

SACRAMENTO COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION

Minutes of the Board/Superintendent Study Session of January 11, 2011

Agenda

- I. Call to Order and Roll Call
 - II. Pledge of Allegiance
 - III. Board/Superintendent Study Session
 - a. Overview of Charter Schools: District, Countywide and Statewide
 - IV. Public Comment
 - V. Adjournment
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I. President Fong called the meeting to order at 6:02 p.m. in the Board Room of the David P. Meaney Education Center, Sacramento County Office of Education, 10474 Mather Boulevard, Mather, California. Board members present were Greg Geeting, Brian Rivas, Brian Cooley, Harold Fong, Eleanor Brown, John Scribner, and Jackie Levy. Also present were David Gordon, Superintendent and Secretary to the Board; Teresa Stinson, General Counsel; Robin Pierson, Tammy Sanchez, and Sue Stickel, Assistant Superintendents; Judy Holsinger, SELPA Executive Director; Gary Barker, SCOETA; other staff and visitors; and Carla Miller, Recording Secretary.

II. President Fong led the Pledge of Allegiance.

III. Board/Superintendent Study Session

- a. Overview of Charter Schools: District, Countywide and Statewide

General Counsel Teresa Stinson and Assistant Superintendent Sue Stickel presented a report on Charter Schools and answered questions from Board members. Superintendent Gordon provided an overview of the history of the Northern California Polytechnical Academy Charter.

Trustee Cooley arrived at 6:30 p.m.

IV. The following people addressed the Board and expressed their experiences and/or concerns regarding charter schools:

Janet Schafer, 6th grade teacher

Linda Tuttle, resident in the Sacramento City Unified School District

Carlos Rico, 5th grade teacher in the Sacramento City Unified School District

Karen Gumby, parent of two high school students in the Sacramento City Unified School District

Kerri Asbury, Chair of the Democratic Party of Sacramento County and Special Education teacher in the Twin Rivers Unified School District

Joyce Childs, Special Education teacher in the Twin Rivers Unified School District

Gary Barker, President, Sacramento County Office of Education Teacher's Association

Joseph Barnett, 8th grade math teacher at John Still School

V. Mr. Geeting moved to adjourn the meeting. Mr. Rivas seconded the motion, which carried. The meeting adjourned at 7:48 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

David W. Gordon
Secretary to the Board

Date approved: February 1, 2011