



TUCSON UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

MEETING October 23, 2018
OF:

TITLE: Tucson Unified School District Three-Year Integration Plan

ITEM #: 18

Information:

Study: X

Action:

PURPOSE:

The purpose of this agenda item is to ensure the Governing Board has an opportunity to review and discuss the district's plan to complete and submit a comprehensive three-year integration plan for every school in the district. As required by the September 6th court order granting Tucson Unified School District partial unitary status, a three-year integration plan is a court mandate.

DESCRIPTION AND JUSTIFICATION:

In order to diligently comply with the court order to fulfill the purpose of the three-year integration plan, the district will be developing a number of integration strategies for each school. A district committee consisting of both school-level and district-level personnel, as well as parents, will be convened. Additionally, in order to determine what factors presently contribute to continued racial concentration at some schools, and integration at other schools, the administration is recommending a review of existing boundaries for all district schools. The purpose of the review will be to determine the extent to which existing boundaries at any of the district schools are potentially contributing to continued racial concentration. All work and recommendations from previous boundary reviews in years past will be studied as a reference point. In addition to boundaries, the district is proposing an extensive review of all existing transportation routes and hubs for the purpose of determining modifications to current transportation routes that could increase integration and decrease racial concentration. These two processes would be facilitated in accordance with provision 1D1 of the Unitary Status Plan with regard to collaboration and communication with the plaintiff representative groups. All recommendations regarding boundaries and transportation routes will be brought before the Governing Board and subject to Governing Board approval. There will be no recommendations brought before the Governing Board that result in the closure of a school. Dr. Trujillo will present the information.

BOARD POLICY CONSIDERATIONS:

LEGAL CONSIDERATIONS:

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Legal Advisor Signature (if applicable)

BUDGET CONSIDERATIONS:

_____ District Budget
_____ State/Federal Funds
_____ Other
Budget Cost Budget Code

Budget Certification (for use by Office of Financial Services only):

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):

Dr. Gabriel Trujillo		10.19.18
Name	Title	Date

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