 as submitted in Reference I of

the agenda.

Motion passed \_\_\_\_\_ Ayes \_\_\_\_\_ Nays \_\_\_\_\_

17. Approval of Purchase (Ref. J) DISCUSSION  
and/or  
ACTION  
Motion: On motion made by \_\_\_\_\_, seconded by \_\_\_\_\_,  
and carried, the Board approved purchase tax-defaulted  
property in connection with Elementary School #28 as  
submitted in Reference J of the agenda.  
Motion passed \_\_\_\_\_ Ayes \_\_\_\_\_ Nays \_\_\_\_\_
18. Approval of Board Delegation (Ref. K) DISCUSSION  
and/or  
ACTION  
Motion: On motion made by \_\_\_\_\_, seconded by \_\_\_\_\_,  
and carried, the Board approved Board members Gus  
Hawthorn, Laura Mancha, Rick McClure, and  
Superintendent Debra A. Bradley to Certify Board of  
Education Meeting Minutes for the Fontana Unified  
School District, effective October 2, 2003.  
Motion passed \_\_\_\_\_ Ayes \_\_\_\_\_ Nays \_\_\_\_\_
19. Approval of Agent Status (Ref. L) DISCUSSION  
and/or  
ACTION  
Motion: On motion made by \_\_\_\_\_, seconded by \_\_\_\_\_,  
and carried, the Board approved Marilyn Corey, Associate  
Superintendent as authorized agent status for the Fontana  
Unified School District effective October 2, 2003.  
Motion passed \_\_\_\_\_ Ayes \_\_\_\_\_ Nays \_\_\_\_\_
20. Ratification of Budget Transfers (Ref. M) DISCUSSION  
and/or  
ACTION  
Motion: On motion made by \_\_\_\_\_, seconded by \_\_\_\_\_,  
and carried, the Board ratified budget classification  
transfers as submitted in Reference M of the agenda.  
Motion passed \_\_\_\_\_ Ayes \_\_\_\_\_ Nays \_\_\_\_\_
21. Approval of additions to Payment Registers DISCUSSION  
and/or  
ACTION  
Motion: On motion made by \_\_\_\_\_, seconded by \_\_\_\_\_,  
and carried, the Board approved additions to the payment  
registers in Reference N of the agenda.  
Motion passed \_\_\_\_\_ Ayes \_\_\_\_\_ Nays \_\_\_\_\_

22. Ratification of Payment Registers (Ref. N) DISCUSSION  
Motion: On motion made by \_\_\_\_\_, seconded by \_\_\_\_\_, and/or  
and carried, the Board ratified payment of Register Sheets ACTION  
as submitted in Reference N of the agenda.  
Motion passed \_\_\_\_\_ Ayes \_\_\_\_\_ Nays \_\_\_\_\_

C. BUILDINGS

23. Approval of Change Order (Ref. O) DISCUSSION  
Motion: On motion made by \_\_\_\_\_, seconded by \_\_\_\_\_, and/or  
and carried, the Board approved Change Order No. 9-005S ACTION  
to the contract with Baker Electric for the modernization  
project at Alder and Sequoia Middle Schools, Group  
2/Category #9 for a total decrease of \$892.37 as submitted  
in Reference O of the agenda.  
Motion passed \_\_\_\_\_ Ayes \_\_\_\_\_ Nays \_\_\_\_\_

24. Acceptance of Notices of Completion (Ref. P & Q) DISCUSSION  
Motion: On motion made by \_\_\_\_\_, seconded by \_\_\_\_\_, and/or  
and carried, the Board accepted Notices of Completion ACTION  
submitted in References P and Q of the agenda as follows:  
Motion passed \_\_\_\_\_ Ayes \_\_\_\_\_ Nays \_\_\_\_\_

24.1 Exterior lighting and wiring for P. A. System at (Ref. P)  
Fontana High School Addition, under Bid No.  
02/03-1037, completed by Shanks Electric  
Corporation on September 18, 2003 in the amount  
of \$39,000.00

24.2 Energy Retrofit Project at Fontana A. B. Miller (Ref. Q)  
and Fontana High Schools as submitted under  
separate cover.

25. Approval of Sub-Contractor Substitution (Ref. R) DISCUSSION  
Motion: On motion made by \_\_\_\_\_, seconded by \_\_\_\_\_, and/or  
and carried, the Board approved substitution of sub- ACTION  
contractors for site/interior work at Almond Elementary  
School as submitted in Reference R of the agenda.  
Motion passed \_\_\_\_\_ Ayes\_\_\_\_\_ Nays\_\_\_\_\_

26. Authorization of Advertising for Bids (Ref. S) DISCUSSION  
Motion: On motion made by \_\_\_\_\_, seconded by \_\_\_\_\_, and/or  
and carried, the Board authorized advertising for Bid No. ACTION  
03/04-1085 for five (5) relocatable classroom wings at  
North Tamarind, South Tamarind, Redwood Elementary  
School and Poplar Elementary Schools and Jurupa Hills  
Middle School as submitted in Reference S of the agenda.  
Motion passed \_\_\_\_\_ Ayes\_\_\_\_\_ Nays\_\_\_\_\_

D. STUDENT SERVICES

E. PERSONNEL

27. Approval of Revisions to Personnel Recommendations DISCUSSION  
Motion: On motion made by \_\_\_\_\_, seconded by \_\_\_\_\_, and/or  
and carried, the Board approved revisions to personnel ACTION  
recommendations in Reference T of the agenda.  
Motion passed \_\_\_\_\_ Ayes\_\_\_\_\_ Nays\_\_\_\_\_

28. Approval of Personnel Recommendations (Ref. T) DISCUSSION  
Motion: On motion made by \_\_\_\_\_, seconded by \_\_\_\_\_, and/or  
and carried, the Board approved personnel ACTION  
recommendations as submitted in Reference T of the  
agenda.  
Motion passed\_\_\_\_\_ Ayes\_\_\_\_\_ Nays\_\_\_\_\_



F. OTHER

29. Approval of Appointment (Ref. U) DISCUSSION  
and/or  
ACTION  
Motion: On motion made by \_\_\_\_\_, seconded by \_\_\_\_\_,  
and carried, the Board approved the appointment of  
Boundary Review Committee Members/Alternates as  
submitted in Reference U of the agenda.  
Motion passed \_\_\_\_\_ Ayes \_\_\_\_\_ Nays \_\_\_\_\_

X CONSENT CALENDAR ACTION SESSION: All matters listed under the Consent Calendar are considered by the Board of Education to be routine and will be enacted in one motion. There will be no discussion of these items prior to the time the Board considers the motion unless members of the Board, the administrative staff or the public request specific items to be discussed and/or removed from the Consent Calendar.

- Approval of Consent Calendar Items (Ref. V - LL) DISCUSSION  
and/or  
ACTION  
Motion: On motion made by \_\_\_\_\_, seconded by \_\_\_\_\_, and carried,  
the Board approved Consent Calendar Items as submitted in References  
V through LL of the agenda.  
Motion passed \_\_\_\_\_ Ayes \_\_\_\_\_ Nays \_\_\_\_\_

A. CURRICULUM

30. Approved English Language Learners Master Plan to (Ref. V)  
facilitate District teachers in instructing ELL students for  
the 2003-2004 school year.
31. Approved Staff Development Buy Back Days and revision (Ref. W)  
as follows:
- 31.1 **Intervention Department**  
09/27/03, 10/25/03, 11/15/03
- 31.2 **Alder Middle School**  
10/25/03, 10/27/03, 03/08/04

- 31.3 **Chaparral Elementary School**  
09/27/03, 10/18/03, 10/27/03
  
- 31.4 **Jurupa Hills Middle School**  
10/25/03
  
- 31.5 **Maple Elementary School**  
Delete: 10/10/03  
Add: 10/30/03
  
- 31.6 **Poplar Elementary School**  
12/10/03 (1/2 day), 01/21/04 (1/2 day), 02/18/04  
(1/2 day), 03/03/04 (1/2 day), 03/31/04 (1/2 day),  
04/28/04 (1/2 day)
  
- 31.7 **Sequoia Middle School**  
10/25/03, 10/27/03, 10/28/03
  
- 31.8 **Shadow Hills Elementary School**  
09/27/03, 10/25/03, 01/31/04
  
- 31.9 **Southridge Middle School**  
10/25/03, 10/27/03, 11/14/03
  
- 31.10 **South Tamarind Elementary School**  
10/25/03, 11/22/03, 01/31/04
  
- 32. Approved Inter-District Attendance Agreements with (Ref. X)  
Escondido Union Elementary School District, San Diego  
County and Bellflower Unified School District, Los  
Angeles County, for a five-year period of July 1, 2003  
through June 30, 2008.
  
- 33. Approved contract between Inland Area Writing Project, (Ref. Y)  
University of Riverside and Fontana Unified School  
District for inservice provided to Elementary Site Literacy  
Teachers on August 8, 2003 for an amount of \$750.00.

34. Approved contract with California University of Riverside Education Department to provide state-approved courses for CLAD Certificate for administrators and teachers, not to exceed \$14,850.00. (Ref. Z)
35. Approved agreement between University of Redlands and Fontana Unified School District for students in fieldwork courses to observe in classrooms within the District for the 2003-2004 school year. (Ref. AA)
36. Approved employment of the following presenters and consultants: (Ref. BB)
- 36.1 Vic Schneidman of Canter and Associates  
Workshops: Relationship Based Classroom Management and Motivating Today's Learner  
New teachers  
October 25, 2003 and December 13, 2003, respectively  
Not to exceed \$11,000.00
- 36.2 Wayne Bennett of Survival Skills & Company  
Disaster Skills  
Chaparral Elementary School Staff  
September 7, 2003
- 36.3 Jim Trelease  
Presentations to Oak Park Elementary School parents and staff  
Not to exceed \$1,950.00
- 36.4 Renaissance Learning, Inc.  
Juniper Elementary School Teachers  
Not to exceed \$4,774.00
- 36.5 Michelle Karns  
Curriculum Guides are in Place, Now What?

Middle School Buy Back Day  
October 25, 2003  
Not to exceed \$2,500.00, including expenses

37. Approved a three-day training for thirty-four (34) Peer leaders and four chaperones from Fontana High School and A. B. Miller High School at the Museum of Tolerance on November 2 through November 4, 2003. (Ref. CC)

B. BUSINESS

38. Approved contract with Chris Gibson for polygraph examinations for School Police employees, for the 2003-2004 school year, not to exceed \$500.00 out of School Police Contract Services account. (Ref. DD)
39. Approved contract with Frog Environmental to provide storm water monitoring service for the 2003-2004 school year, not to exceed \$750.00. (Ref. EE)
40. Approved the Authorized Provider Agreement between the American Red Cross (Inland Valley Chapter) and Fontana Unified School District for provision of required Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation (CRP) and First Aid classes, with start up cost of \$3,329.48. (Ref. FF)
41. Approved the purchase of safety shoes for child nutrition delivery drivers, warehouse, garage, and moving crew employees in an amount not to exceed \$5,170.00. (Ref. GG)

42. Approved the following refreshment purchases: (Ref. HH)

42.1 Citrus Continuation High School  
Back to School Night  
October 8, 2003  
Not to exceed \$400.00

42.2 Eric Birch Continuation High School  
Buy Back Days  
2003-2004 school year  
Not to exceed \$600.00

42.3 Fontana High School  
Athletic Meeting  
September 22, 2003  
Not to exceed \$100.00

42.4 Henry J. Kaiser High School  
Sunkist League Meetings  
October 29, 2003 and February 11, 2004  
Not to exceed \$50.00

42.5 Harry S. Truman Middle School  
English Language Advisory Committee and  
School Site Council parent meetings  
2003-2004 school year  
Not to exceed \$500.00

42.6 Sequoia Middle School  
Kick-off for Mentor Program  
Not to exceed \$500.00

43. Approved payment of the following employee claim for reimbursement: (Ref. II)

43.1 Submitted by Ms. Rachel Joiner, for personal property damage in the amount of \$248.20, which occurred on September 8, 2003, at Chaparral Elementary School.

44. Upon recommendation by Carl Warren and Company, the district's claims administrator, rejected the following claims: (Ref. JJ)

44.1 Submitted by Riggo Ponce, a claim in the amount of \$594.30 for personal injury that occurred on May 23, 2003, at Sequoia Middle School.

44.2 Submitted by Mr. Martin Carl Nikonchuck, a claim in an undetermined amount for personal injury due to a motor vehicle accident with a District vehicle which occurred on March 8, 2003.

C. BUILDINGS

D. STUDENT SERVICES

45. Approved expulsion of students pursuant to Education Code Violations: #111754-EC 48900 (a1), (b), (m), (k) / 48915 (b2); #144576-EC 48900 (a1), (b), (m), (k) / 48915 (b2); #124648-EC 48900 (a1), (b), (m), (k) / 48915 (b2) from the Fontana Unified School District.

E. PERSONNEL

F. OTHER

46. Approved the addition of \$300.00 for the purchase of holiday greeting cards and postage to promote community goodwill. (Ref. KK)

47. Accepted the following donations: (Ref. LL)

- 47.1 From Fontana Police Department, a donation of instructional materials to the Early Education Department.
- 47.2 From Ms. Tess Rodriguez, a donation of a flute to the Elementary Instrumental Music Program.
- 47.3 From Mr. and Mrs. Jayton, a donation in the amount of \$772.50 to Canyon Crest Elementary School.
- 47.4 From Target Stores, a donation in the amount of \$220.34 to Cypress Elementary School.
- 47.5 From Verizon, a donation in the amount of \$59.00 to Fontana Middle School.
- 47.6 From the Estate of Ms. Irene E. Harris, a donation in the amount of \$20,000.00 to Fontana High School.
- 47.7 From Target Stores, a donation in the amount of \$1,100.29 to Fontana High School.
- 47.8 From Target Stores, a donation in the amount of \$111.29 to Juniper Elementary School.
- 47.9 From Juniper PTA, a donation in the amount of \$6,250.00 to the Juniper Elementary School.
- 47.10 From Target Stores, a donation in the amount of \$140.51 to Jurupa Hills Middle School.

- 47.11 From Verizon, a donation in the amount of \$60.58 to Locust Elementary School.
- 47.12 From Target Stores, a donation in the amount of \$134.77 to Maple Elementary School.
- 47.13 From Office Depot, a donation of 25 backpacks to North Tamarind Elementary School.
- 47.14 From Verizon, a donation in the amount of \$56.02 to Oak Park Elementary School.
- 47.15 From Coca-Cola Enterprises Bottling Companies, a donation in the amount of \$40.39 to Randall-Pepper Elementary School.
- 47.16 From Target Stores, a donation in the amount of \$157.62 to Sequoia Middle School.
- 47.17 From Target Stores, a donation in the amount of \$349.52 to Southridge Middle School.
- 47.18 From Western Telephone, a donation in the amount of \$1.30 to Southridge Middle School.
- 47.19 From Ms. Nancy Evans, a donation of three musical instruments in an amount of \$1,800.00 to South Tamarind Elementary School.
- 47.20 From Coca-Cola Enterprises Bottling Companies, a donation in the amount of \$40.41 to South Tamarind Elementary School.
- 47.21 From Target Stores, a donation in the amount of



\$105.20 to South Tamarind Elementary School.

- 47.22 From Mt. Baldy United Way, a donation in the amount of \$460.51 to South Tamarind Elementary School.
- 47.23 From Target Stores, a donation in the amount of \$248.07 to Harry S. Truman Middle School.
- 47.24 From Target Stores, a donation in the amount of \$114.01 to Virginia Primrose Elementary School.
- 47.25 From Verizon, a donation in the amount of \$54.26 to West Randall Elementary School.
- 47.26 From Target Stores, a donation in the amount of \$236.45 to West Randall Elementary School.

XI CORRESPONDENCE

XII FOR INFORMATION AND/OR DISCUSSION

SUGGESTIONS AND COMMENTS BY ADMINISTRATORS

SUGGESTIONS AND COMMENTS BY BOARD MEMBERS

SUGGESTIONS AND COMMENTS BY SUPERINTENDENT

## XIII ADJOURNMENT