



TUCSON UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

MEETING OF: December 20, 2012

TITLE: Closure of Corbett Elementary School including Recommendations for the 2013-2014 School Year for Merger with Wheeler Elementary School, and Hudlow or Kellond Elementary Schools for GATE

ITEM #: 6

Information:

Study:

Action: X

PURPOSE:

Provide information for the consideration of the closure of Corbett Elementary School including recommendations for the 2013-2014 school year for merger with Wheeler Elementary School, and Hudlow or Kellond Elementary Schools for GATE.

DESCRIPTION AND JUSTIFICATION:

Corbett Elementary is a candidate for closure because it meets most of the criteria approved by the Governing Board, including a relatively high annual savings (\$410,000) and receiving schools with higher academic performance. The receiving schools have capacity to accept the students from Corbett although they may need to limit some non-neighborhood students. On the negative side, the building is a large facility in good condition, it has a higher enrollment than Wheeler and it did receive students from the Rogers closure. The potential for future reuse of the building is weak although the grounds will continue to be used for community recreation per the City-TUSD agreement.

Vivian "Candy" Egbert and Bryant Nodine will be available to answer questions.

This will directly affect achievement, enrollment, transportation and customer service. Thus, Superintendent's Goals 1, 2, 4, 6 and 7 are affected. This project will be coordinated to support these goals and the desegregation plan. Actual impacts, positive or negative, will be assessed as the options are evaluated.

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

Budget Cost Budget Code

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):

Bryant Nodine, AICP, Planning Services Program Manager 12/12/12

Name

Title

Date

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