



MEETING OF: April 9, 2013

---

TITLE: School Safety and Emergency Planning Update - Requested by Governing Board Member Michael Hicks

---

ITEM #: 7

---

Information: X

Study:

Action:

---

PURPOSE:

Present an overview of the current status of emergency planning at our schools.

---

DESCRIPTION AND JUSTIFICATION:

In response to a request from Governing Board Member Michael Hicks, Jeff Coleman, Director of School Safety, Maria Luna, Director of Risk Management and Holly Colonna, Director of Guidance, Counseling/Student Prevention Programs will present an overview of the current status of emergency planning at our schools; School Safety's threat assessment process; plans to apply for Site and Federal Safety funds and the status of our implementation of the Protective Schools Model. This will include a brief history of emergency planning, new state updates to the forms and TUSD personnel's involvement in the process, including our work with ADE and the Pima County Office of Emergency Management. We will present information about ongoing partnerships with law enforcement to provide training to our staff in active shooter/crisis situations and to complete newly mandated emergency drills in tandem with law enforcement at many of our sites.

The Governing Board will receive the latest report on physical security of our schools. This data has been used to implement bond funded security upgrades as well as our future plans to use the national model of threat assessment, to include training of staff.

HOW THIS RELATES TO SUPERINTENDENT'S GOAL(S): The role of School Safety, competent emergency planning and regular drills to provide effective response to emergencies at our schools, directly affects the Superintendents goals of enrollment, customer service and achievement by providing a safe learning environment.

---

BOARD POLICY CONSIDERATIONS:

---

LEGAL CONSIDERATIONS:

For all Intergovernmental Agreements (IGAs), Initiator of Agenda Item provides the name of the agency responsible for recording the Agreement after approval:

For amendments to current IGAs, Initiator provides original IGA recording number:

---

Legal Advisor Signature (if applicable)

---

BUDGET CONSIDERATIONS:

Budget Certification (for use by Office of

Financial Services only):

_____	District Budget
_____	State/Federal Funds
_____	Other _____
<u>Budget Cost</u>	<u>Budget Code</u>

Date  
I certify that funds for this expenditure in the amount of \$ are available and may be:  
Authorized from current year budget  
Authorized with School Board approval  
Code:      Fund:

INITIATOR(S):

<u>Jeffrey Coleman, Director of School Safety</u>	<u>3/26/2013</u>
Name	Date

DOCUMENTS ATTACHED/ ON FILE IN BOARD OFFICE:

<b>ATTACHMENTS:</b>
<a href="#">Click to download</a>
No Attachments Available

TUCSON UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT	BOARD AGENDA ITEM CONTINUATION SHEET
--------------------------------	---