

**DOS PALOS-ORO LOMA JOINT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT**  
**DOS PALOS, CALIFORNIA**

**Minutes of the Board Meeting of October 19, 2006**

The Board of Trustees of the Dos Palos-Oro Loma Joint Unified School District met in regular session on Thursday, October 19, 2006.

Dos Palos-Oro Loma Joint Unified School Board Members present were: Joe Castillo, Albert Catrina, Paul Goodman, David Pruitt and Dewayne Weagel. Absent: Norma Nordstrom and Thomas Pigg,

Others present were: Brian Walker, Donna Buie (secretary), Tim Zearley, Darlene Bonds, Chris Hagle, Terri Gill, Bronson LoBue, Norma Delgado, Katy Miller, Dwight Thompson, Mike Ashmore, Maria Bertao, Sheila Ryskamp and other members of the school district and community.

At 6:30 p.m., Mr. Castillo, president of the board, called the meeting to order.

APPROVAL OF AGENDA:

Moved, Seconded, Failed – Mr. Catrina/Mr. Weagel to determine and declare that there is a need for immediate action which cannot reasonably wait for the next regularly scheduled meeting and that the need for immediate action came to the attention of the Board after the agenda had already been posted.

VOTE: 3 AYES (Mr. Catrina, Mr. Castillo, Mr. Weagel)  
1 NO (Mr. Pruitt)  
3 ABSENT (Mr. Goodman, Mrs. Nordstrom, Mr. Pigg) #06-07-60

Moved, Seconded, Passed – Mr. Weagel/Mr. Catrina to approve the agenda as presented.

VOTE: 4 AYES 0 NOES 3 ABSENT (Mr. Goodman, Mrs. Nordstrom, Mr. Pigg) #06-07-61

Mr. Goodman arrived at 7:00 p.m.

CLOSED SESSION:

At 6:33 p.m. the meeting adjourned to closed session according to agenda items IV-A, IV-B, and IV-C. At 7:32 p.m. the meeting reconvened in open session and the following was reported:

A. Student Expulsion

1. Case 06-07-02

Moved, Seconded, Passed – Mr. Catrina/Mr. Pruitt to expel Student #111024272 from all schools in the District for violation of Education Code section 48900 (a)(1). (k) and 48915 (b)(1) and (b)(2) and to adopt the findings of fact, determinations, alternative education program referral, rehabilitation plan, as set forth in the October 16, 2006 recommendation of the Administrative Review Panel. It is hereby ordered that the pupil shall be provided with an alternative educational program at Valley Community School in Atwater or Los Banos for the first and second semester of 2006-07 school year.

VOTE: 5 AYES 0 NOES 2 ABSENT (Mrs. Nordstrom/Mr. Pigg) #06-07-62

- B. Conference with Labor Negotiator (Government Code 54957.6)
  - 1. District Negotiators: Brian Walker, Tim Zearley, Shirleen Stanley, Chris Higle and Norma Delgado regarding Certificated, Classified, and Unrepresented Negotiations  
NO ACTION
- C. Public Employee Discipline/Dismissal/Release (Government Code 54957)  
NO ACTION

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG:

Mr. Catrina led the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

INVOCATION:

Dwight Thompson delivered the invocation.

CONSENT ITEMS:

- A. Approval of Minutes of the regular Board Meeting of September 21, 2006
- B. Warrants & Payroll

Moved, Seconded, Passed – Mr. Pruitt/Mr. Catrina to approve the routine consent items listed above.

VOTE: 5 AYES 0 NOES 2 ABSENT (Mrs. Nordstrom/Mr. Pigg)

#06-07-63

AUDIENCE COMMENTS REGARDING ITEMS NOT ON THE AGENDA:

Several community members voiced their support in favor of continuing to have the traditional Halloween parade as it has been in the past.

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT:

Dr. Walker reported that the enrollment is down again from the previous month. However, we did get three new students from the new housing development on Christian Avenue and perhaps that is a trend. Dr. Walker also reported on the modernization and the status of the new gym front. He also described the need for two portable classrooms, one at the high school and another at Bryant. Lastly, he reported that Mrs. Nash and Mrs. Gill had found another service provider to take the place of Planned Parenthood in our family life unit at the High School and Bryant.

REPORT FROM BOARD MEMBERS:

No reports

WRITTEN REPORTS:

Written reports were included in the packet for the following:

- 1. Finance ..... Tim Zearley
- 2. Educational Services ..... Jan Wood
- 3. Cafeteria:..... Darlene Bonds
- 4. Information Systems ..... Chris Higle
- 5. Human Resource ..... Shirleen Stanley

RESOLUTIONS 06-07-06 AND 06-07-07:

Moved, Seconded, Passed – Mr. Weagel/Mr. Catrina to approve resolutions #06-07-06 and 06-07-07 relative to the Central Valley Higher Education Consortium's pledge to build a college-going culture for Elementary and Secondary schools.

VOTE: 5 AYES 0 NOES 2 ABSENT (Mrs. Nordstrom/Mr. Pigg)

#06-07-64

RESOLUTION 06-07-08  
RE: STATE PRESCHOOL  
INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIALS

Moved, Seconded, Passed – Mr. Goodman/Mr. Pruitt to approve Resolution 06-07-08 to approve contract and to authorize Superintendent Brian Walker, Assistant Superintendent Jan Wood, or Principal F. Dwight Thompson to sign contract documents for Child Care & Development Services for Fiscal Year 2006-07.

VOTE: 5 AYES 0 NOES 2 ABSENT (Mrs. Nordstrom/Mr. Pigg)  
#06-07-65

CURRICULUM LEVEL:

Moved, Seconded, Passed – Mr. Pruitt/Mr. Catrina to designate Middle School RSP Math and Language Arts classes as Elementary per Title 5 California Code of Regulations 6100.

VOTE: 5 AYES 0 NOES 2 ABSENT (Mrs. Nordstrom/Mr. Pigg)  
#06-07-66

CLAIM #070010:

Moved, Seconded, Passed – Mr. Catrina/Mr. Weagel to reject Claim 070010 incident date – August 18, 2006 as recommended by our claims administrator Knak & Company.

VOTE: 5 AYES 0 NOES 2 ABSENT (Mrs. Nordstrom/Mr. Pigg)  
#06-07-67

2006-07 SCHOOL SINGLE  
PLAN FOR STUDENT  
ACHIEVEMENT:

Moved, Seconded, Passed – Mr. Weagel/ Mr. Catrina to approve the Schoolwide Plans for Dos Palos Elementary, Dos Palos High, Oro Loma, Bryant Middle School, and Westside/George Christian Education Center.

VOTE: 5 AYES 0 NOES 2 ABSENT (Mrs. Nordstrom/Mr. Pigg)  
#06-07-68

ORGANIZATION CHART:

Moved, Seconded, Passed – Mr. Catrina/Mr. Pruitt to approve the organization chart as presented.

VOTE: 5 AYES 0 NOES 2 ABSENT (Mrs. Nordstrom/Mr. Pigg)  
#06-07-69

SPECIALIZED HEALTH  
ASSISTANT:

Moved, Seconded, Passed – Mr. Weagel/Mr. Goodman to create the classification of Specialized Health Assistant, to approve the new job description, and to reclassify Paraprofessional position #040018

VOTE: 5 AYES 0 NOES 2 ABSENT (Mrs. Nordstrom/Mr. Pigg)  
#06-07-70

LIBRARY AIDE:

Moved, Seconded, Passed – Mr. Catrina/Mr. Goodman revised Library Aide job description.

VOTE: 5 AYES 0 NOES 2 ABSENT (Mrs. Nordstrom/Mr. Pigg)  
#06-07-71

FOOD SERVICES  
DELIVERY DRIVER:

Moved, Seconded, Passed – Mr. Weagel/Mr. Catrina to increase the Food Services Delivery Driver position #970354 from 4.5 hours/day to 6.5 hours/day.

VOTE: 5 AYES 0 NOES 2 ABSENT (Mrs. Nordstrom/Mr. Pigg)  
#06-07-72

PERSONNEL:

On behalf of the Board, Dr. Walker accepted the following:

Resignations

- (1) Bus Driver (timesheet).....Celia Younce effective 9/29/06
- (2) Bus Driver ( timesheet).....Adela Ramirez effective 9/29/06
- (3) DPHS Job Developer/Coach (010042) ...Greg Allen effective 9/29/06
- (4) DPE Library Aide (970229).....Pierina Hamilton effective 9/29/06

- (5) Bryant Yard Duty/Cafeteria (010038) .....Denise Jones effective 9/29/06
- (6) DPHS Library Tutor (030022).....Theresa Moreno effective 10/03/06

Leaves

- (1) Mistie Calvert (030010) ..... FMLA 11/7/06 – 01/08/07

EXTENDED LEAVE OF ABSENCE:

Moved, Seconded, Failed – Mr. Catrina/Mr. Weagel to grant Regina Magana an extended personal unpaid leave of absence effective 10/16/06 to 1/8/07.

VOTE: 0 AYES 5 NOES 2 ABSENT (Mrs. Nordstrom/Mr. Pigg)

#06-07-73

EMPLOYMENT

Moved, Seconded, Passed – Mr. Goodman/Mr. Catrina to ratify the following offers of employment:

- (1) DPHS Library Tutor (050030)..... Nikki Phillips effective 10/02/06
- (2) DPE Home Liaison/Data Clerk (060021).. Ella Beliew effective 10/23/06
- (3) DPE Paraprofessional (050021)..... Maygan Galindo effective 10/23/06
- (4) Bryant Yard Duty/Cafeteria (010038) ..... TBA
- (5) Custodian (070035) ..... Angela Cabrera effective 10/23/06

VOTE: 5 AYES 0 NOES 2 ABSENT (Mrs. Nordstrom/Mr. Pigg)

#06-07-74

FUTURE PLANNING:

The following agenda items were suggested for the next Board Meeting:

- 1. Halloween Parade

ADJOURNMENT:

Moved, Seconded, Passed - Mr. Weagel/Mr. Pruitt to adjourn the meeting at 9:00 p.m.

VOTE: 5 AYES 0 NOES 2 ABSENT (Mrs. Nordstrom/Mr. Pigg)

#06-07-75

NEXT REGULAR BOARD MEETING: Thursday, November 16, 2006 at 7:00 p.m.  
Marks Elementary Cafeteria

SPECIAL BOARD MEETING: Monday, October 23, 2006 at 7:00 a.m.  
District Office Conference Room

Respectfully submitted,

Brian Walker  
Superintendent of Schools

Donna Buie  
Secretary to the Superintendent