CALL TO ORDER – 5:04 p.m.

ACTION ITEM

Board Member Attendance was established via a call for the roll. Those in attendance were Rachael Sedgwick, Kristel Foster and Michael Hicks. Adelita Grijalva and Mark Stegeman were not present for the roll call. General Counsel Rob Ross was present for the roll call.

5:00 p.m.  1. Schedule an executive meeting at this time to consider the following matters: APPROVED. Moved: Foster; Seconded: Sedgwick Passed 3-0 (Voice Vote). Adelita Grijalva and Mark Stegeman were not present for the vote.

A. Discussion or consultation with the attorneys of the Governing Board in order to consider its position and instruct its attorneys regarding the Governing Board’s position regarding pending litigation pursuant to A.R.S. §38-431.02 (A)(4)

1) Fisher-Mendoza, etc. v. TUSD, et al.

ACTION ITEM

MOTION AND VOTE TO RECESS REGULAR MEETING TO EXECUTIVE SESSION

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ACTION ITEM

5:39pm/0:00:00

MOTION AND VOTE TO ADJOURN EXECUTIVE MEETING AND RECONVENE REGULAR MEETING – appx 5:30 p.m.

ACTION ITEM

5:39 p.m. – Reconvene Regular Board Meeting
Board Member Attendance was established via a call for the roll. Those in attendance were Adelita Grijalva, Mark Stegeman, Rachael Sedgwick, Kristel Foster and Michael Hicks. Superintendent Dr. Gabriel Trujillo and General Counsel Robert Ross were present for the roll call.

5:30 p.m.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE—Led by Saturnino “Curly” Santa Cruz.

5:40pm/0:00:22

Board President Michael Hicks made a motion to move items 9, 12 and 15 after Information Item 2; and, item 16 after the Call to the Audience. APPROVED Moved: Hicks; Seconded: Foster. Passed Unanimously (Voice Vote).

INFORMATION ITEM

5:40pm/0:01:34

2. Superintendent’s Report

5:45pm/0:06:30

• Southwest Key Update

INFORMATION ONLY Details are available via the video and audio recordings on the web.

ACTION ITEMS

5:47pm/0:07:57

9. Request to Re-name the Pueblo High School Football “Stadium” in Honor of Curly Santa Cruz APPROVED Moved: Hicks; Seconded: Grijalva. Passed Unanimously (Roll Call Vote). Dr. Trujillo, Frank Rosthenhausler, Dan Eckstrom, Robert Acuna, Mark Alvarez and Marco Moreno presented information. Board members commenting were Adelita Grijalva and Michael Hicks.

6:09pm/0:29:43

15. Request to Re-name the Pueblo High School Gymnasium in Honor of Roland LaVetter APPROVED TO NAME THE PUEBLO HIGH SCHOOL SOUTH GYMNASIUM IN HONOR OF ROLAND LAVETTER. Moved: Grijalva; Seconded: Hicks. Passed Unanimously (Voice Vote). Dr. Trujillo, Frank Rosthenhausler, Mrs. Roland LaVetter, Tony Mosely, Randall Moore and Dora Leal presented information. Board member Adelita Grijalva commented. Sam Portillo spoke in support of Coach Santa Cruz and Coach LaVetter.

Board President Michael Hicks asked for a moment of silence in honor of George Lee Joe, III, who was a Cholla High School graduate. He started his TUSD career in 1991 as a football coach and drop out prevention specialist at Tucson Magnet High School and Santa Rita High School and retired in 2016.
INFORMATION ITEM

6:31pm/0:48:51


INFORMATION ONLY Dr. Trujillo, Dr. Benson and Dr. Ogletree presented information and responded to Board inquiries. Board members commenting and/or asking questions were Mark Stegeman, Kristel Foster, Adelita Grijalva and Rachael Sedgwick.

6:48pm/1:05:05

CALL TO THE AUDIENCE (45 Minutes) (Pursuant to Governing Board Policy No. BEDB, at the conclusion of the Call to the Audience, the Governing Board President will ask if individual members wish to respond to criticism made by those who have addressed the Board, wish to ask staff to review a matter, or wish to ask that a matter be put on a future agenda. No more than two board members may address each criticism.) Board President Michael Hicks announced that Luis Orantes was available to provide Spanish Interpreter Services and read the protocol for CTA. Luis Orantes repeated the announcement in Spanish.

Persons who spoke at Call to the Audience were: Gary Williams re: Opposition to the Renaming of the Rodeo Holiday; Ricky Hernandez re: Support for IELCs; Pilar Ruiz re: IELCs, A.R.S. 15-511 and bullying at Sahuaro High School; Betts Putnum-Hidalgo re: Deseg; Christina Boyless, Shelly Corrough, Bonnie Demorotski, Lauren LaBuff, Penny Gassan and Nikko Pecaurd re: IELCs; Kevin Krumwiede re: scheduling of items on meeting agenda; Linda and Dillan Ebright, Charlene Bruce and Sarah Wilson re: IELCs.

Board President Michael Hicks announced the forty-five minute time allowed for Call to the Audience has expired. Board Clerk Kristel Foster moved to extend the Call to the Audience until such time that everyone who submitted a card has had the opportunity to speak. APPROVED Moved: Foster; Seconded: Grijalva. Passed 3-2 (Roll Call Vote). Mark Stegeman and Michael Hicks voted no. Board members commenting were Mark Stegeman, Kristel Foster, Rachael Sedgwick and Michael Hicks.

Benny Gomez, Garrett Myers, Kate Goldman, Liz Arriola and Victoria Bodany re: IELCs.

Board President Michael Hicks asked for a motion to suspend the Call to the Audience to address item 16. Following clarification, the Call to the Audience resumed.

Morgan Knox re: Support for IELCs; Lourdes Pereira re: Graduation uniform policy regarding Native American regalia; Ed Stolfa re: Opposition to renaming of Rodeo Days Holiday; Martha Dawsey, Amee Hennig, Theresa Hadley, Mariposa Wolford, Alvaro Amaya, Elizabeth Soltero, Elizabeth Houston-Judd and Nick Carmano re: Support for IELCs; Lillian Fox re: IELCs and centralized hiring; Daniel Vander Ploeg, Bina Alam, Jessica Zeitler, Mario Aguilar, Sara Fuller, Letty Gaxiola, Lynnette Magallanes and Michelle McCallum re: Support for IELCs.
Board member Rachael Sedgwick asked for a point of order during the Call to the Audience. Kristel Foster commented.

The following individuals were not present when their name was called during the Call to the Audience: Richard Hernandez, German Osorio, Jorge Leyva, Susan Hyatt Dumon, Liz Allen, Martha Dawsey and Melissa Suleski.

Board President Michael Hicks asked if Board members wanted to respond to Call to the Audience.

Mark Stegeman responded to comments regarding the IELCs and comments from Ricky Hernandez regarding University High School.

Kristel Foster responded to comments by Lourdes Pereira regarding graduation uniforms and thanked speakers expressing support for the IELCs.

Adelita Grijalva responded to comments made by Lillian Fox regarding IELCs.

Rachael Sedgwick responded to comments by Lourdes Pereira regarding graduation uniforms and addressed the intent of item 16 regarding the IELCs.

Board President reiterated the Call to the Audience protocol.

Dr. Trujillo responded to comments regarding TUSD’s academic status.

Michael Hicks responded to comments made regarding Board members do not visit the IELCs and shared he has visited both and is proud of the work done at both. He also responded to comments regarding TUSD’s academic status.

**STUDY/ACTION ITEM**

16. Consideration of Governing Board direction regarding IELC’S – Requested by Board Member Mark Stegeman APPROVED THE BOARD’S REQUEST FOR STAFF TO COME UP WITH A PLAN TO BRING THE IELCs TO BREAK EVEN, REFELCTING ACCURATE ACCOUNTING OF THE ACTUAL COST, FOR THE 2018-2019 SPRING SEMESTER AND A SECOND PLAN FOR THE 2019-2020 SY WITHIN THE NEXT 30 DAYS. Moved: Stegeman; Seconded: Sedgwick. Passed 3-1-1 (Roll Call Vote). Adelita Grijalva voted no and Kristel Foster abstained. Mark Stegeman provided information. Board members commenting and/or asking questions were Kristel Foster, Adelita Grijalva, Rachael Sedgwick and Mark Stegeman.

Adelita Grijalva asked to address item 6 next. APPROVED Moved: Grijalva; Seconded: Hicks. Passed by consensus.
ACTION ITEM

9:28pm/3:45:04 6. Rodeo Days Holiday Name Change – Requested by Board Member Rachael Sedgwick  
Rachael Sedgwick provided information. Mark Stegeman moved to ask the Calendar Committee to make a suggestion of something that respects Tucson’s heritage but is broader and more encompassing of all the parts of Tucson’s heritage than the name Rodeo Days. Seconded: Sedgwick. FAILED 2-3 (Roll Call Vote). Adelita Grijalva, Kristel Foster and Michael Hicks voted no. Board members commenting were Michael Hicks, Adelita Grijalva, Mark Stegeman and Rachael Sedgwick. Rob Ross provided legal advice.


3. a) Approval of Talent Acquisition, Transfers, Separations, Changes and Leaves of Absence APPROVED

b) Intergovernmental Agreement between UA College of Education, the University of Arizona and Tucson Unified School District No. 1 for the TRIO Upward Bound Program at Cholla and Pueblo High Schools, Effective September 1, 2018 through August 31, 2022 APPROVED

c) Approval of the State of Arizona Cooperative Purchasing Agreement between the State Procurement Office and Tucson Unified School District APPROVED

d) Approval of Award for Invitation for Bids (IFB) 19-44-19 Snack Foods (Food Service) APPROVED

e) Approval of Award for Invitation for Bids (IFB) 19-45-19 Dry Goods (Food Service) APPROVED

f) Approval of Invitation for Bids (IFB) 19-32-C19 Gridley Middle School Re-roofing and Roofing Refurbishment Project APPROVED

g) Minutes of Tucson Unified School District Governing Board Meetings APPROVED
   1) Regular Board Meeting, August 14, 2018
   2) Special Board Meeting, August 30, 2018

h) Acceptance of the Summary of Student Activity Funds for the Period of July 1, 2018 through August 31, 2018 APPROVED

i) Ratification of Salary and Expense Vouchers for the Period Beginning September 1, 2018 through September 30, 2018 APPROVED
10. Approval of Award for Request for Quotes (RFQ) 19-40-23 Governing Board Management Software APPROVED BOARD DOCS Moved: Hicks; Seconded: Foster. Passed Unanimously (Voice Vote). Dr. Trujillo commented.

11. Approval to Use a Cooperative Contract to Procure Buses for the State of Arizona VW Environmental Mitigation Trust School Buss Replacement Grant APPROVED Dr. Trujillo introduced Kevin Startt who presented information. Moved: Foster; Seconded: Grijalva. Passed 4-0 (Voice Vote). Adelita Grijalva was not present for the vote. Board members commenting were Mark Stegeman and Michael Hicks.

4. Reappointment of a Community Member to the Tucson Unified School District Technology Oversight Committee (TOC) APPROVED THE REAPPOINTMENT OF LORI RIEGEL FOR A 2 YEAR TERM TO EXPIRE 10-16-20 Dr. Trujillo presented information. Motion: Stegeman; Seconded: Hicks. Passed 4-0 (Voice Vote). Adelita Grijalva was not present to vote.

5. Appointment of Governing Board Ex-Officio Member to the Tucson Unified School District Technology Oversight Committee (TOC) APPROVED THE REAPPOINTMENT OF RACHAEL SEDGWICK FOR A 1 YEAR TERM TO EXPIRE 10-16-19 Motion: Stegeman; Seconded: Hicks. Passed 4-0 (Voice Vote). Adelita Grijalva was not present to vote.

13. An Overview of Drug and Alcohol Awareness Programming for Students INFORMATION ONLY Dr. Trujillo introduced Jennifer Titley-Rubio and Tammy Hille who presented information and responded to Board inquiries. Board members commenting and/or asking questions were Michael Hicks, Adelita Grijalva and Mark Stegeman.

By consensus of the Board, item 8 was addressed next.
ACTION ITEM

9:55pm/4:12:40

8. Movement of Counselors and Athletic Trainers to 301 Eligible Dr. Trujillo and Maricela Meza presented information and responded to Board inquiries. 

APPROVED Moved: Grijalva; Seconded: Hicks. Passed Unanimously (Voice Vote). Board members commenting and/or asking questions were Adelita Grijalva, Rachael Sedgwick, Mark Stegeman and Michael Hicks. Rob Ross provided legal advice.

Board President Michael Hicks inadvertently adjourned the meeting prior to calling for the vote on the motion noted above. Upon receiving legal advice from Rob Ross, Mr. Hicks asked for a motion to rescind the adjournment. 

APPROVED Moved: Hicks; Seconded: Sedgwick. Passed Unanimously (Voice Vote). Board proceeded to vote on the first motion.

10:02pm/4:20:20

REGULAR BOARD MEETING ADJOURNED

10:02 p.m. – Regular Board Meeting Adjourned.

The following agenda items were not addressed:

ACTION ITEM

7. Approval of the Intergovernmental Agreement between Tucson Unified School District and the City of Tucson for Cost Shared School Resource Officers (SRO) from TPD for the 2018-2019 SY, with Authorization for the Superintendent to Execute the Agreement (Cholla, Catalina, Palo Verde Magnet and Santa Rita high schools; and, Booth-Fickett Math-Science K-8 Magnet School)

INFORMATION ITEM

14. Results of the Targeted Learning Sessions Using Benchmark and AzMERIT Data in 2017-2018

FUTURE MEETING DATES AND AGENDA ITEMS (A board member may propose future agenda item(s), with limited discussion. The discussion should center around the purpose of placing the item on the next most appropriate agenda for consideration and action as necessary. Ref: Governing Board Policy BEDB)

00:00 p.m. reflects the time the item was addressed. /0:00:00 is the minute marker on the audio recording of when the item was addressed.

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- The order of items on this agenda may be modified during the meeting at the discretion of the Board President or upon a motion to amend the order of business which is approved by a 2/3 vote of the Board.
Agenda for Regular Board Meeting
October 16, 2018 – 5:00 p.m.
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Present:  
Michael Hicks  President
Kristel Ann Foster  Clerk
Adelita S. Grijalva  Member
Rachael Sedgwick  Member
Mark Stegeman  Member [arr @ 5:13 p.m.]

Also, Present:  
Senior Leadership:  
Gabriel Trujillo, Ed.D.  Superintendent
Robert S. Ross, Jr.  General Counsel
Brian Lambert  Assistant Superintendent – Silverbell Region 1
Mark Alvarez  Interim Assistant Superintendent – Santa Cruz Region 2
Richard Sanchez  Assistant Superintendent – Arroyo Chico Region 3
Holly Lehman-Hammel  Assistant Superintendent – Pantano Region 5
Charlotte Patterson  Interim Assistant Superintendent, Curriculum and
Instruction
John Muir  Interim Chief Operations Officer
Renee Weatherless  Executive Director, Finance
Janet Rico-Uhrig  Executive Director, Human Resources

Administrative Staff:  
Halley Freitas  Senior Director, Assessment and Program Evaluation
Maricela Meza  Director, Employee Relations
Kevin Startt  Director, Purchasing
Jeff Coleman + Staff  Director, School Safety
Jimmy Hart  Director, African American Studies
Maria Federico Brummer  Director, Mexican American Student Services
Roxanne Begay-James  Director, Native American Studies
Leslie Lenhart  Director, Communications/Media Relations
Rabih Hamadeh  Director, Infrastructure Technology
Jennifer Titley-Rubio  Social Worker, Cragin Elementary School
Tammy Hille  Program Coordinator, Guidance and Counseling

Support Staff:  
Sylvia Lovegreen  Senior Staff Assistant II to the Governing Board
Michele Gutierrez  Senior Staff Assistant I to the Governing Board
Nicholas Roman  Administrative Assistant, Superintendent’s Office
Gene Armstrong  Technical Support Specialist II, Technology Services
Karla Escamilla  Senior Program Coordinator, Communications & Media
Outreach
Miguel Carrion  District Video Producer, Communications & Media
Outreach
Luis Orantes  Spanish Interpreter

Employee Group
Representatives:  
Jason Freed  President, Tucson Education Association (TEA)

Presenters:  
Dan Eckstrom  Retired Community Leader
Robert Acuna  Former Principal, Pueblo High School
Marco Moreno  Community Member
Tony Mosely  Community Member
Randall Moore  Community Member
Dora Leal  Community Member
Sam Portillo  Community Member
Mrs. Beverly LaVetter  Community Member
Dr. Gwendolyn Benson  Associate Dean for Faculty Development
Georgia State University and Lead Researcher
for Tryben and Associates

Susan Ogletree  Researcher for Tryben and Associates
Guests: Mrs. Amanda Santa Cruz and Santa Cruz Family

Media: TV Channel(s) 9, 11/13

There were approximately 150+ people in the audience.

Michael Hicks presided and called the meeting to order at 5:04 p.m.

Meeting recessed at 5:04 p.m. and reconvened at 6:48 p.m.

Meeting adjourned at 10:02 p.m.

Approved this 11th day of December, 2018.

TUCSON UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. ONE

By ________________________________

Kristel Ann Foster, Clerk
Governing Board