

**Tucson Unified School District No. 1
Governing Board Special Meeting
Board Room, Morrow Education Center
1010 East Tenth Street
Tucson, Arizona 85719**

**March 31, 2010
12:00 p.m.**

MINUTES

Present:

Judy Burns, President
Miguel Cuevas, Clerk
Adelita S. Grijalva, Member
Mark Stegeman, Member

Not Present:

Bruce Burke, Member

Also Present :

Maggie Shafer, Assistant Superintendent, Elementary Schools, and Acting Superintendent
Rob Ross, Legal Counsel
Lupita Garcia, Ph.D., Assistant Superintendent, Government Programs and Community Outreach
Bonnie Betz, Chief Financial Officer
John Carroll, Interim Chief Operations Officer
Tony Wagner, Project for Change Leadership, Harvard University
Sylvia Lovegreen, Senior Staff Assistant II to the Governing Board
Michele Gutierrez, Senior Staff Assistant I to the Governing Board

ITEM

ACTION

SPECIAL MEETING CALLED TO ORDER – 12:12 p.m.

STUDY ITEMS

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| 1. Presentation by Dr. Tony Wagner | Studied only.
No action taken. |
| 2. Discussion | |

Maggie Shafer made opening comments and introduced Dr. Tony Wagner. In a lengthy discussion, Dr. Wagner presented information and responded to comments and questions from Judy Burns, Adelita Grijalva, and Mark Stegeman.

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ACTION

STUDY ITEMS (continued)

Some of the topics discussed included the impact of declining enrollment and budget cuts on student achievement and educational rigor; the achievement gap, graduation rates, test scores, critical thinking skills, and the importance of continuity in leadership.

SPECIAL MEETING ADJOURNED – 12:58 p.m.

Approved this 11th day of May, 2010.

TUCSON UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. ONE



By

Miguel Cuevas, Clerk
Governing Board

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